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Commissioner

North Carolina Department of Agriculture
and Consumer Services
Meat and Poultry Inspection Division

Donald H. Delozier
State Director

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CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

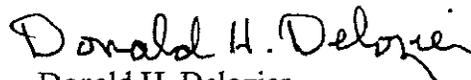
Ms. Kathryn Hock
Main Street Produce
100 North Main Street
P.O. Box 212
Littleton, NC 27850

NOTICE OF WARNING

We have an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law. The reported violations were discussed with you on April 13, 2011. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had stored, offered for sale and/or sold 8 packages of lamb chops and 1 package of pork ribs, which did not contain State (NCDA) or Federal (USDA) marks of inspection or required labeling, to the general public. In a signed statement dated April 13, 2011 you admitted selling misbranded meat products to the general public for approximately two years.

Please be advised that the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products is a violation of North Carolina General Statute (N.C.G.S.) §106-549.23 with civil and/or criminal penalties. Please be advised that you will not receive any further warning with regard to this violation. If you should continue to sell misbranded and/or uninspected meat products, we will pursue legal action against you to invoke the penalties associated with these continued violations. I certainly hope this expensive action will not be necessary. An officer from this department will visit you periodically to verify compliance.

Sincerely,


Donald H. Delozier
State Director

cc: Mr. Barry Bloch, Assistant Attorney General
Mr. Ray Starling, General Counsel
Mr. Howard Isley, Assistant Commissioner