



Steve Troxler
Commissioner

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

W. Alan Wade
State Director

June 21, 2013

CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Lori Brigman
J&L Distributors
1300 East Broad Street
Rockingham, NC 28379

NOTICE OF WARNING

We have an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law and the North Carolina Poultry Products Inspection Law. This reported violations were discussed with you on May 3, 2013. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had processed, stored, transported, offered for sale and/or sold cooked chicken wings and smoked pork sausage, which did not contain State (NCDA) or Federal (USDA) marks of inspection or required labeling. In a signed statement dated May 3, 2013 you stated that you purchased USDA inspected boxes of cooked chicken wings and smoked pork sausage from Performance Food Service (IFH) in Hickory, North Carolina and in turn repackaged the cooked chicken wings and smoked pork sausage into retail size packages inside your store without the benefit of state (NCDA) or federal (USDA) inspection.

Please be advised that the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat and poultry products are violations of North Carolina General Statute (N.C.G.S.) §106-549.23 and (N.C.G.S.) §106-549.56 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 non-inspected meat and poultry 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,

W. Alan Wade
State Director

cc: Mr. Barry Bloch, Assistant Attorney General
Mr. Joe Reardon, Assistant Commissioner