



Steve Troxler
Commissioner

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

W. Alan Wade
State Director

April 30, 2014

CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Jaavan Hassin
J&C Food Mart
301 East Commerce Street
Hobgood, North Carolina 27843

NOTICE OF WARNING

We have an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law. This reported violation was discussed with you on April 16, 2014. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had stored, offered for sale and/or sold Pork Skins, which did not contain a State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) mark of inspection or required labeling, to the general public. In a signed statement dated April 16, 2014, you stated you purchased the Pork Skins from an unidentified male in Hobgood, North Carolina and in turn placed the Pork Skins, which did not contain a State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) mark of inspection or required labeling, in your retail establishment (J&C Food Mart), where the misbranded/non-inspected Pork Skins were being offered for sale and sold to the general public.

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 non-inspected 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,

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cc: Mr. Barry Bloch, Assistant Attorney General
Mr. Joe Reardon, Assistant Commissioner
Ms. Tina Hlabse, General Council