



Steve Troxler
Commissioner

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

W. Alan Wade
State Director

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CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Adela Mejia
La Nueva Guadalopanal
407 West Rosemary Street
Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27516

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 September 11, 2013. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had processed, stored, offered for sale and/or sold meat products, (fried pork skins), which did not contain State (NCDA) or Federal (USDA) marks of inspection or required labeling. In a signed statement dated September 11, 2013 you stated you purchased the misbranded fried pork skins from Sergio (last name not known), for the sole purpose of resale 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,

W. Alan Wade
State Director

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