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Commissioner

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

W. Alan Wade  
State Director

November 20, 2014

**CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Ms. Shelby King  
Sandy Level Community Council  
238 West Virginia Street  
Mount Airy, North Carolina 27030

**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 October 19, 2014. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you processed, stored, transported, offered for sale, and sold misbranded/non-inspected pork sliced fatback/bellies that did not contain a State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) marks of inspection or required labeling for the sole purpose of resale to the general public as an entree. In a signed statement dated October 19, 2014, you stated that you processed, offered for sale and sold the misbranded/non-inspected cooked pork sliced fatback/bellies at The Market, 502 North Andy Griffith Street, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030 without the benefit of State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) inspection to the general public.

Please be advised that the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat and poultry products is a violation of the North Carolina General Statutes (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 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  
Ms. Tina Hlabse, General Counsel