



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SECTION

EHS Circular Letter #2010-55

To: Local Directors of Health
Chief Sanitarians
Certified Food Inspectors

From: Food Protection Program

Date: August 25, 2010

Subject: **Recall of Deli Meat Products in "Marketside Grab and Go Sandwiches" for Possible *Listeria* Contamination**

WASHINGTON, August 23, 2010 - Zemco Industries, a Buffalo, N.Y., establishment, is recalling approximately 380,000 pounds of deli meat products that may be contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*. These products were distributed to delicatessens where they were further processed into sandwiches.

The products subject to recall were distributed nationwide to Wal-Mart stores and include:

- 25.5-pound cases of "Marketside Grab and Go Sandwiches BLACK FOREST HAM With Natural Juices Coated with Caramel Color" with the number 17800 1300.
- 28.49-pound cases of "Marketside Grab and Go Sandwiches HOT HAM, HARD SALAMI, PEPPERONI, SANDWICH PEPPERS" with the number 17803 1300.
- 32.67-pound cases of "Marketside Grab and Go Sandwiches VIRGINIA BRAND HAM With Natural Juices, MADE IN NEW YORK, FULLY COOKED BACON, SANDWICH PICKLES, SANDWICH PEPPERS" with the number 17804 1300.

25.5-pound cases of "Marketside Grab and Go Sandwiches ANGUS ROAST BEEF Coated with Caramel Color" with the number 17805 1300. The packages also bear vendor number "398412808" as well as the USDA mark of inspection and "Est. 5222." The meat products were produced on various dates from June 18 to July 2, 2010, and have various "Use By" dates ranging from August 20 to September 10, 2010.

This information is provided in case you receive calls regarding this recall. Please share with food establishments as appropriate.

The Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection is aware of the recall and should be contacted if there are questions concerning recalls at 860-713-6160.

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