

ALFOODACT 028-2010 Tri-Union Seafoods Issues Recall of Limited 12-Ounce
Solid White Tuna in Water

Date Issued: Jul 01, 2010

Deliver immediately to the following Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine
Corps, Coast Guard, or other Activities as appropriate:

Regional Veterinary Commanders;

Public Health Officer/Medical Food Inspection Personnel;

Regional Veterinary Laboratory Consultant;

Medical/Veterinary Authority;

Preventive Medicine Officer;

TISA Officer;

Food Service Officer/Troop Support Warehouse Manager;

Club Managers;

Defense Commissary Agency Staff Veterinarian;

Defense Commissary Agency Regional Director;

Defense Commissary Agency Central Distribution Centers;

Commissary Officer;

COCOM Staff Veterinarian;

HQ, AAFES, Staff Veterinarian;

HQ, AAFES-Europe, Staff Veterinarian;

Exchange System Manager;

Restaurant Officer;

Nutritional Medicine Services;

NAVSUP/Staff Veterinarian;

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Chief, MWR;

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Defense Supply Center Philadelphia-Pacific;

DLA Depots and Supply Points/Defense Subsistence Officers;

Defense Subsistence Storage Facilities;

US Army Europe & Europe Regional Veterinary Command;

Assistant Administrator (AA) and Deputy AA, Office of Public Health Science, FSIS;

AA and Deputy AA, Office of Field Operations, FSIS;

1. REFERENCES:

a. DLAR 4155.26/AR 40-660/NAVSUPINST 10110.8c/AFI 48-116/MCO 10110.38c, DOD Hazardous Food & Nonprescription Drug Recall System.

b. Allied Communications Publication 121, US SUPP-1 (f).

2. BACKGROUND:

Due to a production error, the product does not meet the company's standards for seal tightness.

Loose seals, or seams, could result in product contamination by spoilage organisms or by pathogens and lead to illness if consumed.

3. PRODUCTION DATES/IDENTIFYING CODES:

UPC code 4800000262,

Best By Date 2/10/2014"

Product Codes 70A1E ASWAB, 70A2E ASWAB, 70A3E ASWAB, 70A4E ASWAB, 70A5E ASWAB, 70AEE ASWAB or 70AFE ASWAB

The UPC code (also known as bar code) is found on the side of the can and the best by date and product code are imprinted on the bottom of the can. No other codes of solid white tuna in water or any other Chicken of the Sea products are affected by this voluntary recall.

4. MANUFACTURER/DISTRIBUTOR:

Tri-Union Seafoods LLC

San Diego, CA

(619) 296-0605

5. DISTRIBUTION: Nationwide. Known Positive in Defense Commissary

Agency (DeCA).

6. REASON FOR ACTION: Due to a production error, the product does not meet the company's standards for seal tightness.

7. INSTRUCTIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR MESSAGE RECIPIENTS:

a. Immediately inventory stocks to identify the above items and secure in a "Medical Hold" status to provide assurance of no further issue/sale/use. POSITIVE FINDINGS should be reported to Accountable Officers/Vendor Representatives of that facility. Accountable Officer/Agency representatives/Buyers/Contracting Officers should seek refund/credit/replacement through the normal distribution channel with which the product was received (i.e. Distribution Centers, Prime Vendors, or Manufacturers).

b. Ships at sea are authorized to destroy or dispose of recalled products at their discretion. Documentation for the number of pounds and cases, and any additional pertinent information must be signed by the Accountable Officer and is required for the purpose of recouping to the government the cost of the product involved. In order to get credit please use a SF 364 and forward to your supporting FISC and copy furnished to NAVSUP 51. Your supporting FISC should forward to the account manager at DSCP. The form should include the number of the recall authorizing the survey action. Home ported ships/galleys will utilize DD form 1149 to transfer w/ reimbursement to the PV. The PV will submit credit invoice to the account manager at DSCP.

c. DSCP Subsistence Prime Vendors must report POSITIVE and NEGATIVE RESPONSES directly to the their DSCP Contracting Officer with a courtesy copy to the Consumer Safety Officer (dscpconssafofc@dla.mil).

d. DeCA, AAFES, MWR, VA, MCCS, or other non-DSCP agencies SHOULD NOT respond to DSCP Consumer Safety Officer. These agencies should report POSITIVE and NEGATIVE responses in accordance with their agency recall policies.

e. When corresponding with DSCP concerning this message please include this message's subject in your subject line.

8. The Point of Contact for this ALFOODACT message is CW3 Porter C. Burnett, DSCP Command Liaison Officer at DSCP-FTW. VOICE, DSN: 444-2922, Commercial (215) 737-2922, or by FAX, DSN: 444-7526, or Commercial, (215) 737-7526, email dscpconssafofc@dla.mil.

9. Individuals or groups that would like to receive recall messages electronically can forward their email address to dscpconssafofc@dla.mil, with "add to list" in the subject line. To be removed from the list place "remove from list" in the subject line.

10. Previous recalls and frequently asked questions are available at the following web site:

<https://www.dscp.dla.mil/subs/fso/alfood/alfood.asp>. The navigation tool to the left allows you to also view DSCP Alerts and Archived Vendor Recalls.