



Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Recall Alert

The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services has received the following recall notice. We are working with the manufacturer to determine if this product was distributed in Missouri. We will continue to update this notice with new information.

ORIGINAL RELEASE----

Artisan Confections Recalls *Dagoba new moon*TM Rich Dark Chocolate 74% Cacao 0.32-Ounce Squares Due to Possible Health Risk

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE -ASHLAND, ORE., November 23, 2010- Artisan Confections Company is voluntarily recalling a limited quantity of its *Dagoba Organic Chocolate new moon* Rich Dark Chocolate 74% cacao 0.32 ounce squares because they may contain *Salmonella*. No other sizes or *Dagoba* items are involved in this recall.

The recall involves 33 cases of 0.32 oz squares that were sold nationwide online and through natural/specialty food retail outlets after October 27, 2010. The only affected products were sold from display boxes labeled with the code 37HLB11, UPC 10474-55509. There have been no consumer complaints or reports of illness associated with this product.

Food contaminated with *Salmonella* may not look or smell spoiled. Consumption of a food contaminated with *Salmonella* may cause symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, vomiting, nausea, abdominal pain, and diarrhea. Long-term complications may include severe arthritis. These symptoms could be serious and life-threatening in young children, the elderly and people with weakened immune systems.

The item was produced at a third-party manufacturer. The recall was initiated after quality checks indicated the presence of salmonella in a single sample.

Consumers who have purchased the item in question should contact Artisan Confections Consumer Relations at 866-608-6944. (9 a.m to 4 p.m. EST)

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