

Food and Drug Administration Silver Spring MD 20993

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## Dear Petitioner:

Your submission requesting that the Commissioner of Food and Drug make changes to an existing Guidance for Industry requirement by amending the regulation in this way: "10. How are Spices, natural flavors or artificial flavors declared in ingredients lists? *Answer:* These may be declared in ingredient lists by using either specific common or scientific names. All products or ingredients of products that are spices or spice blends, flavors or colors must list each ingredient by scientific name. INGREDIENTS: Apple Slices, Water, Cane Syrup, Corn Syrup, Modified Corn Starch, Spices, Salt, Ascorbic Acid, and Acesulfame K" FD&C Act 403(i)(2) and 212 CFR 101.22(h)(1).

This petition was received and processed under CFR 10.30 by this office on 02/16/2022. It was assigned docket number FDA-2022-P-0195. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Also, note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter and in no way reflects the agency's decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

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