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Re: Docket FDA-2019-P-2142

Dear Dr. Flickinger:

This letter is in response to your citizen petition (FDA-2019-P-2142) received on May 2, 2019, in which you requested that the Food and Drug Administration amend 21 CFR § 101.9, Nutrition Labeling of Food, to indicate the energy value for the fiber component of Fibersol resistant maltodextrin to be 0.7 calories per gram as the basis for determining its contribution to the caloric content of foods and supplements.

In accordance with Title 21 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, section 21 CFR 10.30(e)(2), this letter is to advise you that we have not been able to reach a decision on your petition within the first 180 days of its receipt because of competing agency priorities and the limited availability of resources.

When we complete our review of your petition, we will consider whether to amend 21 CFR 101.9(c)(1)(i)(c) to indicate 0.7 calories per gram as the energy value for determining the contribution of the fiber component of Fibersol resistant maltodextrin to the caloric content of foods and supplements.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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