

June 13, 2023

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Re: Docket No. FDA-2022-P-3257

Dear Ms. Hernandez:

This refers to your citizen petition received and filed on December 19, 2023, under docket number FDA-2022-P-3257, requesting that the Commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration to revoke authorized use of PFAS in pet food packaging.

The purpose of this response is to advise you, in accordance with 21 CFR 10.30(e)(2), that we have not reached a decision on your petition within the first 180 days due to competing agency priorities. However, be advised that your petition is currently under active evaluation by our staff.

We will contact you again when our review has been completed, at which time we will inform you of the actions, if any, the Agency decides are appropriate in response to your petition. In the interim, you and other interested parties may continue to submit additional supplemental materials for Agency consideration to the docket number referenced above.

Sincerely,

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