Company Announcement Date: September 19, 2023 FDA Publish Date: September 19, 2023 Product Type: Food & Beverages Reason for Announcement: Undeclared peanuts Company Name: David's Cookies Brand Name: Marketside Product Description:

Chocolate Cake

## **Company Announcement**

David's Cookies is recalling 960 units of **"Marketside Chocolate Chip Explosion Cake"** lot # BS23212 that has been **sold in <u>Walmart retail stores across the country.</u>** 

This recall is due to that the 960 units of "**Marketside Ultimate Peanut Butter Chocolate Cake**" ware mislabeled with a label as "**Marketside Chocolate Chip Explosion Cake**" a name that does not depict peanut as a key ingredient and does not declare the peanut allergen warning on the label.

The product is in a 7-ounce, clear plastic package marked with lot # BS23212 on the top of the package. Photo below:

No illnesses or injuries have been reported to date in connection with this mislabel. If there are any consumers with concerns about illness or injury associated with this product, please contact a physician immediately.

Subsequent investigation indicates the problem was caused at the labeling & packaging stage.

In coordination with Walmart, they have blocked all **Marketside Ultimate Peanut Butter Chocolate Cake** and **Marketside Chocolate Chip Explosion Cake** from their distribution centers and store registers, so no consumer is able to purchase either of these products until further investigation and resolutions have been completed by David's Cookies and Walmart.

Consumers who have purchased the 7.9 oz **Marketside Chocolate Chip Explosion Cake**, lot # BS23212, are urged to return them to the location of purchase for a full refund. Consumers with questions may contact David's Cookies at 800-500-2800. Business hours are from 8:30 am to 5:00 am, DST Eastern time zone.

The Walmart distribution center distributing the mislabeled product has been identified and David's Cookies and Walmart will continue to work to correct the situation and prevent further shipments to stores.

https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts/allergen-alert-undeclared-peanuts-cake?utm\_medium=email&utm\_source=govdelivery

\* We believe that none of the product being recalled were processed or offered through the national office

\* We strongly encourage you to notify your agencies within one business day from receipt of this notice.

\* ALL cased and uncased inventories, both at the member level and agency level, need to be checked. This product may have entered member and agency warehouses through salvage, local donations, TEFAP, local purchases, retail pickups, food drives, or other avenues.

\* For additional local details, please contact the Health Department(s) for the area(s) your food bank serves.

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The national office strongly encourages all member product solicitors, operations managers, and others involved in food and grocery distribution to regularly consult resources provided by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) at <a href="http://www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.html">http://www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.html</a>, and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) at <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Fsis\_Recalls/index.asp">http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Fsis\_Recalls/index.asp</a>. Additionally, members can often receive information on national, state, and local recalls by contacting their local health departments.

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