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**Company Announcement Date:**

October 11, 2023

**FDA Publish Date:**

October 12, 2023

**Product Type:**

Food & Beverages

**Reason for Announcement:**

Undeclared sesame - Allergen

**Company Name:**

Betty Lou's Inc.

**Brand Name:**

Stabilize

**Product Description:**

Dark Chocolate Peanut Butter nutrition bar

## Company Announcement

**October 11th, 2023, Betty Lou's Inc., McMinnville, OR** is voluntarily recalling 1.76oz (50g) packages of Stabilize Dark Chocolate Peanut Butter, BB 05APR24 0053, due to undeclared sesame allergen. People who have an allergy or severe sensitivity to sesame run the risk of serious or life-threatening allergic reaction if they consume this product.

**The recalled product was shipped to retail stores, distribution companies,** or directly to consumers through Betty Lou's website in **AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, IA, ID, IL, KY, MA, MI, MT, NV, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, TN, TX, WA, WI, and WY.**

Stabilize Dark Chocolate Peanut Butter bars are packaged and sold individually in 1.76oz (50g) packages, with UPC 0 16073 00213 1, or packaged into 12ct displays box with **UPC 0 16073 00223 0.**

Individual packages (1.76oz) are marked with best by date and lot number on the inside of the fin seal on the back of the package or printed on the back of the display box. Packages with BB 05APR24 0053 are affected in this recall.

No other products or lots are affected by this recall. No reports of illnesses or injury have been reported to date.

The recall was initiated after it was discovered through an internal Betty Lou's Inc labeling review and found that a natural peanut flavoring containing sesame oil, but sesame is not declared on label. This recall is being made with the knowledge of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Customers with a sesame allergy or sensitivity who have purchased the affected product, are urged not to consume the product, and dispose of it or return it to their place of purchase for a full refund. Consumers with questions may contact Betty Lou's Inc. at 503-434-5205 from 8:00 am-5:00 pm PST, Monday-Friday.

[https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts/betty-lous-inc-issues-allergy-alert-undeclared-sesame-stabilize-dark-chocolate-peanut-butter?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=govdelivery](https://www.fda.gov/safety/recalls-market-withdrawals-safety-alerts/betty-lous-inc-issues-allergy-alert-undeclared-sesame-stabilize-dark-chocolate-peanut-butter?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery)

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\* 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 <http://www.fda.gov/opacom/7alerts.html>, and the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) at [http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Fsis\\_Recalls/index.asp](http://www.fsis.usda.gov/Fsis_Recalls/index.asp). Additionally, members can often receive information on national, state, and local recalls by contacting their local health departments.

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