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Reckitt Recalls Two Batches of Prosobee 12.9 oz Simply Plant-Based Infant Formula Because of Possible Health Risk

The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) would like to inform the public regarding the voluntary recall published by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) of two (2) select batches of ProSobee 12.9 oz. Simply Plant-Based Infant Formula by Reckitt, a producer of nutrition products. The infant formula is being recalled because of a possible cross-contamination with *Cronobacter sakazakii*, which can cause severe, life-threatening infections (sepsis) or meningitis (an inflammation of the membranes that protect the brain and spine). Symptoms of sepsis and meningitis may include poor feeding, irritability, temperature changes, jaundice (yellow skin and whites of the eyes), grunting breaths, and abnormal movements.

ProSobee Simply Plant-Based Infant Formula in 12.9 oz containers was manufactured between August 2022 and September 2022. The products were distributed through retail stores nationwide in the U.S., Guam, and Puerto Rico. The batches that are being recalled can be identified by the product batch code of ZL2HZF and ZL2HZZ both with a UPC Code of 300871214415 and a "Use By Date" of "1 Mar 2024."

The Division of Environmental Health (DEH), through recall effectiveness checks, has determined that the recalled products were distributed, sold, and consumed on the island. To date, Ambros Inc. has confirmed they distributed the two (2) recalled batches of Enfamil Prosobee 12.9 oz. Simply Plant-Based Infant Formula to 43 retail stores on Guam. Ambros Inc. immediately took action to pull remaining quantities of the affected products from these stores and is arranging for return of the recalled products to the manufacturer.

Consumers who have purchased the items mentioned above are urged not to consume and to discard the product, or return to the place of purchase. Any questions regarding this recall may call the following number 1-800-479-0551 or send an email to consumer.relations@rb.com.

To date, DPHSS has not received any local report of illnesses associated with the use of these potentially affected products. DEH will continue to conduct its recall effectiveness check

activities and will update the public as more information is obtained. Anyone concerned about a reaction should contact their healthcare provider.

For more information or inquiries, please contact DEH's Consumer Commodities Program at 671-300-9579.

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