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## **Morrison Meat Packers- Undeclared Peanut Allergen Class 1 Recall**

**At a Glance:** Morrison Meat Packers, a Miami, FL establishment, is issuing a Class I Recall on roast pork whole muscle (lot codes 002, 008, 022, 356) and boneless cooked pork roast (lot codes 008, 356, 363) due to an undeclared peanut allergen. Morrison Meat Packers was notified by their supplier, Newly Weds Foods, Inc, that the ground cumin in the two products was tested positive for peanut allergen. The products are under the El Toro Brand with USDA Plant #17882.

**The Issue:** Food allergy symptoms typically appear anywhere from minutes to two hours after a person has consumed the food they are allergic to. Allergic reactions can include hives, flushed skin or rash, tingling or itchy sensation in mouth, face, tongue or lip, swelling, vomiting and/or diarrhea, abdominal cramps, coughing, wheezing, difficulty breathing, dizziness, lightheadedness, swelling of the throat and/or vocal cords, difficulty breathing, drop in blood pressure, and migraine headache. In severe cases, anaphylactic shock can occur.

**Am I Impacted?** US Foods' number one priority is to notify any customer impacted by a recall. The recalled product was shipped to four US Foods divisions and all affected customers have been contacted. If you purchased products elsewhere, use the information above to check with your supplier.

### **What You Can Do:**

- Avoid eating or serving any recalled products
- Do not use any of these products as ingredients in recipes, even if cooked.
- Follow instructions to discard or return recalled product
- Discard recalled products in a manner that prevents others from eating them
- Persons who think they may have become ill with a food-borne illness should consult their health care providers
- Review your own internal recall procedures- does your staff know what to do if they receive notice that a product is being recalled? Typically only specific lot codes are affected.
- Purchase all of your supplies from a company with a robust recall program that can keep you aware of recall and food safety issues
- Help us serve you better. Provide your distribution center with a valid email address so we may provide you with recall information faster.

### **US Foods Policy:**

This *Fast Facts* is based on the best available information when written. Recalls can be expanded or impact additional product as additional suppliers verify their own supply chains. An updated Fast Facts will be provided as new information becomes available. US Foods will only contact customers IF they purchased recalled products from us.