



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

RE: SIGA LOGISTICS VOLUNTARY RECALL OF LIMITED QUANTITY OF FRESH BASIL

JULY 25, 2019 MIAMI, FL – Today, FDA announced it had identified fresh basil imported by Siga Logistics in Morelos, Mexico, as the likely cause of a multi-state outbreak involving *Cylcoospora*. In its advisory, FDA strongly advises importers, suppliers, and distributors, as well as restaurants, retailers, and other food service providers to not sell, serve or distribute fresh basil exported by Siga Logistics de RL de CV located in Morelos, Mexico.

We have been in contact with Siga Logistics and have been told FDA is only asking them to recall product that they have exported within the past 7 days.

Siga Logistics is a supplier of conventional fresh herbs to Harvest Sensations. Harvest Sensations did not receive any product from Siga Logistics related to this voluntary recall. Harvest Sensations has removed Siga Logistics from its active suppliers list as a part of this incident. Harvest Sensations will not resume supply from Siga Logistics until the appropriate corrective actions are taken and verified by an independent 3rd party to ensure the safety of their products. Harvest Sensations Los Angeles has never received or shipped any products from Siga Logistics.

Based on the information we have received to date, we have no reason to believe any fresh basil that we may have imported previously by Siga Logistics will be covered by the recall. We are in communication with Siga Logistics and keep you apprised of any new developments.

At Harvest Sensations, each of our associates is committed to ensure we only source and sell safe and delicious ingredients that we can call Sensationally Fresh®. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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