

## Republic of the Philippines Department of Health FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION



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TO:

THE GENERAL PUBLIC

SUBJECT:

<u>Public Health Warning Against the Purchase and Consumption of</u> the following <u>Unregistered Food Supplements:</u>

- 1. JEUNESSE MIND DIETARY SUPPLEMENT
- 2. <u>NATURE'S BRANCH ADVANCED BRAIN BOOSTER+</u> <u>DIETARY SUPPLEMENT</u>
- 3. PURE-D PUERARIA MIRIFICA AINTEROL SUPPLEMENT
- 4. SWEET DREAMS FOOD SUPPLEMENT
- 5. PRIME LABS ANTI-ANXIETY DIETARY SUPPLEMENT
- 6. <u>MYCOBOTANICALS STRESS DECOMPRESS DIETARY</u> <u>SUPPLEMENT</u>

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) warns the public from purchasing and consumption of the following unregistered food supplements:

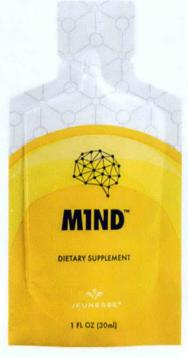


Figure 1. Unregistered JEUNESSE MIND
Dietary Supplement

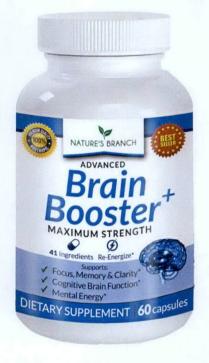


Figure 2. Unregistered NATURE'S BRANCH Advanced Brain Booster+ Dietary Supplement

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Figure 3. Unregistered PURE-D Pueraria Mirifica AINTEROL Supplements



Figure 4. Unregistered SWEET DREAMS Food Supplement

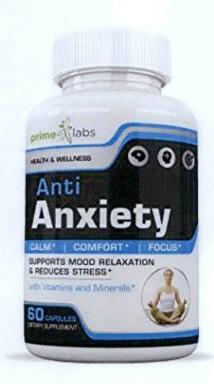


Figure 5. Unregistered PRIME LABS
Anti Anxiety Dietary Supplement



Figure 6. Unregistered MYCOBOTANICALS Stress Decompress Dietary Supplement

The FDA verified through post-marketing surveillance that the abovementioned food supplements are not registered and the Certificate of Product Registration (CPR) have not yet been issued. Pursuant to the Republic Act No. 9711, otherwise known as the "Food and Drug Administration Act of 2009", the manufacture, importation, exportation, sale, offering for sale, distribution, transfer, non-consumer use, promotion, advertising or sponsorship of health products without the proper authorization is prohibited.

Since these unregistered food supplements have not gone through evaluation process of the FDA, the agency cannot guarantee their quality and safety. The consumption of such violative products may pose health risk to consumers.

In light of the foregoing, the public is advised not to purchase violative products in the market. Moreover, the public is advised to always check if a food product is registered with the FDA. The FDA website (www.fda.gov.ph) has a Search feature which may be used by typing in the name of the product before purchasing.

All concerned establishments are warned not to distribute violative food supplements until they have been issued the appropriate authorization, a License to Operate (LTO) for the establishment, and a CPR for the food supplement.

All FDA Field Officers and Regulatory Enforcement Unit (REU) in coordination with the law enforcement agencies and Local Government Units (LGUs) are requested to ensure that violative products are not sold or made available in their localities or areas of jurisdiction.

Kindly contact the FDA Center for Food Regulation and Research through email at <a href="mailto:cfrr@fda.gov.ph">cfrr@fda.gov.ph</a> or call (02)857-1900 loc. 8115 and 8112.

To report any sale or distribution of unregistered food supplement, the online reporting facility, **eReport** can be accessed at **www.fda.gov.ph/ereport**.

Dissemination of this advisory to all concerned is hereby requested.

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