# Nestle USA Initiates Voluntary Recall Of Nestle® Drumstick® Club 16 Count Variety and 24 Count Vanilla Pack Due to Possible Health Risk

# For Immediate Release

October 7, 2016

# **Consumers Contact**

Customer Service 1-800-681-1676

### Announcement

Glendale, CA - Nestle USA, Inc. is initiating a voluntary recall of its Nestle Drumstick Club 16 count Variety Pack and 24 count Vanilla Pack (with cones marked for easy individual sale) due to a possible health risk. The two pack sizes contain 4.6 fl.oz. cones and were manufactured in Bakersfield, Calif. and distributed nationally. No other production codes, sizes or varieties of Nestle Drumstick products are affected by this recall.

The company received positive test results for *Listeria monocytogenes (LM)* from equipment contact surfaces from a location on the production line where these products are made. There have been no positive test results for LM present in the Drumstick cones themselves. The products impacted by the voluntary recall were put into distribution inadvertently. No illnesses have been reported to date; the company is initiating this recall as a precautionary action to avoid any potential for consumer illness.

Listeria monocytogenescan cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Although healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain and diarrhea, Listeria infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

The Nestle recall is limited to the Drumstick Club 16 Count Variety Pack and 24 count Vanilla Pack, made at the company's Bakersfield, Calif. ice cream production facility. The product identification codes can be found on the back of the packages and on the individually marked vanilla cones from the 24 count pack. The two packs being recalled carry distinct UPC codes, as well as a "best before" date and production code

Description	Production Code	UPC	Best Before Date
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Consumers who may have purchased the product listed above should not consume it, but instead should return it to the place of purchase or contact Nestle Consumer Services for replacement. Please call or text 1-800-681-1676 or email <a href="Mestleproductinquiry@casupport.com">Nestleproductinquiry@casupport.com</a> (mailto:Nestleproductinquiry@casupport.com); representatives are available 24/7. News about this recall also can be found on Nestleusa.com and Drumstick.com.

The quality and safety of Nestle products remain our number one priority. We apologize for any inconvenience this action represents for both our consumers and retail customers.

# **Product Photos**







# Nestlé USA



800 NORTH BRAND BLVD. GLENDALE, CA 91203

Nestléusa com

October 7, 2016

Dear Costco Member,

Nestlé USA, Inc. initiated a voluntary recall involving Nestlé® Drumstick® Club 16 count Variety Pack, with Case UPC of **72554-11096**.

The pack size contains 4.6 fl.oz. cones that were manufactured in Bakersfield, CA and distributed nationally. No other production codes, sizes or varieties of Nestlé Drumstick products are affected by this recall.

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Front of package (16-pack)



Location of Production Code and Best Before Date



If you still have the item in your freezer, please do not consume it, but return it to Costco or contact Nestlé Consumer Services for replacement. Please call or text **1-800-681-1676** or email <a href="mailto:nestleproductinquiry@casupport.com">nestleproductinquiry@casupport.com</a>; representatives are available 24/7. More information about this recall can be found on Nestleusa.com and Drumstick.com.

The quality and safety of Nestlé products remain our number one priority. We apologize for any inconvenience this action represents. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Nestlé USA