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NATURE'S TOUCH FROZEN FOODS VOLUNTARILY RECALLS NATURE'S TOUCH FROZEN ORGANIC FINE WHOLE GREEN BEANS BECAUSE OF POSSIBLE HEALTH RISK


Nature's Touch Frozen Foods LLC. of Front Royal, Virginia is voluntarily recalling one product, Nature's Touch Frozen Organic Fine Whole Green Beans, due to potential contamination with *Listeria monocytogenes*.

Nature's Touch is issuing this voluntary recall after a routine sampling program by the Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection found one positive result of *Listeria monocytogenes* in one retail bag of the product. Nature's Touch has immediately ceased the production and distribution of this product and is working in full collaboration with the FDA on this recall.

Nature's Touch Frozen Organic Fine Whole Green Beans were distributed through three retailers in the following states: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont and Virginia. All affected retailers have been contacted to ensure that the recalled product is removed from store shelves. Other products of Nature's Touch Frozen Foods LLC. are not affected.

Listeria monocytogenes is an organism that may 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.

To date, there have been no reported illnesses associated with the product that is the subject of this recall:

Brand	Product	Size	UPC	Best Before Dates
Nature's Touch 	Organic Fine Whole Green Beans	10 oz (283g)	8 73668 00141 8	2017 JUN 04 to 2019 JUN 21

Consumers who have purchased Nature's Touch Frozen Organic Fine Whole Green Beans are urged to discard it or return it to the place of purchase for a full refund. The Nature's Touch Consumer Service Team will be available to answer any questions Monday to Friday from 9AM to 5 PM EST by phone at: 1-877-850-2664 or by email at: info@naturestouch.ca.

At Nature's Touch, our passion is finding the highest-quality frozen foods for our consumers and we are deeply committed to food safety at every production stage. This voluntary recall reflects our dedication to ensuring the safety of our consumers while enjoying our products.