



Steve Troxler
Commissioner

North Carolina Department of Agriculture
and Consumer Services
Meat and Poultry Inspection Division

W. Alan Wade
State Director

October 13, 2014

CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Willie Wilson
159 White Oak Drive
Roxboro, North Carolina 27573

NOTICE OF WARNING

We have an investigative case report showing that you violated the North Carolina Compulsory Meat Inspection Law. This reported violation was discussed with you on September 08, 2014. Specifically, our investigation revealed that you had processed, stored, transported, offered for sale, and/or sold chili with ground beef, which did not contain State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) marks of inspection or required labeling to a retail facility (Cash Store). In a signed statement dated September 08, 2014, you stated you have processed, stored, transported, offered for sale, and/or sold chili with ground beef which did not contain the State (N.C.D.A.) or Federal (U.S.D.A.) mark of inspection or required labeling for the sole purpose of resale to the general public for the past seven years.

Please be advised that the sale of misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products is a violation of the North Carolina General Statute (N.C.G.S.) §106-549.23 with civil and/or criminal penalties. Please be advised that you will not receive any further warning with regard to this violation. If you should continue to sell misbranded and/or non-inspected meat products, we will pursue legal action against you to invoke the penalties associated with these continued violations. I certainly hope this expensive action will not be necessary. An officer from this department will visit you periodically to verify compliance.

Sincerely,

W. Alan Wade
State Director

cc: Mr. Barry Bloch, Assistant Attorney General
Mr. Joe Reardon, Assistant Commissioner
Ms. Tina Hlabse, General Counsel