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Applegate Organics Recalls Organic Chicken Sausage Due to Possible Presence of Plastic Fragments

(JUNEAU, AK) – After receiving a small number of complaints, Schmalz's European Provisions is recalling Applegate Organic Chicken and Apple Sausage that may contain small pieces of plastic.

The following product is being recalled:

Product	Weight	USDA Mark of Inspection	Use or Freeze By
Applegate Chicken and Apple Sausage	12 oz Vacuum Package	P-5411	03/17/13

The product was produced on January 24, 2013 and was available in Alaska. To date, there have been three complaints nationwide but no reports of illness or adverse effects in Alaska.

Consumers and media with questions about the recall should contact Gina Asoudegan, Public Affairs Specialist or Gerry Clarkson, Consumer Affairs Specialist at (800) 587-5858.

For more information on this recall, visit:

http://www.fsis.usda.gov/News_&_Events/Recall_018_2013_Release/index.asp#label.

For more information on recalls affecting Alaskans, visit DEC's website:

<http://www.dec.alaska.gov/eh/fss/recallsalerts.html>.



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