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TO: Health Commissioners, Directors of Environmental Health and Interested Parties

RE: Recall Announcement (ODA/ODH) 2020-006

**Lipari Foods Issues Recall of Various Wedge Deli Sandwiches Due to Potential Contamination of *Listeria monocytogenes***

Lipari Foods has issued a voluntary recall of various Premo and Fresh Grab wedge sandwiches due to potential contamination of *Listeria monocytogenes*. *Listeria monocytogenes* is an organism, which can 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 product was distributed exclusively by Lipari Foods in Warren, Michigan to food service and retail stores throughout Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, West Virginia, and Wisconsin.

The affected product can be identified by:

Brand	Product	Lipari #	Size	Best By Date	Lot #	UPC
Premo	Wedge Ham & Cheese On Wheat	915509	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002001
Premo	Wedge Egg Salad On Wheat	915523	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002025
Premo	Wedge Chicken Salad On Wheat	915530	5 oz.	1/20/2020	31201912	612510002032
Premo	Wedge Tuna Salad On Wheat	915579	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002049
Fresh Grab	Wedge Ham/American On Wheat	252646	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002001
Fresh Grab	Wedge Egg Salad On Wheat	252901	5 oz.	1/20/2020, 1/23/2020	31201912	612510002025
Fresh Grab	Wedge Chicken Salad On Wheat	253377	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002032
Fresh Grab	Wedge Tuna Salad On Wheat	282022	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002049

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Fresh Grab	Wedge Turkey No Cheese On Wheat	253445	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510002100
Fresh Grab	Wedge Ham/American On White	253479	5 oz.	1/23/2020	31201912	612510093962

This was brought to our attention by JLM Manufacturing after environmental sampling returned a positive test result for *Listeria monocytogenes*. No illnesses have been reported to date in relation to these products or recall.

Lipari Foods began shipping this product on December 31, 2019.

Consumers who have purchased these recalled products should not consume them. Consumers should discard the products or return them to the point of purchase. Consumers with questions should call Customer Service at 800- 729-3354, 8:15 am – 4:30 pm, EST, Monday through Friday.