

27 February 2009 - PUBLIC NOTICE



## Important - to buyers of Bounce Balls

### Notice of Voluntary Product Recall of Bounce Premium Protein Balls (ONLY) Possible health risk



This Notice from Bounce Snack Foods (UK) Limited (BSFUK) is a Voluntary Recall of **all** Bounce Premium Protein Balls. This letter **replaces** our Precautionary Recall Notice dated 17 February 2009, which recalled certain batches of this flavour.

**The other four Bounce ball flavours are NOT affected in any way.**

This is a voluntary recall, made by BSFUK in common with hundreds of other suppliers of thousands of peanut-based food products. It follows confirmation from our manufacturer that there is a risk that some peanut granules (provided to our manufacturer by one independent US supplier, and used in the production of Bounce Premium Protein Balls) may be contaminated with *Salmonella typhimurium*.

**No illness in connection with any product made by our manufacturer has been reported, either in the USA or anywhere else in the world. Certificated independent tests routinely carried out on the peanut granules used, even in the product now being recalled, have found no trace of any contamination.**

- This voluntary recall applies **only to Bounce Premium Protein Balls**.
- **Consumers should not be unduly alarmed**, but are advised not to eat any products containing peanuts which have been recalled. If you think you have become ill after eating any food product containing peanuts, you should consult your doctor or other health care provider without delay.
- **The recall does NOT affect** Bounce Spirulina Ginseng Balls, Bounce Almond Protein Balls, Bounce Cashew & Pecan Balls or Bounce Fudgie Walnut Balls.

#### **Until Bounce Premium Protein Balls are available again, what should I choose?**

Consumers who want an alternative source of protein should find Bounce Almond Protein Balls a good substitute. New stocks of Bounce Premium Protein Balls containing peanut granules from a completely different source will be distributed to retailers from 17 March 2009.

#### **Refunds**

Consumers who purchased Bounce Premium Protein Balls here should return them or their wrapper(s) to receive a full cash refund.

#### **Further information**

Consumers with questions should ask your retailer, or contact Bounce direct on 01483 549600 or by e-mail to: [info@bouncefoods.com](mailto:info@bouncefoods.com)