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Dan Dotson & Associates, Inc.
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RE: ROBERT C. LEHRMAN, PLLC

Dear Industry Member:

This is in regard to your list of ingredients and method of manufacture, **Pre-import Number 04050-000-000229** for “KUBLER EXTRAIT D’ABSINTHE” submitted to this office for Pre-import Approval.

This product is classified as a **DISTILLED SPIRIT SPECIALTY** and as such requires a fanciful name along with a truthful and adequate statement of composition such as “**GRAIN NEUTRAL SPIRITS WITH HERBS AND SPICES**”.

The use of the brand name ABSINTHE is illegal for consumption in the United States. Please submit the labels for informal review to the Alcohol, Labeling and Formulation Division prior to printing.

This Pre-import approval letter may be used for the importation of this product until **March 18, 2009**. If you wish to continue importation of this product after that date you are required to apply for a new Pre-import approval letter in one of the following ways:

- A) **If the product is made in the exact same manner**, submit the list of ingredients and method of manufacture to the Advertising Labeling and Formulation Division, together with a statement on the foreign producer’s letterhead, signed and dated by an officer of the producing company which states that the product is previously produced and approved under **Pre-import Number 04050-000-000229**.
- B) **If the product is NOT made in the same manner**, submit the list of ingredients and method of manufacture on the foreign producer’s letterhead. The documentation must be signed and dated by an officer of the producing company.