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FOIA REQUEST

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USDA, Food Safety and Inspection Service
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Dear FOIA Officer:

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, I request copies of any inspection reports, violation notices, warning letters, correspondence or reports following up on warning letters and all other documents dated between January 1992 and the present concerning SCIS Food Services Inc., a Home Meal Replacement company headquartered in Wheeling, IL (formerly headquartered in Arlington, TX) with manufacturing facilities in the United States and Mexico, as well as any and all companies recently acquired by SCIS Food Services Inc., including Orval Kent Food Company and its subsidiaries Mrs. Crockett's Kitchens and Mrs. Giles Country Kitchens (based in Wheeling, IL), Pennant Foods Company and its subsidiary Leon's Bakery (based in Lisle, IL), La Francaise Bakery (based in Northlake, IL), I&K Distributors (based in Delphos, OH), Ozark Salad Company (based in Baxter Springs, KS), and Landau Foods (based in Lakewood, NJ).

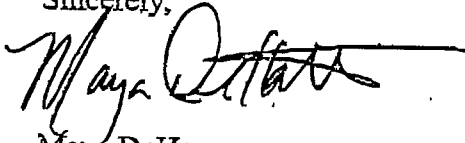
As required by the statute, I will expect your response within twenty (20) business days. I agree to pay any reasonable copying and postage fees; if more than \$200, please notify me of the exact amount prior to fulfilling my request.

If you deem any of the requested documents to be confidential, please provide a written explanation referencing the specific statutory exemption(s) on which you rely, and tell me to whom I may appeal.

Please direct all communications to: Maya DeHart, 243 Golden Gate Ave., San Francisco, CA 94102; Phone: (415) 626-1778; Facsimile: (415) 626-1732; Email: mayadehart@aol.com.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



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