

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20852

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Honorable Gaylord Nelson Chairman, Monopoly Subcommittee Select Committee on Small Business United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Nelson:

Thank you for your April 1 letter to Commissioner Schmidt requesting information concerning certain criminal cases involving false advertising charges forwarded to the Department of Justice by the Food and Drug Administration which that Department has decided not

We have begun a review of our files to assemble the information you requested and will supply you with an answer in the near future.

If we can be of any assistance in any other way, please let us

Sincerely yours,

Robert C. Wetherell, Jr., Director Office of Legislative Services