



ROBERT ABADY DOG AND CAT FOOD CORPORATION
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Dear Abady Users,

After so many years of making frozen foods we have to give you the bad news that we have voluntarily recalled two of our limited specialty products:

1. Abady Frozen High Stress/High Performance Dog Food 3lbs
2. Abady Frozen Growth Formula for Puppies of the Large & Giant Breed 3lbs.

The decision was made due to a positive salmonella test by the FDA. At this time we are removing the products from the market place.

Our first priority is to produce foods with great care and keeping in mind the safety of pets and their owners. We have many safety measures in place, and continually search for the best technologies and procedures to ensure product safety.

When handling these raw frozen pet foods please make sure to wash hands thoroughly after handling the product

Please contact us at 845-473-1900 or 877-99ABADY with any question that you have.

Thank You
The Robert Abady Dog And Cat Food Company

The Robert Abady Dog Food Company Inc. Issues Recall of Frozen Pet Foods Due to Salmonella contamination

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The Robert Abady Dog Food Company Inc. of Poughkeepsie, NY is voluntarily recalling Abady Frozen High Stress/High Performance Dog Food 3lbs and Abady Frozen Growth Formula for Puppies of the Large & Giant Breeds 3lbs. pet food because it may be contaminated with Salmonella.

Salmonella can affect animals eating the products and there is risk to humans from handling contaminated pet products, especially if they have not thoroughly washed their hands after having contact with the products or any surfaces exposed to these products.

Healthy people infected with *Salmonella* should monitor themselves for some or all of the following symptoms: nausea, vomiting, diarrhea or bloody diarrhea, abdominal cramping and fever. Rarely, *Salmonella* can result in more serious ailments, including arterial infections, endocarditis, arthritis, muscle pain, eye irritation, and urinary tract symptoms. Consumers exhibiting these signs after having contact with this product should contact their healthcare providers.

Pets with *Salmonella* infections may be lethargic and have diarrhea or bloody diarrhea, fever, and vomiting. Some pets will have only decreased appetite, fever and abdominal pain. Infected but otherwise healthy pets can be carriers and infect other animals or humans. If your pet has consumed the recalled product and has these symptoms, please contact your veterinarian.

The recalled *Abady Frozen High Stress/High Performance Dog Food 3lbs and Abady Frozen Growth Formula for Puppies of the Large & Giant Breeds 3lbs.* were packaged in uncoded frozen 3lbs chubs. The product was distributed through retail stores and kennels in Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Massachusetts.

The recall was initiated after routine sampling by New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets inspectors and subsequent analysis of the product by Food Laboratory personnel found the product to be positive for *Salmonella*. *There have been no reports of pet or human illness associated with this product.*

Consumers who have purchased the affected products should discard them or return them to the place of purchase.

Consumers with questions may contact The Robert Abady Dog Food Company at 845-473-1900 or 1-877-99ABADY.