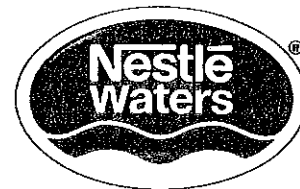


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John J. HARRIS
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Dear Mr Bode,

I would like to thank you for your letter sent to Mr Bulcke on May 28, 2009.

The safety of our consumers is our number one concern: San Pellegrino and Perrier are obviously perfectly safe to drink and fully comply with relevant local and international regulations, such as those set by the World Health Organisation (WHO). We accordingly adapt our practices and policies to official changes in these regulations. Our products are subject to world class quality controls and undergo multiple tests and analyses on a daily basis.

Nestlé has never marketed or advertised San Pellegrino or Perrier as suitable for infants or young children. The consumption of sparkling waters, like S. Pellegrino and Perrier, is obviously not recommended for infants and small children due to their high level of carbonisation and high mineral content. Instead, the unique properties of S. Pellegrino and Perrier appeal to older consumers with specific tastes and preferences. It is very unlikely that S. Pellegrino or Perrier would be used to prepare food or drinks for infants and young children. Traditionally, we recommend (through the use of a specific symbol) those of our products that are suitable for consumption by infants and young children.

Uranium is a naturally occurring element that is found widely in nature. As such, it can be present in very small concentrations in any type of water, be it bottled or tap. The presence of uranium in water depends on its origin, in terms of the rocks it has filtered through. Any exposure to uranium from drinking water is insignificant compared with overall exposure from natural sources in the environment.

Our products meet a rigorous set of internal, local and international guidelines in Germany and we are in line with the German industry association's position, which limits the uranium level at 2 µg/litre for water recommended as suitable for infants and young children.

Based on these facts we do not see any need for changes to our existing product labelling.

Mr Bode, please rest assured that the safety of our consumers is our number one priority. We value their trust and are committed to the responsible marketing of our products.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John J. Harris".

John J. HARRIS

Cc : Mr P. BULCKE
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