

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K
CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 13, 2002

PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

1-9273
(Commission
File Number)

5-1285071
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

110 SOUTH TEXAS STREET
PITTSBURG, TEXAS
(Address of principal executive offices)

75686-0093
(ZIP Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (903) 855-1000

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS

On October 13, 2002, Pilgrim's Pride Corporation issued a press release announcing that it has expanded a voluntary nationwide recall of cooked deli products produced at its Franconia, Pennsylvania facility from May 1, 2002 through October 11, 2002. Attached hereto as exhibits are two press releases describing the recall and the expected financial effect thereof.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits.

EXHIBIT NUMBER -----	DESCRIPTION -----
99.1 --	Press release dated October 13, 2002.
99.2 --	Press release dated October 14, 2002.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

Date: October 14, 2002

By: /s/ Richard A. Cogdill

Richard A. Cogdill
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial
Officer, Secretary and Treasurer

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WAMPLER FOODS EXPANDS VOLUNTARY NATIONWIDE RECALL OF COOKED DELI PRODUCTS

FRANCONIA, Pa., Oct. 13 /PRNewswire/ -- Wampler Foods today expanded a voluntary nationwide recall of cooked deli products produced at its Franconia, Penn., facility from May 1, 2002 through October 11, 2002. Wampler took this precautionary action immediately after learning from FSIS that environmental sampling suggested the continued presence in the plant of the strain of Listeria in the Oct. 9 recalled product. No illnesses associated with the Listeria strain in the Northeastern U.S. outbreak have been linked to any Wampler products.

"We are taking these precautionary steps because the safety and health of our consumers is our first concern," said David Van Hoose, Chief Executive Officer. "We're working diligently with the USDA and our customers to make sure any product that has not yet been consumed is removed from the marketplace and consumers' homes as quickly as possible."

The Wampler cooked deli products were sold to consumers in retail groceries, delicatessens and foodservice distributors under the Wampler Foods and select private labels. Approximately 27.4 million pounds of cooked deli product were produced and shipped during the five-month period included in the recall. A roster of specific Item Codes, Brand/Product Description and Packaging Code numbers to follow.

Consumers should return the product covered by this recall to the store or deli where they purchased it for a full refund. Consumers who have questions about the recall may call Wampler's toll-free hotline at 877-260-7110 and may visit the Wampler recall information website at www.wampler.com.

Wampler received test results from samples taken in plant floor drains at its facility that tested positive for a strain of Listeria similar to the strain identified in the recent Northeastern outbreak. This strain, according to governmental officials, while uncommon, is not uniquely identifiable to a single source. Again, no illnesses associated with the Listeria strain in the Northeastern U.S. outbreak have been linked to any Wampler products.

"In order to redouble our food safety and sanitation efforts, we immediately decided to suspend operations at the Franconia facility," Van Hoose stated. "We will validate our food safety and sanitation efforts by conducting microbial testing before shipments resume."

Wampler Foods urges consumers who have eaten the affected product and are experiencing any of the symptoms related to food-borne illness to immediately seek medical attention. Consumption of food contaminated with Listeria monocytogenes can cause listeriosis, an uncommon but potentially fatal disease. Healthy people rarely contract listeriosis, but it can cause miscarriages and stillbirths, as well as serious and sometimes fatal infections in those with weak immune systems - infants, the frail or elderly and persons with chronic disease, with HIV infection, or taking chemotherapy.

Wampler Foods(R) is a brand of poultry products marketed by Pilgrim's Pride Corporation (NYSE:CHX), a processor and marketer of poultry products.

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Product List
Oct. 13, 2002

Wampler Foods Brands

Item Code
Description
Code Date
10003
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST W/WHT
TKY Sell
by
07/22/02 -
1 DIAM
FRESH 2/9
01/02/03
10004
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST OR
AVG sell
by
07/22/02 -
2 DIAM
FRESH 2/9
01/02/03
10005
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST OR
S/L sell
by
07/22/02 -
3 DIAM
FRESH 2/9
01/02/03
10006 NO
BRAND SMK
TKY BRST
FRZ 4/9-11
mfg
04/30/02 -
01/02/03
10007 NO
BRAND TKY
BRST FRZ
4/9-11 mfg
04/30/02 -
01/02/03
10012
WAMPLER
FOODS TK
BST W/WHT
TKY ADD
mfg 1192-
2832 JULCD
1 DIA FRZ
2/9 10019
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST OILB
S/L sell
by
07/08/02 -
3 DIAM
FRESH 2/9
12/19/02
10020
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST OILB
S/L sell
by
07/08/02 -

4 DIAM
FRESH 2/5-
7 12/19/02
10021
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST OILB
S/L sell
by
07/08/02 -
5 DIAM
FRESH 2/7-
9 12/19/02
10023
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST CAJUN
FF sell by
06/24/02 -
4 DIAM
FRESH 2/6-
7 12/05/02
10091
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
HAM RND
15% FRESH
2/9 mfg
1192-2832
10100
WAMPLER
FOODS CKN
BRST OILB
FRESH 2/6-
7 sell by
07/08/02 -
12/19/02
11159
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST FF 3
DIAM FRESH
sell by
07/22/02 -
01/02/03
11180
WAMPLER
FOODS CKN
BRST PET
OILB sell
by
07/08/02 -
FRESH 3/4
12/19/02
11824
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
HAM 15%
FRZ 2/9
mfg 1192-
2832 13001
WAMPLER
FOODS GMT
CKN BRST
SL FRESH
2/9 sell
by
07/22/02 -
01/02/03
13005
WAMPLER
FOODS CKN
BRST SL
B&R FRESH
2/8 sell
by
06/24/02 -
12/05/02
14003
WAMPLER
FOODS CKN

BRST ROLL
sell by
07/08/02 -
W/RIB MEAT
FRESH 2/5
12/19/02
15102
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BOLO FRESH
4/5 sell
by
07/08/02 -
12/19/02
15103
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BOLO FRESH
2/5 sell
by
07/08/02 -
12/19/02
15104
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BOLO FRZ
2/5 - 9M
EXP mfg
1192-2832
16855
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
WHL BROWN
& ROASTED
mfg 1192-
2832 FRZ
4/12-14
16860
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST SL
12/3 sell
by
06/12/02 -
SLCD FRESH
11/22/02
16861
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST SMK
SL sell by
06/26/002
- SLCD
FRESH 12/3
12/06/02
16862
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST SL
SLCD FRZ
12/3 mfg
1202-2832
16863
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST SMK
SL mfg
1202-2832
SLCD FRZ
12/3 16864
WAMPLER
FOODS FC
SMK TKY
FRZ 4/12-
14 mfg
1192-2832
16867
WAMPLER
FOODS TKY
BRST S/O
SMK mfg

1199-2832
PAN FRZ
6/6 AVG

18503	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM SMK 12% FRESH 2/6	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
18554	WAMPLER FOODS TURKEY HAM +15% WATER	mfg 1192-2832
18558	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM FRZ 4/10	mfg 04/29/02 - 10/10/02
18559	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM FRZ 4/10	mfg 05/01/02 - 10/11/02
18560	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM SLICE N TACT 15% WA FRZ 4/5	mfg 05/01/02 - 10/11/02
18906	WAMPLER FOODS SMK TKY BRST BONELESS	mfg 1192-2832
19407	WAMPLER FOODS DELI CHEF TKY ROLL FRESH 2/9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
20091	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM RND 15% FRZ 4/10	mfg 1192-2832
20704	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM TVRN 20% WA FRZ 2/6	mfg 1192-2832
20806	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SL FRESH 12/3	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
20856	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SL FRZ 12/3	mfg 1192-2832
21019	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L SMK FRESH 12/3	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
21069	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SL SMK FRZ 12/3	mfg 1192-2832
21132	WAMPLER FOODS TKY PASTRAMI FRESH 3/4	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
21133	WAMPLER FOODS TKY PASTRAMI FRZ 3/4 JUL CODE	mfg 1192-2832
21203	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SALAMI FRESH 4/5	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
21205	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SALAMI FRESH 2/4-5	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
21206	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SALAMI FRZ 2/4-5 -- 9M EXP	prod 05/02 - 10/02 expiry 02/03 - 07/02
21207	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SALAMI FRZ 2/4-5	mfg 1192-2832
21352	WAMPLER FOODS B&R WHL TKY FULLY COOKED	Mfg 1192-2832
21357	WAMPLER FOODS TKY WHL B&R FRZ 4/10-12	Mfg 1192-2832
21567	WAMPLER FOODS TKY WHL SMK FRZ 4/10-12	Mfg 1192-2832
30105	WAMPLER FOODS TKY DRK CRD FRESH 2/7	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
30106	WAMPLER FOODS TKY DRK CRD FRZ 2/7 JUL CODE	Mfg 1192-2832
30109	WAMPLER FOODS TKY PASTRAMI FRZ 3/4	Mfg 1192-2832
30111	WAMPLER FOODS TKY PASTRAMI FRESH 3/4	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
30178	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST OVRNST W/BROTH FRESH 3/4.75	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
30183	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SL SMK 1 DIAM FRZ 2/9	Mfg 1192-2832
30229	WAMPLER FOODS TKY WHT SMK FRESH 2/8-9	sell by 07/01/02 - 12/12/02
30309	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST ITAL HERB 5 DIAM N FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
30586	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST W/S DELI RST PANRST FRESH 1/7	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
30856	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BOLO CN 4"D FZ	Mfg 1192-2832
31100	WAMPLER FOODS HERT TKY ROLL WHT FRESH 2/10	Mfg 1192-2832
31109	WAMPLER FOODS TKY WHITE ROLL FRZ 2/10	Mfg 1192-2832
31110	WAMPLER FOODS TKY ROLL COMBO FRZ 2/10	Mfg 1192-2832

31131	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK S/O 3 DIAM FRZ JUL CODE	Mfg 1192-2832
31210	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM 17.5 FRESH 2/8	Mfg 1192-2832
31219	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM 15%WA TVRN FRESH 2/8-9	Mfg 1192-2832
31279	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BOLO DELI FRESH 2/10	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31404	WAMPLER FOODS 5 DIAM S/L TKY BRST A-GR FRZ 2/8	Mfg 1192-2832
31405	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L OVNRS 4 DIAM FRESH 2/9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
31406	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L 5 DIAM FRESH	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31407	WAMPLER FOODS DELI RST TKY BRST S/O COL PANRST FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31408	WAMPLER FOODS DELI RST TKY HAM COL BLK FOREST FRESH	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31410	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/O OVEN ROASTED 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
31411	WAMPLER FOODS DELI RST TKY BRST S/O COL PANRST/BWN	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31412	WAMPLER FOODS DRC TKY BRST S/O 4 LOBE PANRST 1/10-11	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31414	WAMPLER FOODS DELI RST TKY BRST S/O COL ROTISSERIE STY	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31415	WAMPLER FOODS DELI RST TKY BST COL CLASSIC SPICE FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31416	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L BRWD PEPPERED FRESH 2/6	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31417	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/O 5 DIAM FRESH	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31418	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK S/O 5 DIAM FRESH	Mfg 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31419	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK 3 DIAM FRESH	Mfg 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31420	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK OVNRS 2 DIAM FRESH 2/8	Mfg 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31422	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK S/L 4 DIAM FRZ	Mfg 1192-2832
31424	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L SMK 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31425	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/O SMK 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31426	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST HONEY CRD PETITE 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31427	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/O HONEY SMK 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
31428	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/O OVNBRN 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31429	WAMPLER FOODS 4 DIAM TKY BRST S/L NO SALT FRZ 2/7.5	Mfg 1192-2832
31431	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L SMK 5 DIAM FRESH 2/9	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31474	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST PETITE S/L 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
31491	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST O/R S/O 4 DIAM FRZ	Mfg 1192-2832
31526	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST MESQ SMK HNY CRD 4 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02

31591	WAMPLER FOODS BRST TKY S/L SMK 1 DIAM FRESH 2/9	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31595	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BST BRWN SUGAR 5 DIAM FRESH 2/8-9	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31606	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST HNY SMK FF 3 DIAM FRESH 2/8	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31613	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST S/L PANRST FRESH 2/7	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31616	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST HNYRST 5 DIAM FRESH	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31630	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST SMK S/O 4 DIAM FRZ	mfg 1192-2832
31631	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BST HNY CURED 4 DIAM FRZ	mfg 1192-2832
31671	WAMPLER FOODS TKY WHT ROLL FRESH	mfg 1192-2832
31672	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SMK WHT ROLL FRESH	mfg 1192-2832
31673	WAMPLER FOODS TKY SMK WHT ROLL FRESH BOX	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31674	WAMPLER FOODS TKY BRST BRN & RST FRZ	mfg 1192-2832
31675	WAMPLER FOODS TKY DRUMSTICK SMK FRZ 30	mfg 1192-2832
31760	WAMPLER FOODS HOMESTYLE TKY BRST FRESH 2/4.5	mfg 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
70110	WAMPLER FOODS 2NDS TKY BRST S/L OVNRST 3 DIAM(10005)SS	mfg 1192-2832
80352	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM CHNK 20% WA FRESH 12/2	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
80353	WAMPLER FOODS TKY HAM 20% WA TVRN FRESH 2/6	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02

Other Brands

Item Code
Description
Code Date

12953
BLOCK &
BARREL TKY
BRST OILB
FRESH 2/9
mfg
04/30/02 -
& 6429534
11/10/02

12958
BLOCK &
BARREL IMP
TKY BRST
SMK mfg
04/30/02 -
& 62429583
SO FRESH
2/8
10/10/02

30257
BLOCK &
BARREL SUP
TKY S/O
mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2378271
PANRST
FRESH 2/6
10/10/02

30258
BLOCK &
BARREL SUP
TKY BRST
S/O mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2570158
NATBRWN
FRESH 1/6
10/10/02

30260
BLOCK &
BARREL SUP
TKY S/O
SMK mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2378289
PANRST
FRESH 2/6
10/10/02
30261
BLOCK &
BARREL SUP
TKY BST
S/O mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2570174
SMK NATBRN
FRESH 1/6
10/10/02
30268
BLOCK &
BARREL IMP
TKY BRST
SL mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2378297
OVNRST
FRESH 2/9
10/10/02
30271
BLOCK &
BARREL REL
TKY BRST
SL mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2812238
SMK FRESH
2/8.5
10/10/02
30283
BLOCK &
BARREL TKY
ROTIS S/O
mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2527406
PANRST
FRESH 2/6
10/10/02
30285
BLOCK &
BARREL IMP
TKY BRST
HNY RST
FRESH mfg
04/30/02 -
& 3444932
10/10/02
30286
BLOCK &
BARREL IMP
TKY BRST
mfg
04/30/02 -
& 3444668
HICKORY
SMK FRESH
2/9
10/10/02
30391
BLOCK &
BARREL
CLSC TKY
S/O mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2378321
PANRST
FRESH 1/10
10/10/02
30401

BLOCK &
BARREL
CLSC TKY
S/O SMK
FRESH 2/8
mfg
04/30/02 -
& 2378313
10/10/02

30406	BLOCK & BARREL CLSC TKY BRST	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 2378305	SL OVNRSF FRESH 2/9	10/10/02
30408	BLOCK & BARREL TKY HAM BLK FRST	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 2378263	FRESH 2/5.5	10/10/02
30651	BLOCK & BARREL CLSC TKY HAM 20%	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 1253236	WA FRESH 2/6-7	10/10/02
30652	BLOCK & BARREL CLSC TKY PASTRAMI	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 1253228	FRESH 3/4	10/10/02
30655	BLOCK & BARREL CLSC TKY BOLB FRZ 2/10	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 1142876		10/10/02
30662	BLOCK & BARREL REL TKY HAM-CN FRESH 2/8	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 2184083		10/10/02
30666	BLOCK & BARREL REL TKY WHITE	mfg 1192-2832
& 1131754	ROLL FRZ 2/10	
30673	BLOCK & BARREL REL TKY BRST WHT	mfg 1192-2832
& 1355528	OVNRSF FRESH 2/9	
30674	BLOCK & BARREL CLS TKY BRST S/L	mfg 1192-2832
& 3760691	OILB FRESH 2/9	
30676	BLOCK & BARREL HERT TKY WHITE	mfg 1192-2832
& 1031889	ROLL FRZ 2/10	
30677	BLOCK & BARREL HERT TKY CB ROLL FRZ 2/10	mfg 1192-2832
& 1043223		
30884	BLOCK & BARREL REL TKY BRST	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 2378339	S/L FRESH 2/9 2378339	10/10/02
31303	BLOCK & BARREL IMP TKY BRST HNY	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 6429575	SMK FRESH 2/8	10/10/02
31360	BLOCK & BARREL IMP TKY BRST S/O	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 1519164	OILB FRESH 2/9	10/10/02
31372	BLOCK & BARREL TKY BRST MESQ	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 3724143	SMK FRESH 2/9	10/10/02
31386	BLOCK & BARREL REL TKY BRST SMK FRESH 2/9	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 4026001	10/10/02	
31471	SWIRL CLS CRACKED BLACK PEPPER TKY BRST	mfg 1192-2832
& 7160823		
31472	BLOCK & BARREL TKY BRST SWIRL CAJUN FRESH	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 7162183	10/10/02	
31597	BLOCK & BARREL TKY BRST SUP ALL NTRL	mfg 1192-2832
& 8114183	S/O FRESH 2/7	
31629	BLOCK & BARREL IMP TKY BRST S/O FRESH 2/9	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 7135759	10/10/02	
31653	BLOCK & BARREL IMP TKY BRST S/L FRESH 2/9	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 3816444		10/10/02
31654	BLOCK & BARREL CLS TKY BRST S/L FRESH 2/9	mfg 04/30/02 -
& 3816642		10/10/02
10744	EXEC CHEF TKY BRST OILB - JUL DATE	mfg 2119-2283
10750	EXEC CHEF TKY BRST OILB - 45 SBDATE	sell by 06/13/02 -
		11/24/02
10754	EXEC CHEF TKY BRST OILB - 50 SBDATE	sell by 06/18/02 -
		11/29/02
10764	EXEC CHEF TKY BRST OILB - 50 SBDATE	sell by 06/18/02 -
		11/29/02
11176	MID TKY BRST SL SMK FRZ 3/5	mfg 1192-2832
11178	MID TKY SAL FRZ 4/5	mfg 1192-2832
11179	MID TKY BOLO FRZ 4/5	mfg 1192-2832
13004	MC TURKEY WHOLE B&R FRZ	mfg 1192-2832
18572	MID TKY HAM FRZ 2/7	mfg 1192-2832
18906	MARAMOUNT SMK TKY BRST D-LOG BIN	mfg 1192-2832
20501	WALNUT CREEK TKY HAM 20%WA FRESH	sell by 07/08/02 -
		12/19/02

21171	MID TKY PASTRAMI FRZ 3/4	mfg 1192-2832
30001	VICTORY MKT OR FF TKY BRST SL FR2/7-9#	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
30005	GOLDEN ACRE TKY BRST S/L OVRNST FRESH 2/8-9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
30200	BONO BBQ TKY BRST FRESH 2/9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
30207	VP TKY WHT W/SKIN & BINDERS ADDED 2/8-9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
30225	VP TKY BRST OVRNST W/WHT MT FRESH 2/8-9	sell by 07/22/02 - 01/02/03
30293	OLD NEIGHBORHOOD CK BST OILB FRESH 2/6-7	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
30296	OLD NEIGHBORHOOD TKY BST OILB THIN&TRIM	sell by 07/01/02 - 12/12/02
30442	FARMERS CHOICE TKY SALAMI CN FRESH 2/10	mfg 1192-2832
30820	BLC&BAR IMP TK BST S/O OILB PANRST 2/5-6	mfg 1192-2832
	& 7147549	
30849	FARMERS CHOICE TKY PAST 4"D FSH CN 2/8	mfg 1192-2832
	& 56-7551	
30946	OLD NEIGHBORHOOD TKY BRST S/L SMK LS FRESH 2/8	sell by 07/01/02 - 12/12/02
30948	OLD NEIGHBORHOOD TKY BRT S/L OVRNST LS FRESH 2/8	sell by 07/01/02 - 12/12/02
30975	KOHLER TKY BST S/L PANRST (3L) FRESH 1/7	sell by 06/24/02 - 12/05/02
31318	WEST BEEF TKY HAM RTL CHP/FRM FRESH 12/2	sell by 07/08/02 - 12/19/02
31637	PP TKY WHL SMK FRZ FC 4/8-10(ENGLISH)	mfg 1192-2832
31669	PP CAJUN STYLE TURKEY	mfg 1192-2832
31766	PP CAJUN STYLE TURKEY	mfg 1192-2832
31768	CLASSIC TKY DRUMSTICK SMK FRZ 30	mfg 04/30/02 - 10/10/02
	& 7086820	
85105	THUMANN EXEC CHEF TKY BST OILB-50 SBDATA	sell by 06/18/02

PILGRIM'S PRIDE COMMENTS ON FINANCIAL EFFECT OF WAMPLER FOODS PRODUCT RECALL
Voluntary Recall Represents Less Than 1 Percent of Company's Total Annual
Production

FRANCONIA, Pa., Oct. 14 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Pilgrim's Pride Corporation (NYSE: CHX) states it believes that the nationwide voluntary recall of its Wampler Foods ready-to-eat deli products should not have a material adverse effect on its financial condition.

The voluntary recall by Wampler was a precautionary step taken because environmental sampling suggested the continued presence in its plant in Franconia of the strain of Listeria in the Oct. 9 recalled product. No illnesses associated with the Listeria strain in the Northeastern U.S. outbreak have been linked to any Wampler products.

"First and foremost, Wampler is committed to the integrity and safety of its products and is proactively undertaking this voluntary recall in full cooperation with the Department of Agriculture," said David Van Hoose, chief executive officer.

The amount of product covered by the recall is approximately 7 percent of the company's annual turkey production and less than 1 percent of its total poultry production.

"In matters directly relating to this recall, we believe our Company is adequately covered by its insurance program, however, there could always be differences between the accounting periods in which recall effects are realized and when insurance recoveries are received," added Rick Cogdill, chief financial officer.

Statements contained in this press release that state the intentions, hopes, beliefs, anticipations, expectations or predictions of the future of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation and its management are forward-looking statements. It is important to note that the actual results could differ materially from those projected in such forward-looking statements. For example, factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in such forward-looking statements include: changes in the commodity prices of feed ingredients, chicken and turkey; disease outbreaks affecting the production performance and/or marketability of the Company's poultry products; product liability claims, product recalls and adverse effects on product marketability associated with product contamination; the Company's indebtedness; insurance coverage and exclusions related thereto; risks associated with the Company's foreign operations, including currency exchange rate fluctuations, trade barriers, exchange controls and expropriation; the impact of current and future laws and regulations; risks associated with the Company's integration of WLR Foods, Inc. into the Company; and the other risks described in the Company's SEC filings.

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