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**VOLUNTARY RECALL OF LIMITED BATCHES OF GERBER ARROWROOT BISCUITS DUE TO POTENTIAL PRESENCE OF FOREIGN MATERIAL**

Hagåtña, Guam – The Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) would like to inform the public regarding the voluntary recall published by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) of limited batches of Gerber® Arrowroot Biscuits sold nationwide out of an abundance of caution due to the potential presence of soft plastic and/or paper. These materials can cause choking or mouth injury, especially in young children who are still developing chewing skills.

This recall is isolated to limited batches of Gerber® Arrowroot Biscuits 5.5oz products produced between July 2025 and September 2025. Batch codes can be identified on the back of the product packaging which includes a 10-digit batch code prior to the best before date.

<b>BATCH CODE</b>	<b>BEST BEFORE DATE</b>
5198565504	Oct. 16, 2026
5202565504	Oct. 20, 2026
5203565504	Oct. 21, 2026
5204565504	Oct. 22, 2026
5205565504	Oct. 23, 2026
5209565504	Oct. 27, 2026
5210565504	Oct. 28, 2026
5211565504	Oct. 29, 2026
5233565504	Nov. 20, 2026
5238565504	Nov. 25, 2026
5239565504	Nov. 26, 2026
5239565505	Nov. 26, 2026
5240565505	Nov. 27, 2026
5245565505	Dec. 2, 2026
5246565505	Dec. 3, 2026
5251565505	Dec. 8, 2026
5252565505	Dec. 9, 2026

5253565505	Dec.10, 2026
5254565505	Dec. 11, 2026
5258565505	Dec. 15, 2026
5259565505	Dec. 16, 2026

Consumers who may have purchased impacted Gerber® Arrowroot Biscuits should not feed this product to their child and can return the product to the retailer where it was purchased to receive a refund.

The DPHSS Division of Environmental Health (DEH) has conducted recall effectiveness checks and determined that the recalled products were distributed by off-island vendors and/or sold on the island at the following retailers on Guam:

K-Mart, Tamuning	Payless Supermarket, Oka
Payless Supermarket, Dededo	Payless Supermarket, Sumay
Payless Supermarket, Mangilao	Super Happy Mart, Tamuning

Corrective actions were immediately taken by the retailers to remove the affected products from shelves for disposal.

To date, the Department has not received any local report of injuries or illnesses associated with the use of these potentially affected products. Anyone concerned about a reaction or injury should contact their healthcare provider. For consumer support and product questions, Gerber is available 24/7 at 1-800-4-GERBER (1-800-443-7237).

DEH continues to conduct its recall effectiveness check activities and will continue to update the public as more information is obtained.

For more information or inquiries, please contact the DEH's Consumer Commodities Program at (671) 300-9579.

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