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NEWS RELEASE RECALL OF BUFFALO MEAT PRODUCT November 21, 2023

The South Dakota Industry Board is issuing a recall of buffalo products that may have been produced without the benefit of inspection. Buffalo products with Steinke Ranch labels may have been offered for sale at multiple locations in 2023. These products do not bear lot codes, "best by", or packed on dates.

The South Dakota meat inspection program has determined some Steinke Ranch products labeled with South Dakota establishment numbers 177 and/or 182 were not produced at these establishments. Instead, the meat products were produced without the benefit of inspection and mislabeled.

There have been no confirmed reports of illness or adverse reactions due to consumption of these products. Anyone concerned about an illness or reaction should contact a healthcare provider.

South Dakota Meat Inspection program is concerned that some products may be in consumers' refrigerators or freezers. Consumers who have purchased these products are urged not to consume them. These products should be thrown away or returned to the place of purchase.

For more information on selling meat in South Dakota, contact the SD Meat Inspection Program at the South Dakota Animal Industry Board at 605-773-3321 or www.aib.sd.gov.