

Dear _____,

As a consumer of natural health products, I am concerned that their availability is steadily declining. Currently, there are just under 40, 000 natural health products that can be domestically purchased in Canada. However, in 2004 there were over 70, 000! Although, I can appreciate the need to ensure the safety of Canadians, I have difficulty believing that 30, 000 natural health products were found to be dangerous to the public. No death has ever been attributed to a natural health product.

I recognize the need for appropriate regulations regarding natural health products and dietary supplements, which is why I want to bring to your attention, the *Charter of Health Freedom*. This purposed legislation was written by constitutional lawyer, Shawn Buckley. The Charter gives Natural Health Products their *own* Act by protecting them and the consumers who use them.

The *Charter of Health Freedom* will:

- Enable Canadians to make fundamental health decisions;
- Serve the needs of the natural health industry and consumers of natural health products;
- Strengthen the health systems with the inclusion of alternative and traditional medicines;
- Ensure regulations for natural health practitioners are honest, and fair, and
- Create an innovative Ministry of Wellness within Parliament, to ensure that the Charter's principles and regulations are consistently upheld.

As my government representative and/or official, please familiarize yourself with the Charter of Health Freedom, and help get it passed into law. Like many Canadians, I care about safety and I believe the Charter of Health Freedom ensures that as well as my well-being. The website address is www.charterofhealthfreedom.org.

Sincerely,

(Your name, address and, if you wish, your telephone number or email address)