**Conference for Food Protection**

**2020 Issue Form**

**Issue: 2020 II-015**

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| **Council Recommendation:** | Accepted asSubmitted |  | Accepted as Amended |  | No Action |  |
| **Delegate Action:** | Accepted |  | Rejected |  |  |  |

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**Title:**

AC #5 - Amend Food Code for Written Notification of Major Food Allergens

**Recommended Solution: The Conference recommends...:**

That a letter be sent to FDA requesting that a new Paragraph be added to Section 3-602.12 of the most recent edition of Food Code as shown below (new language underlined).

**3-602.12 Other Forms of Information**

The PERMIT HOLDER shall notify CONSUMERS of the presence of MAJOR FOOD ALLERGENS as ingredients in unpackaged FOOD items using brochures, deli case or menu notifications, label statements, table tents, placards, or other effective written means. CONSUMER notifications of MAJOR FOOD ALLERGENS must be specific to FOOD items that contain MAJOR FOOD ALLERGENS and must include either the common name or an easily-understood image of the relevant MAJOR FOOD ALLERGEN.

It is the policy of the Conference for Food Protection to not accept Issues that would endorse a brand name or a commercial proprietary process.