

Anko JV Company, Inc.

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Consumer Protection and Advocacy Bureau (CPAB)
Department of Trade and Industry
2F Trade and Industry Bldg.,
361 Sen. Gil J. Puyat Ave.,
Makati City, Philippines

Attention: ATTY. CHERRYL G. CARBONELL

OIC-DIRECTOR

Subject: Product Recall of Glass Flip Pickle Jar [Anko] 43270095

Dear Director Carbonell,

With our customers' safety as our priority, Anko JV Company, Inc. ("ANKO", "Our") announced 20 March 2025 the recall of the Glass Flip Pickle Jar with the following details (the "Product"):

Batch Code: 43270095

Dates sold: 06 November 2024 to 01 March 2025

by posting such announcement in Our store in Makati City and in social media through our Facebook page. For your reference, we attach a picture of Our in-store announcement and a snippet of our social media announcement as Annex "A".

The Product can break when used to store certain fruits or vegetables in liquid. Fermented food stored in the Product can build up gas and cause the jar to explode or make the lid difficult to remove. While there have been no reported incidents in the Philippines, there is a risk of serious injury from lacerations if the jar explodes or if the lid breaks while being removed.

ANKO highly values customer safety and as soon as we became aware of a risk, we ceased selling the Product in the Philippines while investigation took place in Australia and New Zealand. After investigation, ANKO management in Australia decided to have a recall of the Product in all markets globally.

ANKO customers are asked to immediately stop using the Product for their own safety and to return the Product to ANKO Glorietta at Level 1, Glorietta 2, Palm Dr, Makati, Metro Manila for a full refund without need of showing the receipt.

Should you need further information or have concerns, you may reach out to:

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Thank you.

Respectfully yours,

Scott White Business Manager Anko JV Company, Inc.

Annex A: Communication Material



