

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

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Re: In the Matter of Koninklijke Ahold N.V./Delhaize Group NV/SA, Docket No. C-4588.

Dear Ms. Ewing:

This letter responds to the Application for Approval of Proposed Sale of Certain Supervalu Assets to Giant ("Application"), filed by Supervalu on November 8, 2018. The Application requests that the Federal Trade Commission approve, pursuant to Paragraph VI of the Order in this matter, Supervalu's proposed sale of Shop 'n Save #2871 located in Berryville, Virginia, and Shop 'n Save #2881 located in Martinsburg, West Virginia, to Giant Food Stores LLC ("Giant"), a company of Ahold Delhaize USA, Inc. The Application was placed on the public record for comments until December 27, 2018, and two comments were received.

After consideration of Supervalu's Application and other available information, the Commission has determined to approve the proposed sale of these two stores to Giant. In according its approval, the Commission has relied upon the information submitted and the representations made in connection with Supervalu's Application, and has assumed them accurate and complete.

By direction of the Commission.

April J. Tabor Acting Secretary