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RE: Docket Number 98P-0151 / CP1

Dear Sirs,

I am writing to ask you to please consider ending downed Animal trade.
I am not a vegetarian, but am a sensitive caring person who knows the difference between wrong and right. It is wrong to drag sick or injured animals to slaughter.
It is wrong to use diseased animals.
It is wrong to starve, cramp and neglect animals. Just because we can does not mean we should.
We are what we eat. If the animals are sick or scared, it changes them. They produce toxic levels of adrenaline and enzymes etc. that we eventually consume.

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Please have a heart! Create strict laws forbidding people from being cruel to an animal. Just because it is about to be slaughtered doesn't mean it's OK to be cruel to it. I am so sad to know of the fear and sadness the poor animals →

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feel before their life is ended. "ed is not a good message to send to the workers in this industry, that "Cruelty is OK and will be overlooked". Their actions stick with them. This is the kind of person they will be outside of the slaughterhouses. Please enforce the new laws and Ethics. If it is their job, they will obey the rules - if enforced! They will be grateful in the long run. And, you people can feel good about yourselves that you did something good in your life. To stop suffering and abuse is God-like.

Sincerely,

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