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Gentlemen:

Industry experts have estimated that 90% of downed animals can be prevented with better care and handling. Removing the market for downed animals will provide an incentive for the industry to prevent downed animals in the first place.

Therefore, please grant the petition of the Farm Sanctuary to prohibit the slaughter of downed animals docket number 98P/0151/CP1

Thank you!
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