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Dear Sir,

I am writing to ask that docket number 98P-0151/CP1 is granted to end the downed animal trade.

The treatment of downed animals is inhumane and causes much pain and suffering.

Prohibiting the marketing of downed animals should not effect the economics of the industry.

Care should be required to prevent these downed animal injuries - 90% or more can be prevented with appropriate procedures.

Thank you,

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