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Mr. Laxmi N. Modi
Managing Trustee
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Dear Mr. Modi:

This is in response to your letter dated March 3, 2000, addressed to Dr. Henney, urging the Food and Drug Administration to act on the petition submitted by the Humane Farming Association.

The Center for Veterinary Medicine (CVM) is a public health organization under the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) that helps to ensure the safety of the food supply and assists in providing for the health care needs of animals through the approval and post-approval monitoring of safe and effective animal drugs, medical devices, and feeds.

Thank you for sharing your concerns with us. I am forwarding your letter to the Dockets Management Branch for inclusion in Docket Number 99P-0033 -- Combat the Spread of Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy. If you have access to the Internet, please visit our Home Page at <http://www.fda.gov/cvm>.

Sincerely yours,

Karen A. Kandra
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Consumer Safety Officer
Center for Veterinary Medicine

99P-0033

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ROUTING SLIP
GENERATED BY: HF-40
DATE: MAR 24, 2000

FDA CONTROL NUMBER: 00 2007

TRACER #: **OS #:**

DATE OF CORRESPONDENCE: 03/03/00

DATE INTO FDA: 03/24/00

TO: JANE E HENNEY HF-1

FROM: LAXMI NARAIN MODI, BHARATIYA CATTLE RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

SYNOPSIS: URGES FDA TO ACT ON THE HUMANE FARMING ASSOCIATIONS PETITION
#99P-0033/CP 1

LEAD OFFICE: HFV-1

HOME OFFICE: HF-40

CONTACT/PHONE#: KRISTINE M MORAN 301-827-4446

COPIES: HF-40 WANDA G RUSS

COORDINATION:

SIGNATURE REQUIRED:

REFERRALS FROM HF-40

ASSIGNED TO	ACTION	DUE DATE
HFV-1	PREPARE DIRECT REPLY	04/24/00

REMARKS: PLEASE SEND A COPY OF THE RESPONSE TO KRISTY MORAN, HF-40.

*See 2-10 response re:
ante. res. in Shrimp*

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BI-16A/FUX
March 3, 2000

FDA Commissioner
Jane Henney
5600 Fishers Lane
Room 14-71
Rockville, MD 20857
U.S.A.

Dear Sir,

SUB : DOCKET 99P-0033/CP.1

We understand that dead Pigs, Horses and other animals are fed to other farm animals in USA.

Moreover, cows are not meat eaters by nature and they shouldn't be forced to eat dead animals.

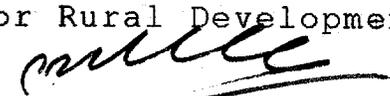
You are requested to act expeditiously on petition of Humane Farming Association .

In India some of Standards provided for mixing of Bone meal, Fish meal, Meat meal in cattle feed. At our initiation, standards have been amended to DELETE all animal origin ingredients from cattle feed including Dicalcium Phosphate and Mineral Mixture.

In view of dangers of contamination and high risks, you are requested to BAN feeding of all animal origin ingredients for feeding Vegetarian animals like Cows as demand by The Humane Farming Association

Looking forward to your positive response.

For Rural Development


Laxmi Narain Modi
Managing Trustee

CC. The Humane Farming Association, 1550, California Street, Suit No #6, San Francisco, California

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