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FDA Commissioner
Jane Henney
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Dear Jane Henney,

I am asking that you act on the HFA's petition. HFA demands that blood and blood products from all mammals, including pigs and cows, must be prohibited for use in animal feed and pet foods.

Gelatin and gelatin by-products must not be used in animal feed, as gelatin might carry infectious agents.

Porcine materials must not be used in animal feed because U.S. pigs are known to have exhibited symptoms of central nervous system disease suspected as being TSE and have proven susceptible to TSE in laboratory tests.

TSE-positive material absolutely must not be fed to any animals or be used in cosmetics, fertilizer or other products. 99P-0083

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Also, please help to put an end to the practice of feeding dead pigs, horses, and other animals to other farm animals. Cows are not meat eaters by nature and they shouldn't be forced to eat dead animals.

Please act to stop all these practices. Acting on HSUS's petition as soon as possible will help us have healthier animals and people.

Sincerely,

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