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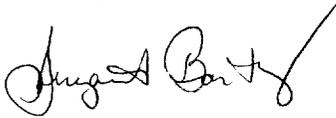
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Dear Dr. Henney,

I am writing to strongly recommend support for the petition from the Center for Science in the Public Interest (CSPI) and 40 other organizations about sub-therapeutic uses of antibiotics in livestock. It requires that antibiotics important for humans, such as penicillin, tetracycline and erythromycin be eliminated from livestock uses such as growth promotion.

The increasing resistance of bacteria must not be ignored.

Sincerely,



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