

Sandra Bloomfield
13465 Fostoria Rd.
Gibsonburg, OH 43431

1613 '99 MAY -4 P2:15

April 27, 1999

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter pertains to Docket Number 98N-1038.

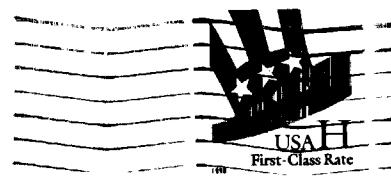
I understand the FDA is considering weakening of or removal of labeling for irradiated foods.

The only reason I can see for this is because the public has spoken quite clearly and they've said they don't want to eat irradiated foods. It appears to me that the FDA is more concerned about protecting investments made by the irradiated food industry than protecting the public interest.

If food safety was really top priority than something would be done to clean up the food processing plants before the problems happen than to irradiate the food after it's C1081 been contaminated in the hopes of making it safe. It's a

98N-1038

Bloomfield
15465 Fostoria Rd. (S.R.23)
Gibsonburg
Ohio 43431



Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305)
Food and Drug Administration
5630 Fishers Lane
Rm 1061
Rockville
20857-33000