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Eileen S. Stommes, Deputy Administrator
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Dear Ms. Stommes:

As a concerned citizen, a mother & educator I am deeply concerned about the proposed National Organic Standards. We are opposed to the use of genetically engineered organisms, processing agents &/or agricultural inputs. I am especially concerned that these not be allowed in organic farming.

Please also take action to prohibit irradiation & the use in organic farming of sewage sludge. Furthermore we feel that NOSB recommendations should be adhered to for the treatment of livestock & fee structure for certification.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
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