US Food and Drug Administration
Dockets Management Branch
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Dear Sirs,

In reference to DOCKET # 98P-0151/CPI the following:

Animals who are too sick or injured even to stand should not be allowed to enter the food chain.

Some downed animals may have BSE or 'mad cow disease' which can cause CJD a fatal human illness

Downed animals make up a very small percent of animals slaughtered, and prohibiting their marketing will cause no undue economic hardship.

Please I am urging the FDA to grant petition 98P-0151/CPI to prohibit the slaughter of downed animals.

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Sincerely,

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