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Re: Docket # 98P-0151/CP1

Sirs/Mesd.

Enclosed please find Thirty (30) signed cards by people who are petitioning you to ban the slaughter of downed animals for human food.

You are already aware of the practical and logical reasons to ban this barbaric practice including benefits for both humans and animals. I wish to further state that you are an apendage of the U.S. Government which influences the entire planet. Do you believe that reverberations from causing suffering to creatures with highly developed nervous systems (experience pain) will not bring consequences? How much longer do you think the rest of the world will have respect for us? Also, it is a law of physics — Like begets Like. Do you believe our country/society will continue to flourish while inflicting unnecessary pain on beings who cannot defend themselves?

Thank you.

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Very truly yours,

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