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Dear Mr. Jaffe,

I have recently read about the terrible suffering inflicted on laying hens by the barbaric practice called forced molting. This practice was banned in Great Britain in 1987. It is extremely embarrassing, at the very least, to me as an American to know that my country still permits such a practice that others have long since banned. I am writing to tell you that I heartily support the petition to ban the forced molting of layer hens (docket 98P-0203/CP). I hope that this measure will go into effect very soon for the sake of these helpless, living creatures.

Sincerely,
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