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Docket 98N-1038 Irradiation in the Production, Processing and Handling of Food.

DEAR SIRS AND MADAMES

RE: Labelling of Foods that have been irradiated.

There must be no expiration of the Labelling Laws.

Prominent labelling MUST contain the words IRRADIATED or IRRADIATION with the symbol (broken line in a circle) for radiation. I believe this symbol is called RADURA.

The absence of prominent labelling would be misleading because irradiation alters vitamin content and nutritional value.

This goes for INGREDIENTS in Packaged or Canned foods as well as whole Foods (vegetables, fruit). C1548

98N-1038 If you will irradiate Food, you must Label it as such for public consumption

Thank you

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