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Commissioner Jane E. Henney
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Dear Ms. Henney:

This letter is to urge you to save human lives by banning the use of medically useful antibiotics in animal feed. Adding antibiotics to feed in order to promote growth can make bacteria resistant to those antibiotics

Having had a continuing battle with H-pylori bacterial infection for over 4 months now, I have been a first-hand victim of this practice. Drugs given me to combat this have been ineffective because this bacteria, for my case anyhow, has been resistant to treatment with them. It's been a long struggle to recover without effective antibiotics

There must be thousands of others like me. I strongly urge you to implement this ban to no longer use antibiotics in animal feed.
Thank you, Sincerely

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