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DEAR MS. HENNEY,

I AM CONCERNED OVER THE INCREASING USE OF ANTI-BIOTICS IN AGRICULTURE, PARTICULARLY THOSE USED IN HUMAN MEDICINE. I SEE THIS OVERUSE AS SOMETHING WE WILL BE SORRY FOR IN THE FUTURE. INCREASING LEVELS OF RESISTANCE SEEM TO BE OCCURRING DESPITE OPPOSITION BY CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL, AND THE FOOD & DRUG ADMINISTRATION SEEMS BLIND TO THIS PROBLEM.

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I JOIN IN PETITIONING YOU TO REVOKE YOUR APPROVAL OF EXISTING USES OF 6 ANTIBIOTICS IN ANIMAL FEED, CONSISTENT WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION & CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL.

THANK YOU.

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