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Donna Shalala, Secretary
US Dept of Health + Human Services
200 Independence Ave SW
Washington DC 20201

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Dear Secretary Shalala:

I am writing to express my concern for any possible weakening of labeling requirements for irradiated foods. I understand new labeling is under consideration by the Food + Drug Administration.

I strongly believe it is my right to know if the food I eat has been treated with radiation.

I hope you will be a voice for the consumer's right to know + to choose for themselves.

Sincerely,
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