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5600 Fishers Lane, Room 1061
Rockville, MD 20785
Docket Number 98P-0151/CP1

Dear sir:

I am writing to voice my great concern regarding the downed animal trade. **Please stop the cruel and inhumane practice of slaughtering downed (disabled) animals.** These animals are already sick and suffering, and then are dragged, further injured and left without food/water or veterinary care. This practice is shocking and beneath us.

In addition to the intolerably inhumane treatment these animals receive, the meat produced from their subsequent slaughter is unsafe for consumption. Please take action now to prevent any further thoughtless and intense suffering of these helpless and unfortunate creatures.

Sincerely,

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