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Dr. Jane Henry
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Dear Dr. Henry:

The matter about which I am writing to you concerns the dairy industry's ridiculous assumption that they alone should be granted the right to use the term "milk."

Of course, as you well know, there are many "milks" in present usage, such as nut milk and rice milk, not to mention the "milk of human kindness," which, apparently, the dairy industry knows little or nothing about.

I strongly urge the Food and Drug Administration to allow soy milk to be called just that, "Soy Milk"; and cow's milk to be called exactly what that product is, "Cow's Milk." The dairy industry should not be allowed a monopoly on the term "milk."

I would very much appreciate your consideration of this request.

Respectfully yours,

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