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5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1061
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Dear FDA Administrator,

re: Docket Number 98P-0151 / CP1
Please grant this petition to prohibit
the slaughter of "downed" animals.

I am writing to ask you to grant this petition.

Animals who are too sick or injured to walk should not enter
the foodchain.

As it is impossible to move these animals humanely, they are
treated brutally and in a way that is disgrace to our country.

If we remove the market for animals "in any condition" perhaps
it will provide the industry with a financial incentive to take
better care of these animals.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



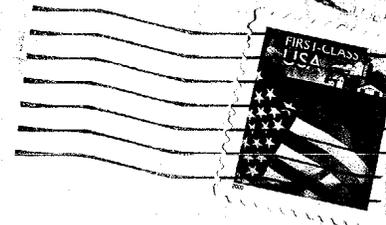
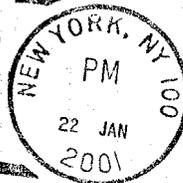
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