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Dear **Sirs:**

I want to comment on Docket No. 01-018P proposal to reduce the current standards for "meat pizzas". I am submitting photos showing the amount of meat on a pizza if the standards are reduced according to this proposal. I would suggest to the consumer that want the standards changed to consider buying "cheese and other non meat pizzas".

My suggestion is **not to change the pizza meat standards, but** allow a company to produce a pizza with less cooked meat on it and required that the pizza name state the percentage of meat used on that pizza. Pizzas produced meeting the present labeling standards would not required a percentage statement on the product label. This would eliminate the expense for small companies to purchase new printing plates for labels to meet the new percentage standards.

If the **proposal is** enacted the product name should include the percentage of cooked meat used according to that **FSIS "sausage product standard"**. The percentage should not include the fillers, binders **and** extenders used to make **the** cooked meat product look like the cooked meat product it will be replacing.

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