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To The FSIS Docket Clerk:

We are a small sized dairy farm with a herd size of only 60 head. In recent years the profit margin has been very slim, every little bit of loss affects us. I would like to see healthy down animals, any age injured on the farm to be slaughtered under the emergency provisions and processed for the owner's consumption by the butcher shop.

Sincerely,

*Dale Ravanelli*

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