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**FSIS Docket Clerk,**

**RE: ~~Docket~~ 03-025IF**

**After too many years of needless suffering, we **FINALLY** see the passing of the ban on DOWNED ANIMALS.**

As you know, much of this horror was due to the cattle industry allowing "downed cattle" to suffer from broken legs, disease, and other injuries so that they could continue to slaughter them for food and their own personal greed.

**I'd like to THANK YOU for your emergency measures to ban the slaughter of downed cattle for human consumption, but it is of utmost importance that this ban is made PERMANENT!**

**It is also of extreme importance that ALL DOWNED ANIMALS - including SHEEP, PIGS, and ALL LIVESTOCK, are protected this same way in the FINAL BAN.**

**It is also **CRITICAL** that **ALL ANIMALS BE HUMANELY EUTHANIZED IMMEDIATELY!!** (Whenever they become downed).**

**I trust that you will continue to do the right thing. Thank you again.**

Sincerely,

Julie M. Caracci  
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