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Docket Clerk
U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food Safety and Inspection Service
300 12th Street, SW
Room 102 Cotton Annex
Washington, DC 20250.

Re: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food Safety and Inspection Service
Document Number 04-037N

Please initiate and enforce all measures to ensure the bare minimum of trauma, terror, injury, disease and harm to birds bred, raised, handled and slaughtered to be food.

If the FSIS is serious about promoting such humane methods, the FSIS must be held accountable for levying fines on companies found guilty of ignoring such newly established requirements.

If companies know there are consequences to specific practices, they will alter those practices to avoid said consequences. Since the horror to the birds is of no concern to them, they need to be monitored, prosecuted and fined ongoingly.

Thank you.



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