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Dear Commissioner Hanney:

I am very concerned about the use of large amounts of antibiotics in animal feed. The practice, which is alleged to make the animals grow faster, also enables bacteria to acquire resistance to the antibiotics.

Not a good thing! Please ~~let~~ strongly restrict the indiscriminate addition of antibiotics to animal feed.

Now is the time to act!

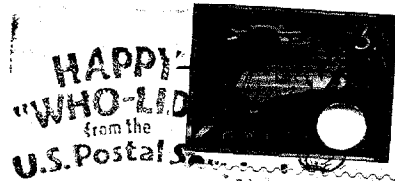
Sincerely,

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