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Dear Dr. Schwetz,

I am writing to ask for a moratorium on the use of irradiation on food products sold in the U.S. New studies have shown that irradiation of food can be harmful to human health.

Since the FDA admits that there are no high-quality studies regarding the long-term safety of irradiated foods and, in fact, many studies have shown harm to animal subjects who were fed a diet of irradiated foods, please commit the FDA to opposing the irradiation of food.

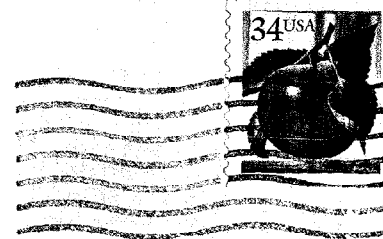
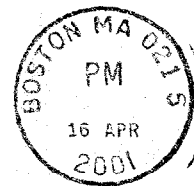
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