



Office of the Secretary

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

December 28, 2007

Ms. B. Sachau

Re: *In the Matter of Schering-Plough Corporation, File No. 071 0132*

Dear Ms. Sachau:

Thank you for your recent email message commenting on the proposed consent order accepted by the Federal Trade Commission for public comment in the above-captioned matter. In your message, you comment on the health issues that may be associated with human ingestion of poultry that has been administered antibiotics, the living conditions of poultry raised for human consumption, and the general state of the United States agricultural sector.

The Commission has placed your comment on the public record, and it has been considered in connection with the decision as to whether to accord final approval to the proposed consent order. After considering your comment, the Commission has determined that the public interest would be served best by issuing the Decision and Order in final form without modification.

The Commission's analysis is greatly assisted when it receives input from a variety of sources, and we appreciate your interest in this matter. A copy of the final Decision and Order is enclosed for your information. Relevant materials also are available from the Commission website, at www.ftc.gov.

By direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark
Secretary