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SECRETARY DONALD CLARK

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Dear Secretary Clark

I find the idea of devaluing the Made in USA label so obnoxious and disgusting that I feel compelled to express my opinions on this subject.

American jobs are farmed out to foreign workers, in order to generate more profits for the farmer (company), but he (the farmer) still wants to use the Made in USA label! Why? Because there is a segment of the American people that he is not cashing in on, while using the foreign label.

Sure, devaluing the USA label would give many people more choices of USA made goods (in name only) and fuel the greed of the farmer. Also it would make the people feel we have a wider manufacturing base than we really have.

It is almost impossible to find certain

things that are not foreign made - bicycle tires, radios - tennis shoes - to name a few. If a foreign laborer can be hired to make a pair of shoes, for say \$1.00, what's to stop the farmer from bringing those shoes to the U.S., putting a dollars worth of shoe laces in them, putting them in a box and saying they are made in USA ??? - then selling them for \$60-\$100 - a tidy profit.

A farmer (company) should be proud of his product, if he isn't proud of where it's made let him bring the jobs back to the U.S.. then they can use the label that they can be proud of.

I find it difficult to express myself in writing. I hoped have conveyed to you my feelings on this matter, i.e.: it would be a grave mistake to allow this to happen. It would be an insult of the greatest magnitude to the American workers, and the manufacturers who do produce American made goods - what will their label read - "Really Made in USA" or "Wholly made in USA"? there MUST be some way to differentiate between products made here in the USA and other places on the planet.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
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