Mrs. Carolyn Ellzey

Oct 11, 2012

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I am using a standard message to send you my request to prevent this misleading information.

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Please treat all animals humanely and DO NOT mislead by calling it what it is not. Even a raccoon doesn't deserve being skinned alive!

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It is dishonest not to let consumers know how the fur is produced--that is, by skinning dogs.

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I am just so totally disgusted by everything that goes in the fur, dairy and meat trade. Shame on everyone!!!

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Torturing and killing any animals for fashion is brutal and uncivilized and no human being should be involved in this business.

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Sincerely, Ms. rosemary marano

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The US government does not allow false advertising, yet the fur industry has for many years been allowed to misrepresent their products in order to make them more "palatable" to the consumer. As you may know, the industry now wants to be permitted to use the label "Asiatic raccoon" on products that actually contain fur from dogs. They have been known in the past as "raccoon dogs," but now the industry wants to rename the animal to make their barbaric practices toward them less apparent to the consumer.

Of course, it is inhumane to raise animals in barbaric conditions and to then skin them alive, as the industry does. Their inhumane practices toward an animal they called a "raccoon dog" in the past and now want to rename an "Asiatic raccoon" have been well documented and well publicized. The industry thinking is that the consumer may remember the well-publicized industry practices toward "raccoon dogs" and won't be as bothered by the inhumane treatment of the animals if they are "raccoons" rather than companion animals like dogs.

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Thank you, Sharon Divitt

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I'm adding a small note, if you feel this is okay then please allow someone to next either skin your prize puppy or your cat. By the way make sure they do it while the animal is alive - because that is how they do it for these lovable animals...

Oh yes and try to look your children or grand-children in the eye and tell them it's okay to kill just so you can enjoy a new jacket. I'm sure they'll understand.

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Sincerely, Mr. Robert Mills

Mrs. Denise Hodgson

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Denise Hodgson

Sincerely, Mrs. Denise Hodgson

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Sincerely,

Sincerely, Mrs. Laura Davidov

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The appalling cruelty of the fur industry should not be condoned toward ANY species, but the truth that Raccoon dogs are a member of the Canidae (DOG) family and are NOT, as the name "Asiatic raccoon" implies, members of the Procyonidae (raccoon) family should at the very least be revealed to the public.

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Sincerely, Ms. Sherry Kraft

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Please insist on correct labelling so that horrific abuses can be prevented and potential consumers won't be misled.

Many thanks, in advance, for taking action on this important issue.

Sincerely, Ms. Lauren Monsen

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Ultimately it doesn't matter what a species is or is called, what matters is the abuse and suffering they endure to satisfy and "industry" based on the unnecessary and callous disregard for the pain and suffering of the innocent. No living creature should suffer for the vanity of the selfish.

Sincerely, Mr. Christopher Rubino

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With the high quality of fake fur, there is really no need to have real anymore, but more important than that, we don;t need to add another animal to the list of fur coat contributers.

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Sincerely, Ms. Corinna Novak

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Please ensure that consumers know they could be wearing DOG fur. Not that I like the idea of raccoons being skinned, but to skin dogs alive is sickeing.

Sincerely, Ms. Lynn Gregory

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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People that purchase fur coats and fur products want labeling clear - no one wants to wear a dog's skin (not sure why they want to wear a raccoon skin either). But they need to know what they're buying.

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I ask that you do not fall for this disgusting scam.

Sincerely, Dr. Thomas Callahan

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I don't agree with any animal being killed just for its fur or coat. There are too many alternatives and synthetic products that are just as good. Just because you want the prestige of owning a real fur coat doesn't make it okay. And the suffering the animals go through is intolerable. That is not why those creatures were put on this earth. Any one who purchases a real fur coat should be on the other side of the cruelty. Then lets see how they feel.

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On a personal note, I am so ashamed of my government and my country at this point (late in my life!) due to the continual deceit of corporations and my "government representatives" who continue to ignore the voices and WILL of the people in this country who have campaigned, written letters, made phone calls, ad naseum to express our opposition to the fur trade across the board! What is wrong with all of you anymore?!

Sincerely, Ms. J Hawks

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\*\*\*\*I'd like add that I oppose using animal fur in all forms, there is no longer a need for it, it's cruel, and I would like to see it banned altogether. \*\*\*\*\*

Sincerely, Ms. Diane Townsley

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Sincerely, Ms. Elizabeth Wagner

Mrs. marybeth novak

Oct 11, 2012

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

Subject: Call a dog a dog!!

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Please!

Names are important. Raccoon dogs are not raccoons. They are DOGS!

Labeling for food is important. Labeling for fur is also important and should be accurate. People should know if they are wearing DOG fur. The attempt to deceive consumers by labeling Raccoon Dog fur as Asiatic Raccoon is deceitful and wrong!

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Please do not support deceitful labeling. It's wrong!

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Sincerely, Dr. edmund cary

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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SKINNED ALIVE!!! IT SHOULDN'T BE ALLOWED TO BE IMPORTED AT ALL!

Sincerely, Ms. Carolyn Paquette

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WHAT DO WE GAIN WITH THIS TOTAL WAR AGAINST-NATURE?

INSTEAD OF HAVING GOOD REASONS TO SAVE IT FROM DESTRUCTION--SO MANY DEVISE NEW TORTURE AND KILLING WAYS EVERY DAY---WE NEED TO STOP THIS TODAY.!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely, Mr. JORGE FIGUEROA

Mrs. Barbara Jones

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I'm not sure how anyone can enjoy wearing something that was made with the misery of other beings racoon or dog or rabbit or reptile. But call it what it is. DOG FUR.

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I would take this form letter a step further and say that fur from any kind of canine should be labelled dog fur.

Sincerely, Ms. Marcia Peters

Mrs. Erica Gallagher

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No animal should be skinned alive be it a dog or raccoon. However, marketing the fur in such a deceptive manner to a culture of people that hold regard their dogs as family members is sickening.

Sincerely, Mrs. Erica Gallagher

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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If they want to commit the cruelty, make them own it, make them call them "raccoon" dogs as they are. If they can't own the cruelty, then they should stop the cruelty. Sleazy companies should not get away with sleazy practices.

Sincerely, Ms. Sandra Hamill

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This horrible practice in China of their trade in 'fur' is only being compounded by falsely letting people think it is not from dogs.

Items should be required to be labeled "raccoon dogs". Although I think the use of any fur and the killing of any animal for its fur or hide or other parts is atrocious, this matter might make other consumers who do buy fur to think about it if they know it is from a dog.

Maybe some day the world will be more compassionate and stop the use of animal parts.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Karen Barth

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Please set a standard that the fur trade must adhere to. Please do not allow the fur industry to misrepresent the animal from which fur comes. It is beyond horrific what is done to these animals and people should be able to accurately identify what fur they choose to buy or not to buy, if any at all. The fur industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its cruel product -- now they want to be allowed to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon" no doubt so consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

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As an animal lover and wild life rehabilitator, our family was very disturbed that raccoon dogs are skinned alive for their fur. We are planning on going to our local papers unless this practice is discontinued

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Sincerely, Mrs. Linda Kurth

Mrs. Beverly Moody

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People need to see labeling that tells the truth! Please make sure that they do. Skinning dogs for their fur for commercial purposes is atrocious and inhumane. Deceiving the public into thinking it is raccoon fur is despicable. We shouldn't even allow that kind of merchandise to be sold in our country because of the inhumane way the animals are treated.

Sincerely, Ms. Joyce Layton

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We have enslaved the rest of the animal creation, and have treated our distant cousins in fur and feathers so badly that beyond doubt, if they were able to formulate a religion, they would depict the Devil in human form. ~William Ralph Inge, Outspoken Essays, 1922

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I wish that no one wore fur. Fur production is always accompanied by unspeakable cruelty. But at least people should know exactly what they are wearing - not raccoon - a species of DOG.

Sincerely, Dr. Darlene Moak

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Killing any being needlessly is just sick behavior. Humanity has become pathetic....

Sincerely, Ms. Naomi Simmons

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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This is disgusting and inhumane. Please do not mislead the consumer, I'm sure most people would be shocked to learn they are wearing dog's fur.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. thao do

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Wasn't the FTC established in the first place to promote honesty? Raccoon dogs are DOGS, not raccoons! Please be honest and require the fur industry to be honest! This industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its cruel product -- now they want to be allowed to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon" no doubt so consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

Please be honest! And require honest labeling! Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Melinda Grant

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Thank you in advance for allowing me to easily make compassionate shopping choices.

Sincerely, Mrs. Jennifer Prather

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Please do something immediately to stop the skinning of living animals in China and other countries.. I can't think of a crueler way to kill an animal.. Inhumane!!

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Consumers need to be educated and realize that ALL fur comes from a formerly living animal that was killed specifically for their SKIN to which their fur is attached.

Sincerely, Ms. Julie Johnson

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If the fur industry is afraid of honesty, then that simply proves they know they're doing something terrible that people won't approve of. Otherwise, why wouldn't they label things correctly? There is no other reason. It's very simple.

Sincerely, Mr. Scott Teel

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STOP ALLOWING FUR OF ANY KIND!!

Sincerely, Ms. Laura Smith

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Please stop the harming of these animals. They do not deserve this. Lets skin you alive and see how it feels to you. And to label it falsely is wrong. People need to know what they are really going to buy. I would never buy any real fur clothing. This is all wrong.

Sincerely, Ms. nancy egger

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And no matter what the animals name is, nothing should be skinned alive! That is barbaric and sick.

Sincerely, Ms. Maria Sawka

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Wearing any fur is amoral. Lying about the kind of animal you've skinned is gratuitous. Just tell the truth. Racoons or dogs... neither should be skinned and worn by some stupid excuse for a human.

Sincerely, Ms. christine Schaffer

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Please do not allow the fur industry to tag garments as "Asiatic Raccoon fur". Please require the fur industry to truthfully disclose "Raccoon Dog fur" on their labels.

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I recently saw a program on PBS that showed some raccoon dogs in Siberia, and the cruelty involved in the use of their fur is heinous. China has no respect what so ever for the lives of animals, including the Siberian Tiger, using their parts for ridiculous uses. Maybe we can not stop China, but we can control how we do things. Please we already help China to the extreme, so don't let their black market and mislabeling be allowed in this country.

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And, if you have ever seen how these fur traders and trappers operate, you will no doubt agree that their methods are the most barbaric and inhumane act imaginable - no contest. To think we as humans can consciously rain down pain and terror on another living being like this is simply unbelievable. Please help these defenseless creatures any way you can. No extra dollar and no extra vote is worth this.

Thank you!

Sincerely, Mr. Andrew Liles

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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CALL IT WHAT IT CASUE THE REST OF US WILL CALL IT LIKE WE SEE IT. HOW WOULD YOU LIKE US TO CALL OUR VOTE FOR YOU THIS YEAR.

Sincerely, Miss Rene Andino

Mrs. Marilyn Tracy

Oct 11, 2012

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Fur for fashion should be illegal anyway!

Sincerely, Ms. Erica Thompson

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I'm sure you've gotten thousands of these emails. Please allow me to add that the more I learn about the fur trade, the more disgusted I get. Please help us protect these dogs who are not able to protect themselves, as well as Americans from being fooled by this sleight of hand name change.

Sincerely, Mr. Kevin Wessels

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Sincerely, Ms. Libby Waite

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If you can't ban the sale of racoon dog fur products in the U.S., please label it correctly to diminish demand for the product. We have no need for clothing made out of dogs in the U.S.

thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Vicki Okerstrom

Mr. terry amadon

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HOW CAN ONE STAND BY AND LET A DOG BE SKINNED ALIVE AND THE RESULTING FUR BE MISREPRESENTED ON A LABEL OF A GARMENT SOLD HERE IN AMERICA????

Sincerely, Mr. Robert Jones

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Please do the right thing and make sure it is crystal clear that a dog is being butchered for its fur so everyone can boycott it.

Sincerely, Ms. Jeannie Lewis

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As a California licensed veterinary technician, biologist and former zoo keeper at the Los Angeles Zoo, I can attest to the fact that Raccoon Dogs are, in fact, dogs and should NOT be misleadingly referred to as Asiatic raccoons for the convenience of the Chinese fur trade. I have seen the horrific, undercover videos, absolutely unforgettable and disturbing, of raccoon dogs being skinned literally alive. The realization that one flayed body is alive, conscious and weakly raising its head to look around without its skin on a pile of other flayed bodies is enough to make one physically ill. I have seen many cruel acts in my life, some quite shocking, but that tragic image remains seared in my memory.

I urge you to review that documentation of cruelty in Chinese fur farms, where they stomp on live, struggling raccoons dogs, hang the helpless animals while conscious, and literally cut and strip their skins off while they struggle. This is done so there are no marks on the hide. You will experience nightmares watching those videos. I've had to kill numerous animals in my life and have always done so as quickly and as humanely as possible, but what goes on in the Chinese fur industry exceeds all bounds of human barbarity and disregard for suffering. These practices need to see the light of day and be stopped... now. Reclassifying the fur from raccoon dogs will not help stop the abuse, but will perpetuate it.

Marketing fur products under the name "Asiatic raccoon" will confuse customers who would never wish to wear canine (dog) fur and obscures the shocking reality of what is being done to the raccoon dogs raised in filthy, tiny cages where they are abused and, ultimately, killed in a prolonged and agonizing manner.

Please do NOT permit any reclassification of raccoon dog fur into something it is not, such as "Asiatic raccoon." Instead, I urge the Federal Trade Commission to investigate and ban all raccoon dog fur products from importation. Only by cutting off demand and a market for these products will the torture of captive raccoon dogs and

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Sincerely, Ms. Lori Paul, RVT

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I do not see the reason to kill animals for fashion - just stupid !!!

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The use of any animal fur that causes the animal pain or death is disgusting. To further condone such actions by allowing false and misleading labeling goes beyond heinous.

Raccoon DOGS are indeed DOGS, as cited by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Natural Resources Conservation Service, and the Smithsonian Institution. Do your job and require accurate, true labeling of these fur products.

Sincerely, Ms. EHREN CLOVIS

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"Any society, any nation, is judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members -- the last, the least, the littlest." ~Cardinal Roger Mahony, In a 1998 letter, Creating a Culture of Life

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Brad S. Beals

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First of all, you should actually outlaw ALL fur trade, because it is barbaric, disgusting, and cruel. However, more pressing, you should REQUIRE the RACCOON DOG to be called a dog, because it is. It is not a rodent or raccoon.

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We are in the 21st century now. There is a space station orbiting the planet. If we have the technology to put that together, I think we can come up with an alternative to using fur for clothing.

Furthermore, if the wearing of fur is a continued status symbol, then that is reflective of us being a most selfish, cruel and even barbaric people. A severe indictment of our perceived humanity, if you ask me.

Sincerely, Mrs. Kim Strauss

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Better yet, don't allow the use of fur for garments.

Sincerely, Mrs. Kristine Cullen

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Sincerely, Ms. Margaret Adams

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I have seen the horrific undercover videos of these dogs skinned alive their eyes silently pleading for someone to help. It is imperative that we call them by their proper name and that there can be no doubt that their fur is the fur of a dog

Personally any use of fur is repugnant to me but the deliberate obfuscation of the fur industry brings this to another level

Sincerely, Ms. Diana Urban

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One again I am stunned at the vicious cruelty that humans are responsible for....SHAME on us....when will this stop? The fur industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its cruel product -- now they want to be allowed to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon" no doubt so consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

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The skinning of dogs alive - or any animal for that matter is a shameful and inhumane practice. Please stop allowing companies to hide behind obscure labels which keep consumers in the dark on what they are purchasing.

Sincerely, Mrs. Sharon Van Hecke

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Sincerely, Mrs. Shirley Gentzyel

Mrs. Kathy Baliker

Oct 11, 2012

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Whether dog, raccoon or some other animal, all fur/pelts should be labeled exactly for what they are.

Sincerely, Ms. Silvia de Cardenas

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When will people stop buying wild animal fur? For me, its not that the raccoon dog is of the dog family but that is pointless, cruelly killing a creature to DECORATE a piece of clothing. Come on!

Sincerely, Ms. Susan Endries

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The fact that you are even considering this rule change, which will perpetuate needless cruelty, is an affront to all dog-lovers and others who believe in the humane treatment of animals.

Please reconsider the merits of, and need for, this change in regulations.

Sincerely, Dr. Thomas Culliney

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These are DOGS.

And, even if they were "wild" animals, they should not be killed.

Haven't you had enough KILLING in this lifetime????

Sincerely, Ms. Lou Hart

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Sincerely, Ms. Susan Weiner

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No animal deserves to be skinned alive so some idiot can have a "fur" something.

No animal deserves to be killed any more than we do--and humans are the cruelest of all.

So don't be cruel--be cool, protect ALL furry, scaled, feathered animals.

Sincerely, Ms. Carol Menchu

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If people want to buy raccoon dog fur on a product, they can do so, but they should be informed on the label exactly what the product is. Truth in labeling is what is necessary.

Speak the truth and shame the devil!

Sincerely, Mrs. Dana Kaiser

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I'm not a big fan of allowing the use of any fur, but at least let consumers know they are buying DOG fur. A dog by any other name is still a dog.

Sincerely, Ms. Lois Cheesman

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Any resistance to insisting the fur industry correctly label the racoon dog as "Asiatic racoon" makes the FTC complicit in contributing to the torture of these lovely creatures that are members of the dog family. Additionally, consumers have the right to know exactly what they are buying.

Do the right thing and insist the fur industry label fur correctly.

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Sincerely, Ms. Lita Spratt

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IN FACT, WHY NOT EARN THE TITLE "HUMAN" AND BAN THE FUR TRADE ALTOGETHER. YOU WOULD BE BANNING CRUELTY AND SUFFERING AS A MEANS OF LIVLIHOOD

Sincerely, Mr. NORMAN ANSTEY

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I don't want to sound like some radical animal rights person or rant on and on about the cruelty of animals subjected to the fur trade. YOU KNOW ALL THAT - you know everything there is to know.

Therefore I'd like to ask you to PLEASE listen to your heart and your conscious and help change things for the better. I used to wear fur; it's pretty and warm; a fashion statement & a status symbol. To be honest I felt pretty hot when I walked in the room with my beautiful coat - the envy of others. But there was always this uncomfortable feeling I got from doing this. And you know it didn't take reading books on the fur trade or watching horrific videos of the slaughter of beautiful creatures; all it took really was listening to my heart and allowing my conscious to guide me.

And then one day I made the decision that my happiness and enjoyment and time on this Earth would not be at the expense of our companion creatures or the insane cruelty they are subjected to.

Please, as a society we need to make these changes. NOW. If we don't wake up and realize all life is sacred and has it's place in the circle of life we are dooming ourselves to a very bleak and dark future.

I would plead with you to just stop this practice in its entirety but this letter is specific to labeling and so all I can ask you is to give consumers the truth about the products they purchase.

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Sincerely, Ms. BJ MARRA

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Sincerely, Mr. kevin williamson

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American consumers would and should be disgusted to know they are wearing dog fur.

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Sincerely, Ms. Erin Jordahl

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Whomever choose's to wear fur should see how the animals (regardless of species) are "farmed", the overcrowded, filth ridden cages, CONSTANT inbreeding & ultimatly the slaughter of skinning alive & the heart wretching scene as the poor animal screams as death is NOT immediate!! They would see piles of animals, shaking from shock, tears flowing. It is pure HORROR!!! From start to finish product, ANYONE who participates in the process-IS SOULESS!! WE MUST END THIS BARBARIC BUSINESS!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely, Ms. Denise Napoleone

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You should watch a dog being skinned alive in China before making your decision.

Sincerely, Mrs. DORINA CRUZ

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Sincerely, Ms. Maureen Williams

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Sincerely, Mrs. jill sullivan

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I believe a consumer has the right to FULL DISCLOSURE and if they choose to buy it KNOWING what it is, then that's their right but it cannot be allowed to mis-represent what they are actually being sold.

Sincerely, Mrs. camilla losnegard

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A dog is a dog is a dog. Please let that fact be apparent by labeling the product accurately as Dog Racoon.

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Whether "dog" or "raccoon", let's end this barbaric practice - of not only mislabeling, but mistreating any and all animals for vanity. My fashion is fur-free for many ethical and moral reasons.

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On a personal note, I find it disgusting that the US allows any merchandise to be sold that is made from such an animal. This is a case of plainly misleading the public, who would no doubt run from such products if given accurate information by government agencies supposedly protecting its citizens.

This must be stopped!

Sincerely,

Mr. BRYON HAMBACKER

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If you were ever to survive watching the horrific act of skin being ripped from a live animal - I can promise you that you would do everything in your power to never let that happen again. It's an image you will never forget! The fur industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its cruel product -- now they want to be allowed to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon" no doubt so consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

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Please do not let the fur industry fool people into thinking that these animals do not matter when in fact they do!

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Susette Baker

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What a horrible fate for a dog, raccoon, or any creature. No animal should be skinned alive. I implore you to use your authority and require this creature be aptly labelled "raccoon dog" on fur labels, etc. The fact that I have to request such compassion is pitiful.

Sincerely, Mr. George Sarris

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Changing the name will not change the mistreatment of this animal, it will cause MORE racoon dogs to suffer. Call it what it is or even better label all fur products with the tab "inhumane". If it is just a word....whats the difference?

Sincerely, Ms. Michelle Wall

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Thank you for standing up and showing you care.

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Sincerely, Mrs. Margie Manthey

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I Can't believe anyone with a human brain would even want to don a piece of clothing made from torturing any kind of animal ESPESIALLY canine. So come on, call it like it is on these labels. I think any label on clothing that was gotten from torturing any animal should have to state that animals were tortured.

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Sincerely, Mrs. GAIL NICHOLS

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Why just stop at a name change, wouldn't it be better to ban the import and sale of this fur and products made from it? Whether from a canid or any other species, the means by which the fur is obtained is beyond inhumane, it is disgustingly sadistic and produces a product that the world can well do without.

Sincerely, Dr. Stockton Garver

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Let's at least call this poor animal by it's correct name!

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I don't know how many of you have pet dogs, but those of you who do, know that your dog should not be skinned alive to make fur products. I have seen video of this and it is horrific. No animal should be skinned alive, and for this to happen to mans best friend is atrocious. I plead with you to help make it stop by making sure that we at least know what we are buying by following the reconciliations below.

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Don't use any fur but fake fur if you must! We don't need to skin any animals in 2012. It is barbaric!

Sincerely, Ms. Elaine Lemos

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And nevermind just changing the name - WHY THE HELL ARE WE ALLOWING ANIMALS OF ANY KIND TO BE SKINNED ALIVE FOR THEIR FUR???? ARE WE THAT BARBARIC AND INSENSITIVE TO ALLOW THIS JUST FOR GREED????????

Sincerely, Ms. Karen Mayer

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It is deplorable that this would be accepted by this country in light of the inhumane manner in which these living creatures are treated. Manipulation of phrasing leads to misleading and basic "lying" to the public in order to "make a buck" at the cost of innocent lives. Please reconsider the Fur Rules Review, Matter No. P074201.

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I am appauled that any governmental body in the United States would allow this type of "misclassification" of dogs. If this is just a way for China and other such countries to skirt the US Federal Dog and Cat Fur Protection Act, which prohibits dog and cat fur trade in the U.S, then I am extremely disappointed in the Federal Trade Commission, for allowing the "misclassification" to happen in the first place!

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Sincerely, Dr. Mary Jane Jones

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They are dogs. They should be listed as dogs.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Melanie Lovell

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If you are a real person reading this you should realize that action is needed, so act.

Sincerely, Dr. John Vernier

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Sincerely, Mrs. Ruth Pezzi

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Fur sellers should have the courage to sell their products honestly. Duping the public is unacceptable, as is petitioning the government to help in their deception.

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PLEASE STOP THE MISLEADING LABELING. DOES IT REALLY MATTER WHAT SPECIES THE ANIMAL IS. CRUELTY IS CRUELTY AND NO ANIMAL DESERVES TO BE TORTURED.

Sincerely, Ms. Linda Rodis

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It is time to STOP ALL FUR INDUSTRIES, It is disgusting. STOP IT!!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely, Ms. Karen Dwyer

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Lets hope that eventually no matter what the name, people stop using fur and leave all these precious animals alone. But until then, lets call them what they are!

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Even better, don't allow these animals to be killed for their fur! This is b.s. when we have so many synthetic fabrics that most people can't tell from the real thing. Why does anything have to lose it's life for some fool to feel better about themselves. Stupid, ignorant fur industry.

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## Miss melissa meyer

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Skinning any animal alive is the most cruel, inhumane abomination. How can anyone with a conscience condone such a thing?

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Intentionally mislabeling items so that consumers cannot make educated decisions equals lying to them. I want to be able to make informed decisions on what I buy, and where it comes from. And our government should be protectiong our rights to do so, not assisting in cruelty to animals and deceiving our people for the profit of another nations greed.

Sincerely, Ms. Kimberley Thelen

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On a personal not, it makes me sick what is happening to these dogs and I pray for their poor souls.

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Sincerely, Ms. ml ludington

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The fur product labeling act of 1951 stated that the fur item must state which animal fur was used. Previous to 1951 they called skunk fur "American Sable" or "Alaskan Sable." After the truth in labeling act people did not want to buy skunk fur when they found out it was skunk fur. Please, call raccoon dog fur, raccoon dog. Calling it "Asiatic raccoon" or "Finn raccoon" is incredibly misleading. Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. mary cummins

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The inhumane methods cited in the killing of these animals for their fur is unbelievable. Please stop this horrid abuse!

Sincerely, Ms. Jacqueline Madsen

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If you understand that the animals on this planet are sentient beings, you will not allow them to be so horribly abused.

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Can you believe this? Smoke and mirrors. Talk about misrepresentation. How did this happen? Many furs labeled as synthetic are really animal fur too. How did this happen our your watch? Let's meet to discuss your efforts here.

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Mrs. Deborah Hahn

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It would be a travesty and an injustice to allow consumers to unwittingly purchase products of such cruel acts. A dog is a dog is a dog, and inhumane, heartless, SAVAGE acts such as this should not be unwittingly and unwillingly supported by consumers in this county.

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I can't imagine who would want to wear raccoon fur and certainly not dog fur.

Thank you

Sincerely, Ms. Melanie Pearson

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What is wrong with you people! Doesn't anyone of you own a dog??? Would you like your dog to be skinned alive? Let's keep buying and borrowing money from China:o(

Sincerely, Ms. Emmelien Grahn

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And, who wants to wear the fur of an animal that is skinned alive - no matter what the name.

Dogs should not be made into clothes.

Sincerely, Dr. beverly riverwood

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I don't believe that the skinning ALIVE of ANY animal should be tolerated!!!!!!!!!

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I truly appreicate your time to review this proposal.

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The fact that this particular type of fur is obtained from a member of the dog family makes it that much more egregious, hence the mislabelling. Those who would choose to wear fur have a right--a responsibility--to know the origin of the pelt and make an educated decision.

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Sincerely, Ms. Denise McDowell

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When I first saw the images of these beautiful animals who are in fact dogs, in rows of filthy cages awaiting a horrible and painful death in China, they were indelibly imprinted on my mind and when I found that they could be mislabeled on garments as faux, I felt so sad and so angry and could not believe it. I would do anything to find a way to stop this horrendous inhuman practice PLEASE do not allow this to happen, this would promote more torture and further the horror of these poor dogs lives. We cannot allow our best friends to suffer in this manner please stop this from proceeding.

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As far as I'm concerned, tthe "fur industry" should bloody well go out of business, as they use fur bearing animals in very barbaric ways. I would never buy anything of fur. As for Asia in general, they seem particularly pre-disposed to treat animals in the most vicious and cruel ways, (although unfortulately they are not alone in this psychopathic behavior).

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Please do the right thing for these innocent animals. Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Pam Silva

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I have personally seen the gruesome footage of these poor animals being skinned alive and have even contacted the Chinese embassy regarding their inhumane treatment. Mislabeling them "raccoon fur" only contributes to their ongoing SUFFERING!! You must not contribute to this ongoing, disgusting practice.

Sincerely, Dr. Michael Prater

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This whole subject is kind of gross. I was unaware of raccoon dogs and how they are treated in some areas. Please do the right thing.

Sincerely, Mr. Stephen Schlosser

Mrs. ronda Locke

Oct 11, 2012

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Sincerely, Ms. Marianne Skoczek

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Please stop the fur industry from misrepresenting the fur of Racoon Dogs!! The public has a right to know that these furs are coming from a member of the Canidae (dog) family. The public should also know about the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented..

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This cruelty to these and other innocent animals is appalling and must stop!

Sincerely, Ms. Jean Mullen

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The way these animals are treated is exceptionally cruel and if consumers knew the market would shrink. There are many things on Gods earth more important than money. Moral human beings do not treat Gods creatures the way these animals get treated. I expect the FCC to uphold the mainstream values of American culture in its policies. Anyone in the US who treated an animal the way these canines get treated would be guilty of committing a federal anti-cruelty crime. Allowing mis-labeling that is specifically designed to obscure the true nature of the process is abetting the immoral act. I expect the FCC to insist on honesty in labeling.

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Sincerely, Mr. kevin flynn

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Dishonesty should not be employed to further any business interests, and the use of dog pelts in garments must not be condoned by an agency of the U.S. government.

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Sincerely, Ms. ellen Hurley Clark

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As a dog lover this repulsed me that the government would allow such misrepresentation to the public.

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Sincerely, Ms. Sarah Link

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Sincerely, Ms. Margaraet Webber

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It's obviously absurd for any customer to find the skinning of real raccoons acceptable while recoiling in horror from the skinning of dogs. Animal-fur coats, using any species, are an inhumane way for members of our own species to indulge in luxury. Perhaps if the fur industry is held accountable for dishonesty in this specific area, it will be one step toward a more general evolution beyond the primitive, obsolete practice of flaunting dead animal fur as a status symbol.

Sincerely, Dr. William Millard

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Sincerely, Mr. Franco Tapia

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Sincerely, Mrs. Gloria Ann Callahan

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Sincerely, Mrs. Mary Trevor

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I would suggest that you close your eyes and imagine the face of any animal that has just been skinned alive just so their fur is not damaged and become the embellishment on clothing. Hopefully, you will feel like I did the first time I saw it in practice. I will be forever haunted by the eyes - protruding on a naked face with the expression of such sadness you cannot believe. Do the right thing and ban this practice. We should not be called humans otherwise!

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They ar mans' best friend!

All reputable governmental and scientific sources, including the U.S.

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Sincerely, Mrs. Christina Garcia

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Sincerely, Mrs. Cindy Meitzen

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I find it repulsive that skinning an animal alive is allowed. However, trying to cover the name up and dupe the public is as repulsive. Please do not allow this deception to take place. Thank you for your time.

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It is imperitive that labels represent products accurately without giving preferential treatment to special interests and manufacturers. If a product cannot be sold while providing honest information, then the product is not what the public is seeking. Accurate labeling offers the public a choice while false labeling takes that right to purchase (or not) away from the consumer.

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First of all, this horrid and unbelievably inhumane practice needs to be stopped. Secondly, the fur industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its cruel product -- now they want to be allowed to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon" no doubt so consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

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We must remember fur is ment for the backs of the animals born with it! Not on the backs of us human animal.

Sincerely, Ms. Carol Zarrilli

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It is bad enough for people to wear racoon fur, but it is hideous to wear dog fur. Most people would definitely want to know that they are looking at a product made from dog fur so that they could simply make a better choice.

Sincerely, Ms. Jeannette Logan

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No animal deserves to be skinned alive, regardless of species, but until we can end that barbaric practice, the least we can do is provide accurate information to consumers.

Sincerely, Ms. Tanya Cash

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Do the right thing and do not allow this. We must speak for animals as they cannot speak for themselves. Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Karen McGee

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SO this is a standard message, and i think it covers it all pretty well. However Id like to add, personally, that no animal should be mistreated for its meat/fur/milk/ivory etc etc. There are ways to be more humane to animals. they feel. anyone who has had a pet really believes thier pet loves them when they are sitting there petting them and loving them! its just the right thing to do.

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HOW APPALLING! I would be absolutely horrified to find out a raccoon fur coat was made from a domesticated animal. And I'm not a no-fur-crazy person. Stop this now!!!!

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Ultimately, whatever any fur-bearing animal is named, they are all subjected to horrific abuses and immorally cruel deaths. Proper labeling and accountability it is hoped will gradually move us toward a world without fur.

Sincerely, Dr. Janet Mindes, PhD

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I FEEL THAT THIS IS INHUMANE IN ALL WAYS TO THE ANIMALS! The misrepresentation is just a ploy to make money and avoid the true purpose to save and protect all animals!

Sincerely, Ms. GWENN MULLINS

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That being said, SELLING ANY FUR is barbaric and should be stopped altogether!! Any reputation that is gleaned by this act has NOTHING to do with being reputable - it's plain cruelty no matter what the name of the fur is!

"Like a mother who protects her child, her only child, with her own life, one should cultivate a heart of unlimited love and compassion towards all living beings".

The Buddha

Compassion, in which all ethics must take root, can only attain its full breadth and depth if it embraces all living creatures and does not limit itself to mankind.

Albert Schweitzer

To be kind is more important than to be right. Many times, what people need is NOT a brilliant mind that speaks but a SPECIAL HEART that listens.

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And that is the name that should remain on labels and in marketing materials for products made with fur from these DOGS, not from the fur of raccoons as "Asiatic raccoon" implies.

Sincerely, Ms. Bernadette LaManna

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Racoons do not need to be used for clothing - PERIOD!!

Sincerely, Ms. Barb Kenealy

Mrs. nancy wolfe

Oct 11, 2012

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Stop letting business manipulate by words as a way to kill helpless animals. THe fur is not needed at all. Synthetics do the trick. I am a sled dog racer with many parkas that have wonderful warm fake fur. This is just another way to exploit the planet that is not necessary and causes harm to living things. STop this now. Do not allowl raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon". Many people will not realize what is happening. The live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented.

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I urge the FTC, in the strongest possible terms, to reject the fur industry's transparent attempt to profit from the suffering of dogs. There must be truth in labeling. Require them to admit they are skinning a breed of dogs. Require them to call their reprehensible product by its rightful name: "Raccoon Dog."

Thank you.

Sincerely, Mr. Joseph Fisch

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I once made myself watch a horrendous video of how these precious animals are beaten to near death by slamming them by their tails against the ground or another object, only to then be literally skinned while still breathing. No living being should be made to suffer so terribly. I buy NOTHING that even remotely resembles fur and this is one of the reasons. Please help end this barbaric practice.

Sincerely, Mrs. Theresa Belcher

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To take things a step further, I fully support the U.S. from not allowing the sale of these items in the United States. This unusually cruel mistreatment and disgusting abuse should not be tolerated in the world!

Sincerely, Miss Amy Heinl

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Sincerely, Mr. kyle howard

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I strongly object to using Raccoon dogs fur, and/or any other animal for that matter. Since raccoon dogs are not wild animals, and are a member of the dog family, it is even more inhumane and cruel. I object to using the fur from any animals, and would hope that if people do not purchase such, there will be a discontinuance in the live fur animal trade.

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Sincerely, Ms. Lea Bayliss

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even so, why the fuck should a raccooon be treated any different???!

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Please do not allow for this to happen. Consumers should be able to purchase goods and services based on ACCURATE information about what they are buying. Deliberate misleading of consumers only serves to undermine the free-market principles that we hold so dearly, and to cause unnecessary suffering to animals worldwide.

Sincerely, Ms. Prathi Seneviratne

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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It is time to take action and correctly label the Raccoon dog as what it is, a dog. Allowing this cruel and inhumane treatment to continue is disgusting.

Sincerely, Ms. Trish Bunyard

Mrs. Brandi Brown

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These are living, breathing animals....in all accounts this is inhumane and a severe form of animal cruelty.

I will never buy any type of fur or animal coat. Hopefully this ridiculous practice will stop.

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Please don't allow consumers to be misled into buying DOG FUR.

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Mr. Sam FRIEDLANDER

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I would urge you to watch an animal being skinned alive by a cruel trader before you allow this to go on. Truthfully, all animal fur trim should be replaced by truly artificial fur. (Not the dog fur that is labeled as synthetic that comes from China.)

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Those buying these products of animal misery should be forced to acknowlege exactly what animal has been skinned for their own vanity.

Sincerely, Dr. Nicole Shonka

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I find it difficult to comprehend how we allow anyone to perform a "live skinning" on any creature. It's horrendous. At the very least, let's call a raccoon dog - a raccoon dog - and let's hope that keeps the demand for this product to a bare minimum.

Sincerely, Ms. Patricia Fitzpatrick

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\*\*I don't care what you name it, just STOP killing them!!!! What the HELL is wrong with people and the people of China needs some serious help..... How would you liked if you or your kids were killed alive.

Sincerely, Ms. Lisa Leija

Mrs. Diane Kapetanakis

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DEAR ANIMAL OR PERSON ON THIS EARTH ACCEPTABLE. SKINNING ALIVE. THIS WORLD MAKES ME SICK, AND HOW THE PEOPLE WHO DO THIS TYPE OF THING GET AWAY WITH IT LIKE IT IS NOT IMPORTANT OR ANYTHING BAD.......I WOULD PRAY THEY WATCH SOMEONE SKIN A DEAR CHILD OR FAMILY PET IN FRONT OF THEM AND LISTEN TO THE CHILLING CRYS...AND SAY, IT'S OKAY. IT'S FINE. WHEN AND WHO WILL PASS LAWS TO HAVE MERCY AND KINDNESS IN THIS MEAN AND CAREINGLESS WORLD...

NO ONE

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Sincerely, Ms. Liz Clark

Mrs. lucille courtney

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Sincerely, Mrs. lucille courtney

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It is important for anyone who may be fooled not to be walked around with a pet on their back. We need to protect those who can't protect themselves.

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Harvesting fur from living animals in this way is reprehensible. It must stop. Please help!

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Please do your part to mandate that fur from racoon dogs be labeled exactly that. This is a matter of consumer rights and it is a matter of humane treatment by humans of animals.

Thank you for your concern and your anticipated support of protection of animals from cruel treatment!

Sincerely, Ms. Cynthia Opderbeck

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If you allow this, it will open other avenues of misrepresentation so other animal's will be skinned alive.

Sincerely, Mrs. Melissa Butler

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And really, they should also be labelled "this fur was skinned off a live animal."

Sincerely, Dr. Chris Paradise

Mrs. marjorie tromba

Oct 11, 2012

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Thank you for your time in reading this message, and it was not meant to offend anyone in any way. This cruelty has to come to an end.

Sincerely, Mr. Alexander contreras

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Please, be honest, use the correct name and quit trying to "get away" with something!

Sincerely, Mrs. JUDY Martin

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I have seen the videos of the Chinese skinning these animals ALIVE. It is hideous and has no place in American retail.

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We find this practice of treating any animal in this manner HORRIFYING!

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Sincerely, Mr. m. waters

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Please help end this breed's inhumane treatment and terrible suffering by not allowing this misleading name change to pass.

Sincerely, Ms. PETRA HINKE

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Skinned alive? OMG! Nothing-no thing-should ever be skinned alive! Please abolish this NOW!

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Better yet lets stop the killing of of raccoon dogs and put a stop to the fur trade all together. Stop the cruelty!!!!!

Sincerely, Mrs. Robin Johnson

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Calling my chihuahua a Mexican rat doesn't make it a rodent; some people who would happily wear raccoon would be horrified knowing others are wearing dog. But hiding the identity of a species to make it more attractive to the Western consumer doesn't represent the kind of transparency we Westerners prefer in our government.

Anyone who wants to cover themselves in dog fur could simply get a dog -- most of them shed admirably.

Thanks.

Sincerely, Ms. Lynne Walker

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The Federal Trade Commission should not even allow the import of these products, period! This practice needs to go viral, which I intend to start on Facebook, and hope to pressure The FTC to block the fur industry from importing not only the fur, but clothing products trimmed in this fur as well. I am certain the American Public would not support this practice, if widely known!!

Sincerely, Ms. carolyn sumners

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This is just horrible that any dog would be skinned alive or dead for fur!! Please do not support the change of this name, as this creature is a dog and not a raccoon, and people need to know this in order not to support this cruelty!

Thank you,

Sincerely, Ms. Sandra Rothenberg

Mrs. kristine hunt

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Will the FTC lead the way to a better world or add to the downward spiral?

Sincerely, Ms. Patricia Welch

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Sincerely, Ms. April Lima

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And skinned alive for the fur !!! that is barbaric. China shame on you and anyone that buys dog fur to wear. It is meant to keep the dog warm not you faux fur is warmer by the way produced in the US and china no one has to lay screaming in agony thrown into a pile to die. Regard for life seems to be very very low these days. I am ashamed of my fellow man.

Sincerely, Ms. Reina Benavidez

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I am just learning all of this today and am appalled.

Sincerely, Ms. ERICA AVILA

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Stop the mislabeling of racoon dog fur. It is not fair to the customer. These animals are skinned alive in China. Who wants that? What American wants to give money to China for skinning an animal alive?

What I really wish is for all fur to be illegal in the U.S.. What I really want is at least for fur from China to be illegal.

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Remember there are simple ways to solve simple problems...ever heard of an elephant dog? How about a horse dog? I didn't think so.. yet you have a raccoon dog and it isn't either..it is one or the other....and it truthfully should be labeled as such and the fur industry knows this......Be steadfast and courageous...it is time to be firm in your decision....we dumb consumers trust you!!!

Dorothy Daniel

Sincerely, Mrs. dorothy daniel

Mrs. Shaileen Patton

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Let's call a spade a spade, and a dog a dog. While I'm not sure it would make any difference to a person who is willing to buy real fur in the first place, we should at least strive towards honesty and not misrepresentation.

Sincerely, Mrs. Shaileen Patton

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Thank you for taking a stand for animals - they are God's creation also. They should not have to be treated this way - it is torture!

Sincerely, Miss Gail Hale

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Why do we still have to discuss whether or not to accept deceptive labeling of anything?

Sincerely, Ms. Susan Hinkle

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Sincerely, Mrs. Gertrude Ward

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It should also not be permissible for live skinning of ANY animal much less an animal classified as "Man's Best Friend".

"We can judge the heart of a man by his treatment of animals." Immanuel Kant

Sincerely, Ms. Ann Olsen

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I am horrified that the FTC continues to allow such atrocities to occur by not informing consumers of the true nature of this fur. Please insist on full disclosure in this matter.

Sincerely, Mrs. Catherine Robson

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Dogs are man's best friend. You are man's worst friend if you allow dogs to be mudered for their fur. Be a friend, stop the slaughter.

Sincerely, Mr. Colin Russell

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As well as the above misnaming of the product it is just simply cruel to sell fur - period. At the very least one could ensure that the label is correct.

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TECHNOLOGY IS SO FAR ADVANCED THAT "FAKE FUR" IS GOOD ENUF IF "SOME HORRID" PEOPLE INSIST ON FUR = THEY WILL NOT KNOW THE DIFFERENCE IF FAKE = SOLD FOR REAL.

WHY HAVE AND EVEN WEAR 'FAKE' FUR ON YOUR CLOTHES - IT IS MORE MODERN & STYLISH & SPORTY WEARING NO FAKE FUR AT ALL BUT IF YOU MUST - IT MUST BE FAKE

IS IT NOT BAD ENUF OUR SOLDIERS GIVE UP THEIR LIVES FOR LIBERTY THAT WE INSIST ON VERY FREE BORN ANIMALS TO GIVE UP THEIR FUR AND LIFE FOR US TO WEAR REAL FUR???

I WISH NO GOOD TO THE PEOPLE WHO INSIST ON REAL FUR; ALTHOUGH I AM SINNING AS I BELIEVE IN EASTERN RELIGION. FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART - I WISH & HOPE THESE HORRID PEOPLE (WHO INSIST ON REAL FUR WEARING) REINCARNATE IN ONE OF THE ANIMALS THEY WILL KILL PURPOSELY FOR THEIR FUR...SO THEY CANNOT VOICE THEIR OPINION EITHER.

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Sincerely, Ms. Karen Lynch

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Please have the label reflect what animal supplied the fur. This is important since the fur consumer should know what animal is being slaughtered. It is obvious that using a misleading name is designed to avoid having people discover that the fur they are wearing is from a member of the dog family and be able to sell more of their products. What's next?!

Sincerely, Ms. Anne C

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Sincerely, Ms. Alina Frolova

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Sadly, the fur industry has maintained a long history of misrepresenting its products in order to sell furs, which are obtained through cruel and senseless treatment of animals. Products sourced from China are particularly appalling as animals are so horribly mistreated, including being skinned alive for their fur - a well documented practice.

Now the fur industry wants to disguise fur obtained from raccoon dogs by adopting trade names such as, "Asiatic raccoon", or "Finn raccoon" with the specific intent to mislead consumers in the source of these fur products. Raccoon dogs are a member of the Canidae (dog) family and are NOT, as the name "Asiatic raccoon" implies, members of the Procyonidae (raccoon) family.

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As many consumers might not be comfortable knowing a dog was tortured and killed in order to provide a fur product, they at least deserve to know so they can make an informed decision to purchase or not. I urge you to hold the fur trade industry accountable to provide accurate information to consumers, just as advertising rules demand the same from the pharmaceutical, food and other industries.

Sincerely, Ms. Carrie Worley

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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The fur industry has a long history of misrepresentation in order to sell its product, which is why labeling rules are necessary. Now the fur industry wants to sell raccoon dog under the name "Asiatic raccoon," which is misleading. Likely consumers won't make the connection to the live skinning and other abuses of this animal that have been well documented if this misleading labeling is allowed.

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Thank you for your time on this matter.

Sincerely, Ms. Sheila Carroll

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While I don't agree with killing any animal for its fur (and certainly not skinning it alive), at least we should make sure that animal identities are correct.

Sincerely, Ms. Betsy Thibault

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Please make sure that consumers can make their own wise choices by preventing use of this deliberately misleading name!

Sincerely, Ms. Mary Lynn Monge

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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It is ABSOLUTELY reprehensible to allow the live skinning of any mammal but do it just for fashion and profit is so inexcusble that words cannot begin to tell of my repulsion. Furrier who participate in such actions are destroing any goodwill they have.

Sincerely, Dr. Norma Sutcliffe

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NO animal shall be harmed for the sake of entertainment, clothing or as a means to be cruel. Please stop the use of animals in any area where they are harmed or killed.

Sincerely, Mrs. Vonnie Chinn

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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This is totally inhumane to even consider using this dog as an adornment for humans. Leave the coat on the dog and use fake fur. Actually no animal should have to be die to cater to human vanity.

Sincerely, Ms. Karen Merry

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Please, we have enough barbarians in this world on it's way back to the dark ages.

Sincerely, Ms. Kathryn Robinson

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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It is absurd that the FTC is even entertaining the possibility of allowing the fur industry to call any canine a "raccoon" so as to avoid offending American sensibilities. Few, if any, Americans would knowingly wear dog fur and it is the FTC's responsibility to make sure that consumers KNOW what they are purchasing.

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Sincerely, Ms. Esaias Johnson

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Sincerely, Ms. Emily Breedlove

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Please help to stop the killing of dogs for fur!

Sincerely, Mr. Michael Moon

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Of course, I would personally not wear ANY animal fur, raccoon, dog, or otherwise, but to try to mislead people into thinking it's a raccoon is just wrong.

Sincerely, Ms. Fran Weaver

Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20580

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Sincerely, Miss Angélica Beltrán

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Sincerely, Ms. Marenka Cermy

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Mrs. Heather Davis

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Fur for fashion is completely inhumane and serves no purpose in modern society. I would never vote for anyone who supports the industry or helps to loosen regulations. The practice should be made illegal, but until that can happen, fur manufacturers should be required to accurately label their products (just as the producers of other harmful product do).

Sincerely, Mr. Michael Foley

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Do we really need to skin living, sentient beings alive? Ask anyone who owns a dog. Can we please draw the line at this phony misrepresentation of man's best friend? Please?

Sincerely, Ms. Lauren Batdorf

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Sincerely, Ms. Jane Roybal

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I don't understand why it would ever be acceptable in 2012 to skin ANY animal alive for its fur. What are we, Neanderthals? In any case, please don't make it easier to skin man's best friend alive.

Sincerely, Mr. Jason Moschner

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These dogs need our protection from unnecessary cruelty. Please support this action to enforce correct labels thereby allowing consumers to make an informed decision. Thank you.

Sincerely, Mr. Jeff LeFevre

Mrs. Mary Radek

Oct 11, 2012

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Sincerely, Ms. Sandi Carner

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It would be bad enough if they were raccoons ... I'm not a fan of fur anyway and find it not defensible to kill well-clad animals to clothe non-indigenous, non-arctic humans.

We protect dogs - please act to make it impossible to dress up this unnecessary waste of animal life as somehow associated with something less than our best companions.

Sincerely, Dr. Deborah Kohn

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Dogs bring so much love and joy it disgusts me they are abused like this, please put a stop to it!

Sincerely, Mr. John Talbot

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Sincerely, Mrs. Sandra Lowry

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No matter what the species. No matter what we name we apply to an animal.

How in the name of all that is alive and beautiful, can any nation.. how can the world, condone the skinning alive of ANY innocent, helpless animal?

My outrage means nothing to the world of commerce and profit; but add my name to those who are also outraged an the inhumaneness of humanity

Sincerely, Ms. Janet Supriano

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Let's stop pandering to sales and the almighty dollar and start calling "apples" by their name and "oranges" by their name--as they ain't just FRUIT!

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Bonnie Mausolf

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Sincerely, Ms. Amy Kramer

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Sincerely, Ms. Ashley Bixler

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If we can't stop the fur trade altogether, let's at least keep them honest.

Sincerely, Miss Susan Klass

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The fur trade, industries and practices are disgustingly cruel and need to be outlawed world wide. Please help those who cannot speak for themselves- thank you!

Sincerely, Ms. Krista Carr

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(How could you be so unbelievably awful to skin a living thing?)

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Please, protect this species of dogs. Calling it a raccoon, instead of a dog intentionally deceives consumers! No doubt the raccoon should be protected as well, but lets be realistic that people will purchase a raccoon pelt, but would be repulsed at wearing dog!

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There is no need to use fur on garments at all - so be honest about what you are killing and selling!

Sincerely, Mrs. Jane Gould

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I hope one day NO animals will be used for their fur. That NO animals will be so cruely and inhumanely treated in China. What that country does to animals is disgusting and horrific and that barely describes it

Sincerely, Miss Annette Gelinskey

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Sincerely, Mr. Stuart McDonald

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MY FAMILY AND I STRONGLY FEEL THIS IS A CASE OF SELFISH LOBBYISTS FOR A SELFISH INDUSTRY TRYING TO PULL THE WOOL, OR FUR, OVER all OUR EYES! This is pitiful and we're against it.

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And another thing. No animal should be skinned alive. That is cruel and disgusting and cannot be justified.

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You people make me sick, to think at what length you are ready to go, just to procure money for yourself!

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Sincerely, Miss Liuwina Hæklund

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EVEN BETTER, HOW ABOUT NOT KILLING THESE DOGS AT ALL!!!

Sincerely, Mrs. VICTORIA LATUGA

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Sincerely, Ms. Elaine Price

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Or better yet really, just STOP selling it! Leave them in the wild where they should be.

Sincerely, Ms. Yvette Irwin

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This is a disgusting, inhumane and classic ploy of those who have no respect for life. Please take this small step in stopping the torture.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Ms. Kristine Ellis

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Sincerely, Mrs. Anna Ross

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I have no time at all for the wearing of fur in a world with at least 5 billion people. Any wild animal could be wiped out at the whim of fashion..Since we are so clever at making synthetic materials let us be satisfied with that and end all cruelty and exploitation of animals.

Sincerely, Mr. Tony Bennion

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First, NO animal deserves to be skinned alive. Second, this deception is a inhumane, heartless, self-serving abomination geared toward feeding the greedy ends of both insensitive Chinese who continue to perpetrate these deploreable acts on all animals as wells as the willilfully blind American people who continue to either passively or intentionally collude with the Chinese to make a buck,

How would you like to have one of your children skinned alive? You might beigin to understand if the animal were dead first.

If you have to pause for thought on this issue before taking swift and immediate action, you and whatever organization you represent are just as guilty as those committing these atrocities.

"We can do all thigs through Christ which strengthens

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Sincerely, Mrs. GIGI LIEBENTHAL

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Sincerely, Mr. Nick Cochran

Mrs. Denice Keys

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If consumers are turned off by wearing dog fur, they deserve to know what they're buying all the more.

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Sincerely, Dr. Shannin Zevian

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Not one single animal should have to die so us "Humans" can wear "Fancy Fur Clothing"!!!!!

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Sincerely, Ms. Irene Gillette

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This practice is unspeakable cruel, wholly unnecessary, should not be considered an acceptable form of trade, work or economy, rather it should be a crime of serious magnitude. This practice demeans the whole of creation. The correct labeling of this so-called product is the extreme least that should be done.

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Please, please make certain that the correct label is used to provide consumers and companies the correct knowledge when making their choices.

Sincerely, Mrs. Judith Gravlin

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MAKE IT 3 inches high - I WONT WEAR ANY FUR and if I bought something mislabled - I would return it and not SUPPORT SUCH CRUELTY = YES CRUETY - HAVE YOU WATCHED THE VIDOES OF THEM SKINNED ALIVE - THIS WOULDNT BE AN ISSUE IF YOU DID - BAN THEM DONT EVEN ALLOW THEM INTO THE COUNTRY - ITS SICK

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This is one step in outlawing the fur industry completely. Fur belongs on animals NOT on people.

Sincerely, Ms. Jo Ann Knight

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In this day and age there is no use to have the killing of animals for their fur. We have developed other ways of staying warm. Leave the few animal we have remaining without this horrible abuse.

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Let's call things what they really are. Just as I want to know what I'm consuming on a food label, any clothing I purchase I want to know what it really is. This would be a major misrepresentation and dishonest.

Sincerely, Mrs. Karen Rudie

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Please don't make it any easier for this awful crime against the raccoon dogs to continue to occur.

Sincerely, Mrs. Jennifer Ferris

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Regardless of their species, it is ABSOLUTELY HORRIFIC to skin animals alive-why would any government allow that???? In all honesty- it should be illeagal to even sell the fur of an animal that was tortured- maybe that should be on the label as well!! Only sick demented people would buy that- people need to be aware of the pain and suffering that animals go through just so some a-hole human can have a pretty fur coat/accessory.....SICK!!!

Sincerely, Mrs. Pamela LaForest-Fulcher

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From a concerned Caucasian skinned human dog, otherwise known as a human being!

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Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely, Ms. Jennifer Newbauer