From: Julie Longway

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Subject: Ag Exemption S.102

Dear Committee Members,

We are an industry that has live animals that must be cared for 24-7 and if workers left in strike it would create animal welfare state of emergency; potential for a food crisis and interruption in the supply chain that many depend on, and potential environmental situations in regards to the management of animal wastes as everything is dependent on workforce 24-7. We are asking for an Ag exemption. Dairy farms are continuing to work through voluntary training and over site provided by their dairy cooperatives to address any concerns of their workers. These programs have been developed and are necessary for farms to ship and sell their product and as a way to ensure positive relationships with consumers.

Respectfully, We need your help! Please exempt Ag from S.102.

Thanks, Travis, Adam & Julie Longway Longway Farms LLC