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Secretary Donald Clark
Federal Trade Commission
6th St. & Pennsylvania Ave.
Washington, D. C. 10580

Subject: "Made in USA"

Gentlemen:

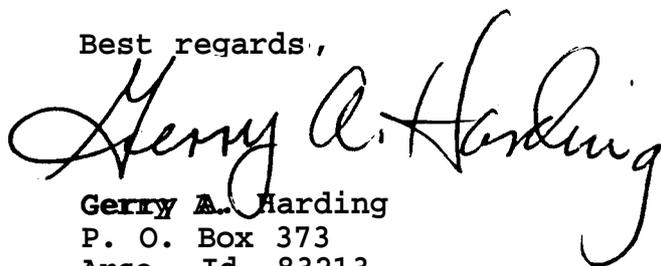
It is hard to believe a agency of the United States Government is proposing to allow materials not made in the United States to be incorporated into products and still carry the "Made in USA" label.

I take great pride in refusing to purchase products that do not have the "Made in USA" label.

Wal-Mart is expanding all across the United States and it appears their success is due to their efforts to stock and advertise products "Made in USA".

In closing, many of the other United States Government agencies are making ingredient labels, truth in lending, health warnings, etc. more stringent rather relaxing requirements, as the subject proposal appears to accomplish.

Best regards,



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