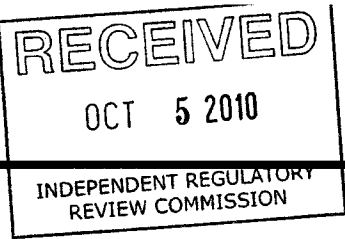


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**From:** James M. Benster [jimbenster@earthlink.net]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 05, 2010 3:10 AM  
**To:** IRRRC  
**Cc:** James M. Benster  
**Subject:** Please DISAPPROVE proposed regulation #2777 Department of Agriculture 2-160

To whom it may concern,

I urge you to disapprove the proposed regulation #2777 Department of Agriculture 2-160 as it may seriously impede the ability of raw-milk producers to continue to make a living. I drink raw milk everyday, am a microbiologist by training, and have studied the differences between raw milk and pasteurized and homogenized milk carefully. Raw milk is by far the healthiest of all forms of milk being sold, and its record for safety is very good. When raw milk goes sour, it does not putrefy. Not so for pasteurized milk.

Please protect our rights to choose what types of food our best for us, instead of forcing entire industries to match your onerous regulations. I wish to drink raw milk, and in order for this to happen, small producers of raw milk must not be forced into situations that are impossible for them to sustain economically. The record does not warrant the types of regulations being proposed in #2777.

Please disapprove it.

Jim