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To: Lori Graves

Subject: Emergency relating to Hans Nederend Dairy #2 requiring expeditious treatment of water transfer.

Hans Nederend has been renting a dairy (Nederend Dairy #2) which is located close to his home farm (Nederend Dairy #1). The facility (Nederend Dairy #2) is owned by Cornell Van Dam. Last summer, due to the record breaking heat, and the lack of a back-up well, cattle went without water on 3 occasions in very hot weather. This is a dangerous and inhumane situation which Hans is trying to rectify through construction of a back-up well. The hot weather will be upon us shortly and the need to begin drilling the required well is urgent. Hans respectfully requests that his application be accorded a high priority status, so that an event which will produce a great deal of pain and suffering for his 2500 dairy cows may be avoided. Thank You!

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