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Mrs. Michelle Bachelet
President of the Republic of Chile

Copenhagen, April 10th 2007.

With this letter we wish to express our unconditional support for the proposal presented to you by the Chilean animal defense group Homo Vegetus.

The proposal is for the creation of a Ministerial Unit of Animal Protection, to be included in the next Ministry of Environment.

Given our knowledge of, and experience in, this field, we consider it a great and important step to create a unit, which pays specific attention to animal protection with special emphasis on ethical control. We feel this is a matter important enough to be an unavoidable topic to your presidency.

True development of a nation should go hand in hand with the setting of limits leading its citizens toward higher ethical standards. Therefore, the next creation of a Ministry of the Environment represents a significant historical opportunity for Chile as a nation, and a chance to impel a kind of moral progress that will guarantee a superior standard of life for all inhabitants of your country, humans as well as animals.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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