

April 2, 2008

Ms. Kerri Anderson
Wendy's International, Inc.
One Dave Thomas Blvd.
Dublin, OH 43017

Dear Ms. Anderson,

I am writing to ask Wendy's to commit to phasing out its use of eggs from battery-cage hens, following the lead of Burger King, Hardee's, Denny's and Carl's Jr., which have already made commitments in this regard.

I personally own several egg-laying hens, so I'm familiar with how sensitive these animals are. The cramped, unnatural conditions of battery cages cause large amounts of unnecessary stress, disease, and suffering, as numerous scientific welfare studies have demonstrated.

The movement away from battery-cage eggs is in full force—with, for example, over 300 colleges and universities committing to the purchase of cage-free eggs—and it would be an embarrassment for Wendy's to be one of the last companies to make this transition. Already Wendy's lags behind several close competitors (and I intend to tell my friends as much).

I look forward to seeing Wendy's announce a change in policy. I thank you for considering this letter, and I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

Brian Tomasik