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To Whomever Sets Policy:

I am writing to request mandatory labeling for all food & food products which have been irradiated or genetically engineered.

As a consumer I have the right to know what I am eating, but at present there is no way to determine this. Everyone I have talked with about this is in agreement!

People's right to free choice is being abrogated by the power and money of the huge agribusinesses who are promoting these products. Corporate profits should never be placed before citizen's right to make the choices which they believe will protect their health. ADM will survive the labeling. I'm not sure I can survive the lack of it.

Yours sincerely,

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