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Dear Sir or Madam:

I would like to voice my opinion on the subject of the labeling laws regarding trans fats. I think it is extremely important that we (the consumer) see this information since this type of fat does the same harm as saturated fat (if not more) in our bodies. If it important to tell us about one (and it clearly is), it should be equally important to tell us about the other. I don't understand why that was not automatically done. The Center for Science in the Public Interest has been writing about the dangers of trans fats for years. Are you guys looking after us or the special interest groups (rhetorical question)? It is no wonder the public is losing faith in government and its agencies.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

  
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