3510 Mountain Blvd
Oakland, CA 94619
February 9, 2001

3120 '02 FEB 14 10:38

Dear Commissioner Henney,

I can't understand what is going on regarding genetically engineered food. Why wouldn't the Food and Drug Administration require labels or safety tests? This doesn't make sense.

Americans are capable of making informed decisions - once they have the information. GE foods should be subject to pre-market labeling and testing. Why should food be different from drugs?

This policy should be changed. I realize that the regulations are in the proposed stage. Please reconsider and send me your thoughts at the above address.

Sincerely

c398

OOD-1598 Sister Irene Mary McDonnell (Holy Names College)

McDonnell
3510 Mountain Blvd.
Holy Names College
Oakland, CA 94619

Commissioner Henney
Dockets Management Branch
Food and Drug Administration
5630 Fisher's Lane Rm. 1061
Rockville MD 20852

20857/0001