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Dr. Jane E. Henney, Commissioner
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Dear Dr. Henney.

We are urging you to cease negotiations with Monsanto on U.S. Patent # 5,723,765, "Control of Plant Gene Expression".

It poses a threat to the world's food supply, farmer's rights and consumer rights worldwide.

Personally, because of Monsanto, we buy milk from only one packing plant in Massachusetts because of the hormone introduced by Monsanto that overworks cows so that they overproduce. This is cruel. I had help from the Food + Drug Administration as to where I could buy milk from responsible dairies.

Also Monsanto introduced Agent Orange to the world. Enough said.

Yours truly,
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