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Re: Docket #98N-1038, "Irradiation in the Production, Processing, and Handling of Food"

To whom it may concern:

The FDA should keep the current labeling law and the current wording of "treated with radiation or "treated by irradiation" and the use of the radura symbol on all irradiated foods.

Consumers have a right to know if their food has been irradiated. Some foods, when irradiated, have different textures and spoilage characteristics. Also many fruits and vegetables lose nutrients in the process, and consumers are not expecting this. It's necessary for producers to place ingredients and labels such as "pasteurized" on foods therefore irradiated foods should also have labeling. The wording of the label is also important to insure consumers are not mislead by terms such as "pasteurization", which is an entirely different process.

Irradiation is a new technology with unforeseen outcomes. Without any long-term feeding studies its effects are still partially unknown. In such a case labeling must be provided to the consumer.

The Student Environmental Action Coalition collected the attached 515 signatures from SUNY-Binghamton students and faculty who agree with these points and want the FDA to retain clear labeling on all irradiated foods.

Sincerely,

SUNY-Binghamton students and faculty
and Student Environmental Action Coalition

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