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Re: Proposal P1007: Primary Production & Processing Requirements for Raw Milk Products.

It is my belief that I should be able to eat unpasteurised milk and products, cheese etc., from the same.

I have eaten such foods in many parts of the world, and fail to understand why I cannot here.

I also am aware from my experiences that certain products have better health outcomes for the consumer.

I was brought up on raw milk in NZ and the UK, and never suffered any ill effects. I worked on farms for the first few years of my life in Australia, and we drank fresh milk and cream, again with no ill effects.

I think it about time we became a bit more mature about our view on the world.

Provided any product made from raw milk is labelled as such, I can see no reason for it not to be available to the public.

Thank you for this opportunity.

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*Nature bats last.*