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Re food irradiation

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To Whom it may Concern,

With reference to FSANZ A1193: Irradiation as a physiosanitary measure for all fresh fruit and vegetables

In haste I write this objection to the above proposal as I have only recently learnt of it!!

Few people in Australia are aware of it; yet any further assault on our food is of the utmost concern to me and, I am sure, many others.

What is of more importance to our health than the food we eat?

Already bombarded with over-processing, an array of chemicals and GMOs , horticulture should be shifting to safer and more environmentally benign production methods, not further endangering us.

The public has not been informed. This is regulation by stealth.

In the 1980s Australians overwhelmingly rejected food irradiation and its introduction was slowed down.

Piecemeal, it has been introduced with most people unaware of its creep. Now at this time of maximum distraction FSANZ plans further erosion of the public's wishes.

I have never met one person who is in favor of food irradiation.

STOP INTERFERING WITH OUR FOOD. DO NOT SUPPORT FSANZ A1193

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