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Subject: oppose HB 2509

I am writing to ask you to kill HB 2509 in the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

GMO agriculture cannot co-exist near farms growing traditional crops due to cross-contamination. This has been proven again and again.

It is outrageous and absurd to devise a system in which non-GMO farmers will be forced to bear the risk of additional costs to grow crops that have been part of human agriculture for millennia, just so that biotech firms can keep their coffers filled with profits from patented genetically engineered crops.

PLEASE VOTE NO ON HB 2509!

Sincerely,

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