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I am writing because I am concerned about the lack of competition in agricultural markets.

The idea of a suicide gene in a seed is ecological blackmail, and a sign of greed and lack of concern for life itself. Who pioneered the suicide gene? Monsanto.

Who ruined a Canadian Canola farmer's organic crops with pollen drift, then sued that complaining farmer for stealing their genetic information? Monsanto.

This company is nothing short of demonic, in my opinion. If ever there were such a thing as greed and gluttony personified (or in this case, incorporated) Monsanto qualifies for this title. They are threatening, not saving, life as we know it all across the planet. Their chemical and genetic recklessness must be stopped. I am begging you to stop and think what really matters. Money won't save your grandchildren or life for humanity in general once Monsanto has put their clutches deep into the fiber of ecological soundness and owns it. Stop them- please.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

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