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To Whom It May Concern:

I am very concerned about corporate control of our agricultural system, especially seed research, breeding, production and sale. One company in particular, Monsanto, has in recent years garnered so much market share that they are now eliminating or preventing competition and choices in agricultural markets. When any one entity has that much control, whether a private corporation or a government entity, it is unhealthy for industry sustainability. Agricultural production and exports are important to our economy and way of life. I think that it's time for the Justice Dept. to blow the whistle and call foul on Monsanto for its anti competitive activities and control of agriculture.

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