The world according to Monsanto

Description

Note: Monsanto has been taken over by BAYER

Monsanto is being is indicted for distribution the carcinogenic agent Glyphosate. The lead case is 3:16-md-02741-VC. The first trial in the federal court is set for Feb. 25, 2019 in the U.S. District Court in San Francisco In total, there are 580 lawsuits pending against Monsanto.

URL: usrtk.org/pesticides/mdl-monsanto-glyphosate-cancer-case-key-documents-analysis/

The Guardian stated the following:

> *"The internal correspondence noted by Johnson could support a jury finding that Monsanto has long been aware of the risk that its glyphosate-based herbicides are carcinogenic … but has continuously sought to influence the scientific literature to prevent its internal concerns from reaching the public sphere and to bolster its defenses in products liability actions," Karnow wrote. "Thus there are triable issues of material fact."*
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> Monsanto "championed falsified data and attacked legitimate studies" that revealed dangers of its herbicides, and led a "prolonged campaign of misinformation" to convince government agencies, farmers and consumers that Roundup was safe, according to Johnson's lawsuit.

URL: www.theguardian.com/business/2018/may/22/monsanto-trial-cancer-weedkiller-roundup-dewayne-johnson

Interesting Monsanto used web-based propagandistic/psychological methods to systematically conceal

the risks. My own article was also downplayed by internet trolls but I cited numerous scientific references to which they did not respond. Unfortunately the article is no longer online. You might also remember the reaction of the university…

> *Biotech giant Monsanto is being accused of hiring, through third parties, an army of Internet trolls to counter negative comments, while citing positive "ghost-written" pseudo-scientific reports which downplay the potential risks of their products.*

On a larger scale, Monsanto allegedly

> *"quietly funnels money to 'think tanks' such as the 'Genetic Literacy Project' and the 'American Council on Science and Health"– organizations intended to shame scientists and highlight information helpful to Monsanto and other chemical producers,"* according to the plaintiffs.

URL: www.globalresearch.ca/monsanto-accused-of-hiring-army-of-trolls-to-silence-online-dissent-court-papers/5588396

As with radiation, the irreversible long term consequences of the detrimental genetic effects are especially worrisome (particularly from an evolutionary point of view). Unfortunately, the genetic aspects are not really mentioned in the current debate.

Here are some references I collected back then:

- Glyphosate-based herbicides are toxic and endocrine disruptors in human cell lines. URL: tinyurl.co
- Glyphosate-based pesticides affect cell cycle regulation. URL: tinyurl.com/gsd5uyx
- Pesticide Roundup provokes cell division dysfunction at the level of CDK1/cyclin B activation. URL:t
- Time- and dose-dependent effects of roundup on human embryonic and placental cells. URL: tinyur
- A glyphosate-based herbicide induces necrosis and apoptosis in mature rat testicular cells in vitro, a
- Differential Effects of Glyphosate and Roundup on Human Placental Cells and Aromatase URL:tiny
- Formulated Glyphosate Activates the DNA-Response Checkpoint of the Cell Cycle Leading to the F
- Glyphosate, pathways to modern diseases II: Celiac sprue and gluten intolerance URL: tinyurl.com/
- Glyphosate, pathways to modern diseases III: Manganese, neurological diseases, and associated p

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