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Re: Food Standards Amendment (Truth in Labeling – Palm Oil) Bill 2009

To whom it may concern,

I support the mandatory labeling of palm oil as I believe the consumer has the right to know the specific ingredients of what is in the product they are buying and consuming, especially when an ingredient has the potential to contribute towards harming or impacting on the life of another living being. I feel extremely alarmed knowing that I am quite possibly using and buying products that contain Palm Oil and I am not even aware of it. To think that a company can use palm oil in its products, almost definitely with the knowledge of its detriment to Orangutan lives and be able to get away with it is disgusting and inhumane.

Please do the right thing and amend the food standards bill 2009 to ensure that Palm Oil is labeled on the products that contain it.

Yours sincerely,

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