Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to you concerning the Food Standards Amendment (Truth in Labelling – Palm Oil) Bill 2009.

As a concerned consumer I feel I should have the right to choose whether to purchase and consume a product containing palm oil. In previous communications with various members of parliament regarding different issues I have always been advised that the Australian government feels it is the choice of the Australian people as to what they wish to consume (for example the choice consumers have whether to choose caged or free range eggs).

Therefore I heartily support the mandatory labeling of palm oil. I implore this matter to be duly addressed.

Thanks for your time, Serena Nelson