

genetiX snowball pledge

Safety

- I will put all GM plants pulled up by me into strong polythene bags, seal them with heavy duty tape, mark them with a biohazard symbol, leave them at the site and inform the Environment Agency giving full details of the location.
- I will take appropriate precautions to ensure that no genetically modified plant material on my body or clothing will contaminate any area beyond this site.

Nonviolence

- I will remove (no more than 100) individual genetically modified plants on this day.
- I will not engage in physical violence or knowingly take part in any action that will cause harm to any living being.
- I will not carry any weapons.
- I will try to create an atmosphere of calm.
- I will try to treat everyone I encounter with respect.
- I will not take any alcohol or drugs other than for medical reasons.

Openness

- I will carry out my genetiX snowball action during daylight at
..... (location) on
.....(date: this being the the first or third weekend of every month).
- I will be open and truthful about my identity and my actions: I (or someone from my group) will write to the farmer who is host to the GM release site to be decontaminated by me to inform him/her that we intend to decontaminate the GM site.
- I will provide my own prepared and signed statement giving details about this action and the reasons for it to the police (if I am arrested), the farmer, and the company who has grown the crop.
- I will accept the consequences of my action.

Accepting the consequences

- I will keep to this pledge throughout the action and any consequences of the action.

Signed:

Date:.....

Your name (please use capital letters):

Correspondence address:

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