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Dear Ms. Crane or whom ever it may concern,

I am writing to request that "Item 5.9 of agenda item 6 of the labeling proposal be deleted". This item is nothing more than a power grab by the pharmaceutical interest to gain total control of the nutrition industry. They feel that their profits of countless billions of dollars are threatened by the PUBLIC BEING ABLE TO CHOSE SAFER, OFTEN EQUALLY EFFECTIVE nutritional supplements as a means to restore proper balance in their own bodies.

The vast majority of conventionally trained allopathic physicians whom "item 5 / agenda 6" would put in CONTROL of nutritional supplements have literally NO training in this area. Most medical schools offer 1 or 2 nutrition classes as an elective and those are even taught on a pathological not functional/preventative model.

We are in an emerging era where people are urged to take responsibility for their health and wellbeing. The effective way to do this in the healthcare arena is to empower people with truthful and non-misleading information on nutrition, health, and disease prevention. This motivates people to the very limits of their personal intellectual and educational capacities to improve their health and lives via nutrition.

If you really want to look out for what's in the publics best interest then crack down on the farcical drug trials that allow horridly overpriced products to be put on the market only to be pulled after causing untold harm and deaths from supposedly "unknown" side effects. Please do the right thing and truly protect the public, not from nutritional supplements but from those who seek to take their freedom away.

Sincerely,

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