Dear FDA Commissioner, I am writing to express my opposition of TDA's proposed new rule and guidance on genetically engineered (GE) foods. We oppose the MAR 17 agency's voluntary labeling and notification 01 proposals in support of all the points in the citizen's petition currently before the agency? (docket No. 00N-1396, and 00D-1598). FDA Commissioner All GE foods should be labeled so I am Dockets Management Branch (HEA 305) Food and Drug Administration informed and have a choice. GE foods should not be assumed to be "generally recognized as safe" and should have mandatory pre-market safety testing 5630 Fisher's Lane, rm. 1061 Rockville, MD 20852 There should be a moratorium on GE foods RE: Docket No. 00N-1396, and 00D-1598 until long-term studies show they are safe for human health and the environment. (Additional Personal Comments:) FOR GOSH DARN SAKES, 175 WHAT WE GAT! LARECY BOX 628 Name City, State, Zip WELCHES OR 9706 Beadlines: GMO labeling - March 19, 2001

Pre-market testing - April 3, 2001