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To Whom This May Concen,

I understand that the point of your ten year old instutution is to promote development of non-animal tests, why is it then that only one non-animal test has been developed in the entire existance of ICCVAM? It seems to myself, a tax payer, that this institution is actually working against it's own goal. It has been proven that animal tests are inaccurate and cannot properly replicate the human reaction to chemicals.

The United States needs to move out of the dark ages of animal testing and move into the world of non-animal tests; following in the footsteps of the European countries which for the most part have abandoned animal tests.

The bottom line is that animal tests are wasteful, expensive, and jeperdise human health as they have been proven to be innacurate by scientists.

Thank you for your time,

Jeannette L. Lenard a taxpayer

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If slaughterhouses had glass walls, everyone would be a vegetarian. ------Paul McCartney.