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Subject: Message from Internet User - E.coli Outbreak

" The recent nationwide outbreak of e coli related illnesses prompts me to write to you. The big problem here relates to convenient, quick and inexpensive testing at the point of packaging and further down the distribution chain. All testing must now be done in a lab, and this takes a 24-hour turnaround. In the course of performing nanotechnology based R & D for the US Army to develop exactly such a rapid test to detect anthrax, we have now developed a similar, inexpensive 15-minute test for e coli using a simple portable instrument.

The full story is set out in the attached press release which was featured on TV by WOAI in a news program in which we demonstrated our rapid 15-minute test for e coli. Several other publications have interviewed us and will be publishing more about us.

<http://mmdnewswire.com/content/view/616/5/>
Sept. 18th 2006 News on Spinach E.coli

We just want you to aware that a scientific solution exists today, and with some help and recognition from Governmental authorities and the industry, these newly discovered test can control future outbreaks."

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