

Subject: non-animal testing

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I am a long-time member of NEVAS because I have always believed that there are alternative methods to test new drugs and products. I ask that you begin the immediate acceptance of internationally validated non-animal tests just the way Europe has done. It is not just that these other test are more humane- they also make for better scientific results. The time has come for you to institute these alternative tests. Ken Kates