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Food Standards of Australia (and New Zealand)

A modern Chinese proverb goes something like:

"Ask not what nature puts in your food, Ask what private corporations are doing to it!!"

Chaing Kow - Moo Dynasty.

Enough with the jokes already, your temptations to tamper with our fresh wholesome and healthy cow milk is neither warranted nor wanted, and we therefore kindly request that you cease and desist from such endeavours.

I believe our food standards have been compromised enough with petrochemical factory farming of animals and plants without knowledge or respect of how this diminishes the very essence of what food is, moving such closer to a state of poison than food in any nutritional sense.

Putting aside your lab coats for a minute, ponder past years recent when fresh good milk in glass was presented promptly at yee front door, those shining silver lids, torn asunder without patience to steal before your sisters and brothers the thick layer of wholesome life giving cream, gurgle gurgle gurgle and five bottles more as the horse and cart rattle slowly down the road on their life affirming mission of deliverance, cows happy we heard in a green paddock not far away, munching organic grass not then festered with the detritus of big oil chemicals selling anything to mass produce more moo for boob Big M boob girl commercials saw consumption soar as while milk dripped wastefully down scantily covered moo breasts and now this?

No, time to revisit your standards again (standard food is not for me!) and ask what you are doing and ask really if science can ever be the true judge of pure food when nature has rendered this for millennia without flaw, only now nature faltering under the ignominious pressure of endless meaningless growth so we can 'grow our economies' and compete..with who?

Fatness, obesity, diabetes, cancer, sluggish citizens shoving shite in trolleys not knowing how many 1000's of numbers will be ingested mindlessly by ends week..and we talk of standards when only thirty years ago we just bought local food and the term organic was part of our biology class.

No, our planet is ailing and many people are sick and need good wholesome unadulterated food so lets talk about this and push the pause button of these dubious plans.

Leave our Pure and Raw Milk alone, its good for us - really!

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