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Agenda item V(e)(ii)
會議議程第 V(e)(ii)項

2000年1月5日(星期三)
立法會會議席上
鄧兆棠議員就“設立基因改造食物標籤制度”
提出的議案

議案措辭

“鑒於基因改造食物屬嶄新食物，至今仍未確知其對人類及環境的影響，為減輕消費者的疑慮及保障他們的知情權和選擇權，本會促請政府參考歐洲聯盟大部分國家的經驗，盡快立法實施基因改造食物標籤制度，並嚴格檢測本地出售的基因改造食物，以及提高消費者對基因改造食物的認識。”

(Translation)

**Motion on “Establishing a labelling system for genetically-modified foods”
to be moved by Dr Hon TANG Siu-tong
at the Legislative Council meeting
on Wednesday, 5 January 2000**

Wording of the Motion

“That, as genetically-modified foods belong to a new domain and their impact on human beings and the environment is still uncertain, this Council urges the Government to expeditiously legislate for a mandatory labelling system for genetically-modified foods with reference to the experience of most member countries of the European Community, conduct strict detecting tests on the genetically-modified foods on sale locally and increase consumers’ awareness of these foods, so as to address consumers’ concerns and protect their right to information as well as their right to choose.”

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