

Appeal

for a ban of highly hazardous pesticides

Decades of experience has shown that, despite numerous ‘safe use’ programs, the ‘safe use’ of highly hazardous pesticides (HHPs) is not possible. People, farm-animals, wildlife and the environment continue to suffer considerable harm from HHPs. After decades of failure which have seen millions of deaths worldwide, new policies are needed to stop pesticide poisonings. A progressive phaseout and ban of HHPs, along with new policies for supporting alternatives, can make a change towards a healthy and sustainable world for all.

We, the undersigned organizations, call on governments and corporations to take concrete steps towards a progressive ban of HHPs and their substitution with ecosystem-based alternatives.

Organizational signatories

Listed according to country - 543 organizations from 110 countries - 10.09.2017

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| 1. Albania, Milieukontakt International Albania | 10. Argentina, Foro Ambientalista de Santiago del Estero | 19. Australia, Alliance for a Clean Environment |
| 2. Algeria, Association Pêche Artisanale et Environnement (Le Dauphin) | 11. Argentina, LLASTAY- para la defensa del medio ambiente | 20. Australia, FOODwatch |
| 3. Algeria, The National Federation for the Protection of the Environment in Algeria | 12. Argentina, Nogal de Vida | 21. Australia, National Toxics Network (NTN) |
| 4. Argentina, Asociación Civil Árbol de Pie, Bariloche | 13. Argentina, Paren de Fumigar las Escuelas | 22. Australia, Tasmanian Public & Environmental Health Network (TPEHN) |
| 5. Argentina, Asociacion Civil Be Pe | 14. Argentina, Pesticide Action Network Latin America (RAPAL - PAN Latin America) | 23. Australia, Pesticide Action Group Western Australia |
| 6. Argentina, Centro de Estudios sobre Tecnologías Apropriadas de la Argentina (CETAAR) | 15. Argentina, Red Argentina de Ambiente y Desarrollo (RAAD) | 24. Austria, ARCHE NOAH |
| 7. Argentina, Ecos de Saladillo | 16. Argentina, SA Consultores & Servicios Asoc. | 25. Austria, Ärztinnen und Ärzte für eine gesunde Umwelt (AeGU) - Doctors for a Healthy Environment |
| 8. Argentina, EDIPA Equipo Diocesano Pastoral Ambiental, Pastoral Social, Obispado de San Isidro | 17. Argentina, Taller Ecologista | 26. Austria, die umweltberatung (Eco-Counselling), Vienna |
| 9. Argentina, Familias Semilleras (MA-ELA) | 18. Armenia, Armenian Women for Health and Healthy Environment | 27. Austria, GLOBAL 2000 |
| | | 28. Austria, WWF Österreich |

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130. Columbia, Latin American Scientific Society of Agroecology
131. Columbia, Red Semillas Libres de Colombia
132. Cook Islands, Island Sustainability Alliance Cis Inc (ISACI)
133. Costa Rica, IRET-UNA/RAPAL
134. Cuba, RAP-AL Cuba
135. Czech Republic, Arnika Association
136. Denmark, Det Økologiske Råd
137. Denmark, NOAH - Friends of the Earth Denmark
138. Denmark, WWF Denmark
139. Ecuador, Asociación Sindical de Trabajadores Bananeros y Campesinos (ASTAC)
140. Ecuador, Fundación Savia Roja
141. Ecuador, RAPAL Ecuador
142. Ecuador, Red por una América Latina Libre de Transgénicos
143. Egypt, Association of Health & Environmental Development
144. Egypt, The Egyptian Initiative for Personal Rights
145. El Salvador, Red de Ambientalistas Comunitarios de el Salvador (RACDES)
146. Estonia, Estonian Fund for Nature
147. Ethiopia, Pesticide Action Nexus Association (PAN-Ethiopia)
148. France, Ensemble! 86 - Mouvement pour ue alternative de gauche, écologique et solidaire
149. France, Générations Futures
150. France, Women in Europe for a Common Future (WECF)France
151. Georgia, ELKANA - Biological Farming Association
152. Germany, Agrarkoordination
153. Germany, Allergieverein in Europa e.V. (AVE)
154. Germany, Arbeitskreis Elektro-Biologie e.V. (AEB)
155. Germany, Arbeitskreis Heckenschutz
156. Germany, Attac Wuppertal - Agrargruppe
157. Germany, AÖL e.V.
158. Germany, BanaFair e.V.
159. Germany, Bioland e.V.
160. Germany, Bremer entwicklungspolitisches Netzwerk e.V. (BeN)
161. Germany, Bremer Informationszentrum für Menschenrechte und Entwicklung (biz) / Bremen Information Center for Human Rights and Development (biz)
162. Germany, Brot für die Welt (BfdW)
163. Germany, Bundesverband Bürgerinitiativen Umweltschutz (BBU) e.V.
164. Germany, Bund für Umwelt und Naturschutz (BUND)
165. Germany, BUND Landesverband Bremen e.V.
166. Germany, Bund Ökologische Lebensmittelwirtschaft e.V. (BÖLW)
167. Germany, Bürgerinitiative Landwende
168. Germany, Bürgerinitiative "Saustall Wadelsdorf"
169. Germany, CBG - Coalition against BAYER dangers
170. Germany, Dachverband Kulturpflanzen- und Nutztiervielfalt e.V.
171. Germany, Deutsche Umwelthilfe e. V.
172. Germany, Deutscher Apitherapie Bund e.V.
173. Germany, ECOVIN
174. Germany, Eine Welt Netzwerk Hamburg e.V.
175. Germany, Fatigatio e.V.
176. Germany, FIAN Deutschland
177. Germany, Forum Ökologie & Papier
178. Germany, Forum Umwelt & Entwicklung
179. Germany, Förderkreis für Umweltgesundheit durch biodynamische Agrarkultur gem. e.V.
180. Germany, Gää e.V.
181. Germany, Global Nature Fund (GNF)
182. Germany, GRÜNE LIGA e.V.
183. Germany, Hafengruppe Hamburg
184. Germany, Himmel & Erde
185. Germany, IFOAM - Organics International
186. Germany, Imkerverein Nortorf und Umgebung
187. Germany, Industriegewerkschaft Bauen-Agrar-Umwelt (IG BAU)
188. Germany, Initiative Schule für Eine-Welt
189. Germany, Mellifera e.V.
190. Germany, MISEREOR
191. Germany, Multiple Chemical Sensitivity (MCS) - Selbsthilfegruppe Kempten/Allgäu
192. Germany, NABU-Regionalverband Angermünde, Brandenburg
193. Germany, Nano-Control
194. Germany, Naturland e.V.
195. Germany, Ökologischer Ärztebund e.V. (ÖÄB) - Ecological Physicians Society
196. Germany, Ökomarkt Verbraucher- und Agrarberatung e.V.
197. Germany, Oxfam Germany
198. Germany, Pesticide Action Network Germany (PAN Germany)
199. Germany, Robin Wood e.V.
200. Germany, Safe our Seeds
201. Germany, Sambucus e.V.
202. Germany, Schule für EineWelt
203. Germany, Senator für Umwelt, Bau und Verkehr, Freie Hansestadt Bremen
204. Germany, Stiftung für Mensch und Umwelt
205. Germany, Partner Südmexikos e.V.
206. Germany, Regionalverband Umweltberatung Nord e.V.
207. Germany, Rettet den Regenwald e. V.
208. Germany, Selbsthilfegruppe Los Andes
209. Germany, Selbsthilfegruppe für Chemiekaliengeschädigte
210. Germany, terre des hommes (tdh)
211. Germany, TransFair e.V.
212. Germany, UmweltEnergieHaus
213. Germany, UmweltHaus am Schüberg
214. Germany, Umwelthaus Pinneberg e.V.
215. Germany, Umweltinstitut München e.V.
216. Germany, Verein zur Hilfe umweltbedingt Erkrankter e.V. (VHUE)
217. Germany, VSR-Gewässerschutz e.V.
218. Germany, W3 - Werkstatt für internationale Kultur und Politik e.V.
219. Germany, Women in Europe for a Common Future Germany e.V. (WECF) Germany
220. Germany, WWF Germany
221. Germany, Zukunft Biosphäre und Lebensraum Angermünde e.V. (ZUBILA e.V.)
222. Ghana, General Agriculture Workers' Union (GAWU) of TUC
223. Ghana, Ecological Restorations
224. Greece, ECOCITY
225. Greece, EKPIZO - Consumers' Association The Quality of Life
226. Guatemala, Red Nacional Por la Defensa de la Soberanía Alimentaria en Guatemala (REDSAG)
227. Guinea, Carbone Guinée
228. Hong Kong, The Mother and Child Health and Education Trust
229. Hungary, Clean Air Action Group - Levegő Munkacsoport
230. India, APVVU
231. India, Beyond Copenhagen Collective
232. India, CECEOEDECON
233. India, Center for Research and Advocacy, Manipur
234. India, Community Awareness Centre
235. India, DLR Prerna
236. India, Ecosystem Research Group
237. India, Ecotourism & Conservation Society of Sikkim
238. India, Environment Conservation Society (Switch ON)



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347. Mexico, Salva terra
348. Mexico, Universiad Autónoma de Coahuila
349. Mexico, Vía Orgánica
350. Mongolia, Centre for Human Right & Development
351. Mongolia, People's Coalition for Food Sovereignty Mongolia
352. Morocco, La Fédération nationale du secteur agricole (FNSA)
353. Morocco, National Confederation of traditional fishing in Morocco (CNPAM)
354. Nepal, All Nepal Peasants' Federation (ANPF)
355. Nepal, Center for Public Health and Environmental Development (CEPHED)
356. Nepal, Progressive Sustainable Developers Nepal
357. Nigeria, JONGO Farmers Nigeria
358. Nigeria, Nigerian ASP Implementation Network
359. Netherlands, Women in Europe for a Common Futuer (WECF) Netherlands
360. New Zealand, 1080 National Network NZ
361. New Zealand, Ban 1080
362. New Zealand, Doctors Envirovoice
363. New Zealand, Farmers Against Ten Eighty
364. New Zealand, Jews For GE-Free Food (Safe Food Campaign)
365. New Zealand, Pacific Institute of Resource Management (PIRM)
366. New Zealand, Pesticide Action Network Aotearoa/New Zealand (PAN Aotearoa, New Zealand)
367. New Zealand, Toxic Agrichemical Advisory Forum
368. New Zealand, Weed Management Advisory
369. Nicaragua, Asociación Educación para el Desarrollo Intipachamama y Movimiento Social Nicaragüense otro mundo es posible
370. Nicaragua, Asociación para el Desarrollo Integral Comunitario (ADIC)
371. Nicaragua, Movimiento Social Nicaragüense Otro Mundo es Posible
372. Nicaragua, Paso Pacifico
373. Nigeria, Environmental Rights Action Friends of the Earth Africa
374. Nigeria, JONGO Farmers Nigeria
375. Nigeria, Nigerian ASP Implementation Network (NASPIN)
376. Nigeria, Sustainable Environment Development Initiative (SEDI)
377. Nigeria, Sustainable Research and Action for Environmental Development (SRADev Nigeria)
378. Pakistan, Balochistan Rural Development & Research Society (BRDRS)
379. Pakistan, Human Unity Movement (HUM) Haripur Khyber Pakhtoonkhawa (KPK)
380. Pakistan, KHOJ Society for People's Education
381. Pakistan, Roots for Equity
382. Pakistan, Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI)
383. Palestine, ANFS – Gaza
384. Palestine, Land Research Center
385. Palestine, MA'AN Development Center
386. Palestine, Palestinian Agricultural Farmers Union
387. Palestine, Palestinian Agricultural Relief Committees
388. Palestine, Stop The Wall Campaign
389. Palestine, Union of Agricultural Work Committees
390. Panama, RAP-AL Panama
391. Paraguay, Altervida - RAPAL Paraguay
392. Paraguay, Centro Paraguayo de Cooperativistas (CPC)
393. Paraguay, Iniciativa Amotocodie
394. Paraguay, Red Rural
395. Paraguay, Tierra Libre - Instituto Social y Ambiental
396. Paraguay, Tierraviva a los Pueblos Indígenas del Chaco
397. Philippines, Amihan, National Federation of Peasant Women
398. Philippines, Asian Peasant Coalition (APC)
399. Philippines, Danggayan Dagiti Manalon ti Cagayan Valley - KMP Cagayan Valley
400. Philippines, Earth Island Institute-Philippines
401. Philippines, GABRIELA
402. Philippines, Hills of Maia Alta Homeowners Association
403. Philippines, IBON Foundation
404. Philippines, Interface Development Interventions, Inc.
405. Philippines, Kilusang Magbubukid ng Pilipinas (KMP)
406. Philippines, Mamamayan Ayaw sa Aerial Spraying (MAAS)
407. Philippines, MASIPAG
408. Philippines, National Federation of Small Fisherfolk Organisations in the Philippines (PAMALAKAYA-Pilipinas)
409. Philippines, People's Coalition on Food Sovereignty (PCFS)
410. Philippines, Pesticide Action Network Philippines (PAN Philippines)
411. Philippines, RESIST Agrochem TNCs
412. Philippines, Sibol ng Agham at Teknolohiya (SIBAT)
413. Philippines, UMA
414. Poland, Polish Ecological Club, Gliwice Chapter
415. Portugal, Associação de Promoção da Agricultura Biológica (OrganicA)
416. Portugal, Direção de Serviços de Desenvolvimento da Agricultura e Pecuária Biológica (DSBIO)
417. Portugal, National Association for Nature Conservation (Quercus)
418. Qatar, ANFS
419. Qatar, Doha Oasis
420. Romania, Fundatia ADEPT Transilvania
421. Russia, Eco-Accord
422. Saudi Arabia, Fishermen's Cooperative - Bathoul
423. Saudi Arabia, The Assembly Agricultural Cooperative
424. Senegal, Coopérative Nationale pour le Développement de l'Horticulture (CNDH)
425. Senegal, Fédération des Producteurs Maraichers de la Zone des Niayes (FPMN)
426. Senegal, Pesticide Action Network Africa (PAN Africa)
427. Senegal, SNH / MSAS
428. Slovakia, Centre for Sustainable Alternatives (CEPTA)
429. Slovakia, www.slobodaVockovani.sk
430. Slovenia, Drustvo za trajnostni razvoj Duhasa
431. Slovenia, Focus
432. Slovenia, Greenpeace Slovenia
433. Slovenia, Institute for Sustainable Development Slovenia (ITR)
434. Slovenia, Morigenos
435. Slovenia, NEC, Cerknica
436. Slovenia, Slovenski E-forum
437. Slovenia, Umanotera, The Slovenian Foundation for Sustainable Development
438. Slovenia, Zavod Sibnav
439. South Africa, African Center for Biodiversity
440. South Africa, GroundWork - Friends of the Earth South Africa
441. South Africa, Surplus People's Project
442. South Africa, Trust for Community Outreach and Action
443. South Korea, Consumers Korea
444. Spain, Catalanian Network for a New Water Culture - Xarxa per una Nova Cultura de l'Aigu
445. Spain, Fodesam Spain

Sign this appeal !

In 2006, the Council of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) recommended a progressive ban on highly hazardous pesticides (HHPs). Acting on the FAO Council's recommendation and realizing that not enough has been done yet, we encourage organizations, institutions and companies to sign this appeal.

Individuals please sign the appeal at:

<http://bit.ly/PAN-Int-HHPs>

Organisations please sign this appeal by:

sending an email to susan.haffmans@pan-germany.org

with the following information:

- *name of the organization*
- *country*
- *contact person and*
- *email of the contact person.*

The more organizations sign, the stronger will be this call for action against the use of highly hazardous pesticides and for the implementation of agroecological alternatives.

Use this appeal!

You can use this appeal with the list of organizational signatories to support your own activities towards a phase out of HHPs; and to encourage organisations, institutions, and companies to not just sign this appeal but also to develop a plan of action for phasing out HHPs with priorities, timeframes, and concrete measures.

The PAN International Regional Centers will support such initiatives wherever possible.

PAN International regional contacts for this Appeal

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- PAN North America (PANNA): Kristin Schafer
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Useful information

- PAN International List of Highly Hazardous Pesticides. Download at: <http://pan-international.org/resources/>
- PAN Germany (2016): Stop Pesticide Poisonings! A time travel through international pesticide policies (updated).
Download at: http://www.pan-germany.org/download/stop_pesticide_poisonings_161214.pdf
- For more information see also at: <http://pan-international.org/resources/>
as well as Gunnell et al. (2007): The impact of pesticide regulations on suicide in Sri Lanka, *Int J Epidemiol* 36:1235-42; and Manuweera et al. (2008): Do targeted bans of insecticides to prevent deaths from self-poisoning result in reduced agricultural output? *Environ Health Perspect* 116(4):492-5

About PAN

Pesticide Action Network (PAN) is a network of over 600 participating nongovernmental organizations, institutions, and individuals in over 90 countries working to replace the use of hazardous pesticides with ecologically sound and socially just alternatives. PAN was founded in 1982 and has five independent, collaborating Regional Centers that implement its projects and campaigns.

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