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**To:** [CDPR dpr22005](#)  
**Subject:** Help Stop the Use of Highly Toxic Fumigants in Food Production to Protect Farmworkers  
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EXTERNAL:

Dear Director Julie Henderson,

Please stop tinkering with a toxic pesticide that should be banned for use. The California Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) proposal to remove existing limits on the use of 1,3-dichloropropene (1,3-D), allowing Californians to breathe much more 1,3-D than other state toxicologists say is safe, highlights the dangers to which farmworkers are routinely exposed. It is outrageous that the state would allow farmworkers—whose labor was judged “essential” during the pandemic—to be routinely exposed to highly toxic pesticides, which could be replaced by organic practices.

We cannot continue to allow pesticides into our food, water and land. This is causing people to be sick and even death. Stop the pampering to pesticide companies and have organic practices that if really are organic do not allow these pesticides.

Please use your position to make sure humans and the environment are safe.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

Sincerely,

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