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To: CDPR dpr22005

Subject: Stop the Use of Highly Toxic Fumigants in Food Production to Protect Farmworkers

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## EXTERNAL:

Dear Director Julie Henderson,

Soil fumigants not only pose severe health threats to farmworkers and bystanders, but also threaten soil and water ecosystems. In contrast, organic production seeks to build healthy soils that resist plant pathogens, making fumigation unnecessary. Thus, these fumigants pose unreasonable adverse effects on humans and the environment. Their registrations should be cancelled.

Thank you for your attention to this urgent issue.

Sincerely, MS Joyce Weir HERBS Dr Newport, WA 99156 jaweir@povn.com