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EXTERNAL:

It is essential that the regulation of the use of 1,3-D pesticides be tightened by the DPR to be in line with the OEHHA levels. This product is a known carcinogen that is banned in 34 countries and yet is widely used in California on strawberry fields. I understand that strawberries are a very important crop but there must be a better way to grow them than using this very dangerous fumigant that travels in the air and is poisoning our children. Please lower the "safe limits" of this substance to match the OEHHA's levels of 0.04 parts per billion.

Thank you,  
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