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Consultation Is Referendum-In-Disguise

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The British Columbia government in the August [2009] throne speech committed to a CONSULTATION with the public on « *new statutory protections to further safeguard the environment from cosmetic chemical pesticides* ».

In my opinion, this is a referendum in disguise. The politicians, instead of acting responsibly, have opted to pass the buck on an important policy making decision. Only scientific experts, on both sides of the debate, and the [Green Space] Industry should have been included in the process.

Allowing the UNQUALIFIED PUBLIC to guide the process in legislating a ban on the so called « *cosmetic pesticides* » (or anything for that matter) is ABSURD, and sets a reckless precedent for policy making in the future.

The majority of British Columbians certainly have not had an opportunity to gather or listen to the information they would require to form a well-educated point-of-view.

Anti-pesticide organizations, to their credit, have been conducting a well-orchestrated public campaign for many years. These groups today are organized, well-funded and powerful.

Unfortunately, the information put forth by these groups is VERY MISLEADING, and sometimes TOTALLY INCORRECT. Now they have stolen the show.

In addition, it is difficult for the average person to find trustworthy information sources that are unbiased.

As trendy green consumerism is at an all-time high, the stage has been set for a ban. The science behind pesticides has become politicized.

LIES and MISINFORMATION, in place of sound science and good government, is leading the way.

Tragically, the debate has become a popularity contest.

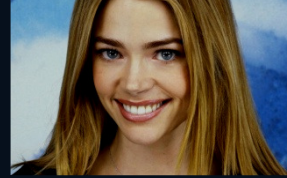
We must defend the industry, whatever the cost may be !

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Mr. Gathercole followed the evolution of **ENVIRONMENTAL TERRORISM** for over a quarter century. His involvement in Environmental Issues reached a fevered pitch in the 1990s, when he orchestrated, with his colleagues, legal action against the Forces of Environmental Evil in the Town of Hudson, Quebec. For **FIFTEEN YEARS**, the strategies designed and implemented by Mr. Gathercole and his colleagues guaranteed the control of Environmental Terror for the entire Modern Green Space Industry across Canada. Mr. Gathercole is personally credited for crafting the Golf Industry Exception Status, that endures to this day. He is also the creator of the signs that are now used for posting after application. His vast knowledge of our long journey with Environmental issues is **UNDENIABLE**. (Hopefully !)

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