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The DESTRUCTION of the Green Space Industry by Environmental-Terrorists

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in SERIOUS and COSTLY damage to landscapes*



Canadian pesticide bans  
prompt reports of more  
weeds, insect damage

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Athletic Turf News

As predicted by many in the professional lawn care industry, the BANNING of the sale and use of common pest control products in much of Canada resulted in SERIOUS and, in some cases, COSTLY DAMAGE TO LANDSCAPES by weeds and insect pests.

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and weedy lawns are « the new esthetic »*

According to Peter Shawn Taylor in the National Post in mid-May [ 2010 ] —

*<< It's been a year and a month since the McGuinty government introduced legislation banning the use of pesticides everywhere except golf courses and farms. As a result weeds, primarily DANDELIONS, have become the DOMINANT GROUND cover for lawns, parks, school yards and sports fields across the province ( Ontario ). >>*

Taylor, who termed the McGuinty government's decision to implement the ban as « entirely political », and says that weeds in Ontario « are here to stay — FOREVER ». He describes the ban as « an enormous deadweight loss for the province ».

Kim Mackrael, in an article in the Guelph Mercury in May [ 2010 ], reported that the lawns, parks and sports fields in that Ontario city were « teeming with dandelions ». In the article, the reporter quoted a couple that said they kept the dandelions out of their yard by plucking weeds out by hand, and by spraying them with [ an illegal ] mixture of salt, vinegar and dish detergent.

Seasonal workers mow the city parks once every 10 business days in an attempt to CHOP THE HEADS OFF OF THE DANDELIONS BEFORE THEY GO TO SEED.

A city official is quoted in the article as saying that city residents are just going to have to get used to weeds in their parks. He described the weedy parks as « the new esthetic ».

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Meanwhile, across the country on Canada's West Coast, in Vancouver and surrounding communities in British Columbia province, European Chafer Beetles, MILLIONS OF THEM, did a number on home lawns, parks and sports fields.

A lawn care professional in the town of Surrey said damage was in the MILLIONS, and the lawns looked like « *a Rototiller attacked them* ».

He was describing the damage caused by skunks, raccoons and birds that dug into the ground to feast on the chafer grubs.

Common lawn pesticides are banned in many of the communities suffering the grub damage, but Nematodes and other « *biofriendly* » treatments are allowed.

Where these don't work, property owners are faced with the prospect of renovating or replacing their lawns entirely.

An environmental officer in one of the communities suggested in April [ 2010 ] that homeowners allow their lawns to grow to five to eight centimetres, which will help stop the beetles from laying their eggs in the soil. [ Wrong ! ]

He said a grass lawn with a mix of clover would lessen egg laying, as well. [ Wrong ! ]

BACKGROUND INFORMATION FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE —

### ALTERNATIVES

Despite claims to the contrary, there are NO viable, efficacious, or economical products to replace conventional pest control products.

VIRTUALLY ALL Selective Green Alternatives are BOGUS, and have negatives ranging from almost TOTAL INEFFECTIVENESS except under very specific circumstances, to a question about their TOXICITY.

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Since there are NO viable, efficacious, or economical Green Alternative Products to replace conventional herbicides, Professional Lawn Care Companies are UNABLE to satisfy their customers with adequate broad-leaved weed control.

Professional Lawn Care Companies DO NOT have optimistic futures.

In the Province of Ontario, SEVEN HUNDRED and EIGHTY BUSINESSES are expected to FAIL or suffer BANKRUPTCY within thirty-six months after the prohibition of conventional pest control products.

Consequently, a consensus is building among members of Lawn Care Franchise Companies seeking damages with a class-action lawsuit against any Parent-Company that did not adequately oppose or prepare for prohibition.

These Parent-Companies FAILED to provide their franchise members with RELIABLE, EFFICACEOUS, and ECONOMICAL Alternative Green Products.

### WHITE GRUBS

Turf Managers, Government Officials, as well as the public at large, may be under the mistaken impression that there exists a vast array of BIOLOGICAL-NATURAL-ECOLOGICAL PRACTICES for controlling WHITE GRUBS.

Overall, these PRACTICES are mostly or totally INEFFECTIVE for controlling White Grubs.

Sadly, the promotion of these BOGUS PRACTICES was influential in legislating prohibitions of conventional pest control products.

BOGUS advice about mowing — Increasing the mowing height of turf will « *suppress* » White Grub larvae. [?!?!?] Mowing higher will « *suppress* » White Grub larvae since the beetle-adults prefer laying their eggs in short grass. [?!?!?]

Commentary — On residential home lawns, it is true that a two-inch mowing height ( 5 centimetres ) is the absolute minimum to maintain healthy Kentucky bluegrass turf, but three-inches ( 8 centimetres ) is best.



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Commentary — Admittedly, the practice of increasing the mowing height will improve turf health, allowing it to be more resilient and better tolerate pest invasion. But increasing the mowing height WILL NOT get rid of White Grub larvae, nor will it discourage them from targeting a home lawn or a golf fairway. This practice is INEFFECTIVE for controlling White Grub larvae.

### BIOLOGICAL PEST CONTROL — NEMATODE PRODUCTS

Entomo-Pathogenic Nematode products CANNOT be consistently considered as a true alternative to conventional insecticides, since insect pests, like White Grub larvae, are often only suppressed and NOT controlled by Nematodes. Furthermore, not every species of Entomo-Pathogenic Nematode will be equally effective against a particular insect pest.

Laboratory and field tests tend to indicate that the best species of Nematodes provide only MODERATE CONTROL, or SUPPRESSION, where up to fifty to sixty-five per cent of the damaging insect population is killed. Other Nematode species have been shown to provide INEFFECTIVE CONTROL, with SUPPRESSION levels as low as twenty-five to forty per cent.

Research reports and practical field experience have provided the expected efficacy of conventional insecticides and nematode products for the control of White Grub larvae —

- imidacloprid ( Merit ) — preventive only — eighty-five to ninety-five per cent efficacy
- carbaryl ( Sevin ) — preventive or curative — up to seventy-five per cent efficacy
- diazinon ( Basudin ) — preventive or curative — fifty to sixty-five per cent efficacy
- chlorpyrifos ( Dursban ) — preventive or curative — forty per cent efficacy
- Entomo-Pathogenic Nematodes — preventive only — twenty-five to sixty-five per cent efficacy

**Environmental-Terror MUST END !**



**Enviro-Maniac-Basterds**

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# N O R A H G

Force Of Nature presents THE WHOLE TRUTH FROM AN INDEPENDENT PERSPECTIVE from National Organization Responding Against Huje that seek to harm the Green Space Industry (NORAHG). It is a series of Reports destined for the Green Space Industry, the Environmental Terror Movement, Governments, and the Media, nationwide across Canada, the United States, and overseas. The information presented in Force Of Nature has been developed for the education and entertainment of the reader by providing a sequence of historical events WITH COMMENTARY. The neutrality of these Reports might be disputed.

Huje is a term used to describe Enviro Maniac Activists that routinely concoct FEAR MONGERING, FRAUDULENT LIES, MISCONCEPTIONS, COERCION, THREATS, DECEPTIONS, TERROR, and PARANOID CONSPIRACIES that are DESIGNED to SCAM and DECEIVE the public into believing that families are in some NON-EXISTENT danger with conventional pest control products. Huje also SCAM and DECEIVE Government Officials into the NEEDLESS, SENSELESS, and MALICIOUS prohibition of FEDERALLY LEGAL, SCIENTIFICALLY SAFE, TOTALLY IRREPLACEABLE, and ABSOLUTELY INDISPENSABLE conventional pest control products.

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Force Of Nature, and its various incarnations, is the brainchild of William H. Gathercole and his entourage. Mr. Gathercole is a principal FOUNDER of the Modern Professional Lawn Care Industry in BOTH Ontario and Quebec. He holds a degree in Horticulture from the UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH, and another pure and applied science degree from MCGILL UNIVERSITY. He has worked in virtually all aspects of the Green Space Industry, including GOLF, PROFESSIONAL LAWN CARE, and CHEMICAL INDUSTRY, and has served in public affairs, workplace safety, and environmental compliance. Mr. Gathercole has supervised, consulted, programmed, and/or overseen the successful and safe execution of HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS of pest control applications in the urban landscape. He has trained, instructed, and consulted with THOUSANDS of turf managers and technicians. Mr. Gathercole has also been an agricultural agronomist. For many years, Mr. Gathercole was a contributing columnist for TURF & Recreation Magazine, Canada's Turf and Grounds Maintenance Authority. Mr. Gathercole is now retired from Force Of Nature, although his name continues to appear as the FOUNDER. 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 ! 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's 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. Mr. Gathercole is the ONLY TRUE RELIABLE WITNESS of the Hudson Affair.

Mr. Gathercole and his entourage have followed the evolution of ENVIRONMENTAL TERRORISM for over a quarter century. Through Force Of Nature, Enviro Maniac Activist Huje are identified on the basis of their statements, activities, affiliations, and whereabouts. Even though each Enviro Maniac Culprit is a misguided adversary, each still deserves our respect. The use of the terms Maniac, Culprit, Terrorist, or Basterd are not accusations of any legal wrong doing. Force Of Nature is simply holding Enviro Maniac Activists accountable for conspiring to change public policies that TERRORIZE, HARM, and THREATEN the Green Space Industry. Their pretentious prohibitionist rants have created LOSS OF REVENUES, BUSINESS FAILURES, BANKRUPTCY, and UNEMPLOYMENT, inflicting DESPAIR and DESTITUTION for THOUSANDS of hapless victims throughout the Green Space Industry. The DEPRAVED INDIFFERENCE of Maniac Culprit Terrorist Basterd Huje is viewed as a form of TERROR, HARM, and THREAT against the Green Space Industry.

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