

22 Sept 2004

Office of the Gene Technology Regulator  
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Attention: Applications Entry Point

Dear Sir/Madam:

**Annual Report: Licence No. DIR 021/2002**

I refer to the requirements of the above licence, (viz. condition No 16 through to 20), to provide the OGTR with an annual report within 90 days of the licence issue date anniversary.

During the period of July 2003 to June 2004, there have been no commercial plantings of InVigor Hybrid canola in Australia. NSW, Victoria, South Australia and Western Australia have all introduced State legislation on the pretense of protecting markets requiring exemption orders to allow for the cultivation of InVigor hybrid canola.

Small scale research and innovation trials were carried out under conditions imposed under State Exemptions Orders in New South Wales, South Australia and Victoria.

Details of the activities are as follows:

NSW: 15 ha across 3 sites

South Australia: 19 ha across 4 sites

Victoria: 55 ha across 20 sites

Total area, 89 ha

During the period from July 2003 through to July 2004, no adverse effects had been noticed at any of the trial sites. No unexpected adverse effects have been reported to us resulting from dealings with GM canola approved under Licence No. DIR 021/2002.

Yours sincerely,