

India: Maharashtra may ban Monsanto's Bt cotton

Maharashtra's Minister for Agriculture, Mr Radhakrishna Vikhe Patil, told Business Line that the State Government was left with no other option but to cancel the company's licence, given the nature of the complaint. He charged that the company was involved in black marketing of Bt (Bacillus Thuringiensis) cotton seeds and added that an FIR was lodged against certain company officials.

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