

Jane Goodall decries GM proponents as 'anti-science'

Dame Jane Goodall, the renowned primate expert, has condemned 'deluded' politicians for pushing 'Frankenstein Food'.

The highly respected academic has endorsed a new book, which argues the companies responsible for developing genetically modified farming and food have twisted the evidence to minimise the dangers.

Historically, critics of GM food have been lambasted by the GM companies, scientists who rely on their funding, and politicians, including the UK Government, as being 'anti-science'.

However, Dame Jane argues that the advocates of GM food have ignored evidence of harm with the result it is they who are guilty of being 'anti-science'.

And she is joining a growing campaign warning that Britain and Europe must not drop safeguards that have kept GM crops out.

Dame Jane's concerns have been raised in the foreword to a new book, 'Altered Genes, Twisted Truth', which is written by the American public interest lawyer, Steve Drucker.

Dr Julian Little a spokesman for Bayer CropScience was not aware of Drucker's book.

He said: 'We are now up to the three trillion meals and counting, that is meals containing GM ingredients, without a single substantial health issue since the beginning of the technology.'

'There has been much dirt thrown but none of it has stuck.'

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