

Video: First world anti-GMO “food paranoia” harms developing world

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Rob Saik discusses how “food paranoia” in the first world is harming the people in the developing world that can benefit from agricultural biotechnology.

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