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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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IN RE: ROUNDUP PRODUCTS) MDL No. 2741
LIABILITY LITIGATION)
) Case No.
_____) 16-md-02741-VC
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1 and to see where exactly that we -- both parties
2 could understand what's actually going on, and
3 whether we have an initiation of oxidative damage and
4 whether possible genotoxicity was secondary to the
5 initiation of oxidative damage.

6 Q Okay. And I assume by the same token,
7 you never shared -- Monsanto never shared the Parry
8 reports with any regulatory agency.

9 A That was not -- that was internal, you
10 know, expert to our company, you know, information,
11 and exchange of views, which had as the only
12 objective to inspire Monsanto to do some
13 supplementary research and to better understand the
14 effects that have been published by Peluso and
15 Bolognesi.

16 MS. WAGSTAFF: Okay. Strike as
17 nonresponsive.

18 BY MS. WAGSTAFF:

19 Q My question was, I assume by the same
20 token that Monsanto never shared the Parry report
21 with any regulatory agencies, correct?

22 A That's correct.

23 MR. GRIFFIS: The answer was responsive.

24 THE WITNESS: Yeah.

25 BY MS. WAGSTAFF:

1 Q And that's the -- MON 35050 is also the
2 formulation used in the Peluso and the -- the --

3 A Bolognesi.

4 Q -- Bolognesi paper.

5 A Yes.

6 Q Right?

7 A Yes.

8 Q Okay. And it says: "The in vivo
9 genotoxicity finding was cause of concern to
10 regulatory authorities."

11 Correct?

12 A Yes.

13 Q Okay. So now these are your thoughts
14 that the genotoxicity finding in vivo was of concern,
15 correct?

16 A Yes.

17 Q Okay. And this is -- then you're --
18 you're going on to educate these people who are
19 listening to your presentation about the toxicity of
20 surfactants, and you said: "To better understand the
21 significance, Monsanto undertook research to examine
22 the role of intraperitoneal versus oral, DMSO olive
23 oil versus saline, and then the Italian formulation
24 with and without glyphosate." Right?

25 A Yes, exactly.