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Dear FSANZ,

As concerned Australian citizens, we strongly support clear and concise labeling of any foods that have been irradiated. This allows us to make an informed decision of whether to buy or not buy the irradiated food.

If labeling is not possible, such as in loose fruit, we strongly support that the irradiated signage be clearly and prominently displayed next to the irradiated food.

We also strongly urge you to adopt labeling that clearly states where sugars, fats or vegetable oils are added as separate ingredients in a food, the terms 'added sugars' and 'added fats' and/or 'added vegetable oils' be used in the ingredient list as the generic term, followed by a bracketed list e.g., added sugars (fructose, glucose syrup, honey), added fats (palm oil, milk fat) or added vegetable oils (sunflower oil, palm oil).¹ Again this gives us the choice to make an informed decision.

Sincerely,
Edith and Richard Underwood