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CONSUMERS' PERCEPTIONS ON GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED ORGANISMS

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ABSTRACT

Governments have taken different approaches to assess and manage the risks associated with the use of genetic engineering technology and the development and release of genetically modified organisms (GMO), including genetically modified crops and genetically modified fish. There are differences in the regulation of GMOs between countries, with some of the most marked differences occurring between the USA and Europe. This paper makes an analysis of regulation of genetically modified organisms. It outlines the consumers rating on level of government intervention in regulation of genetically modified organisms in India. This paper makes a special note on government intervention strategies in regulation of genetically modified organisms on the basis of consumers' point of view. This paper concludes with some interesting findings.

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