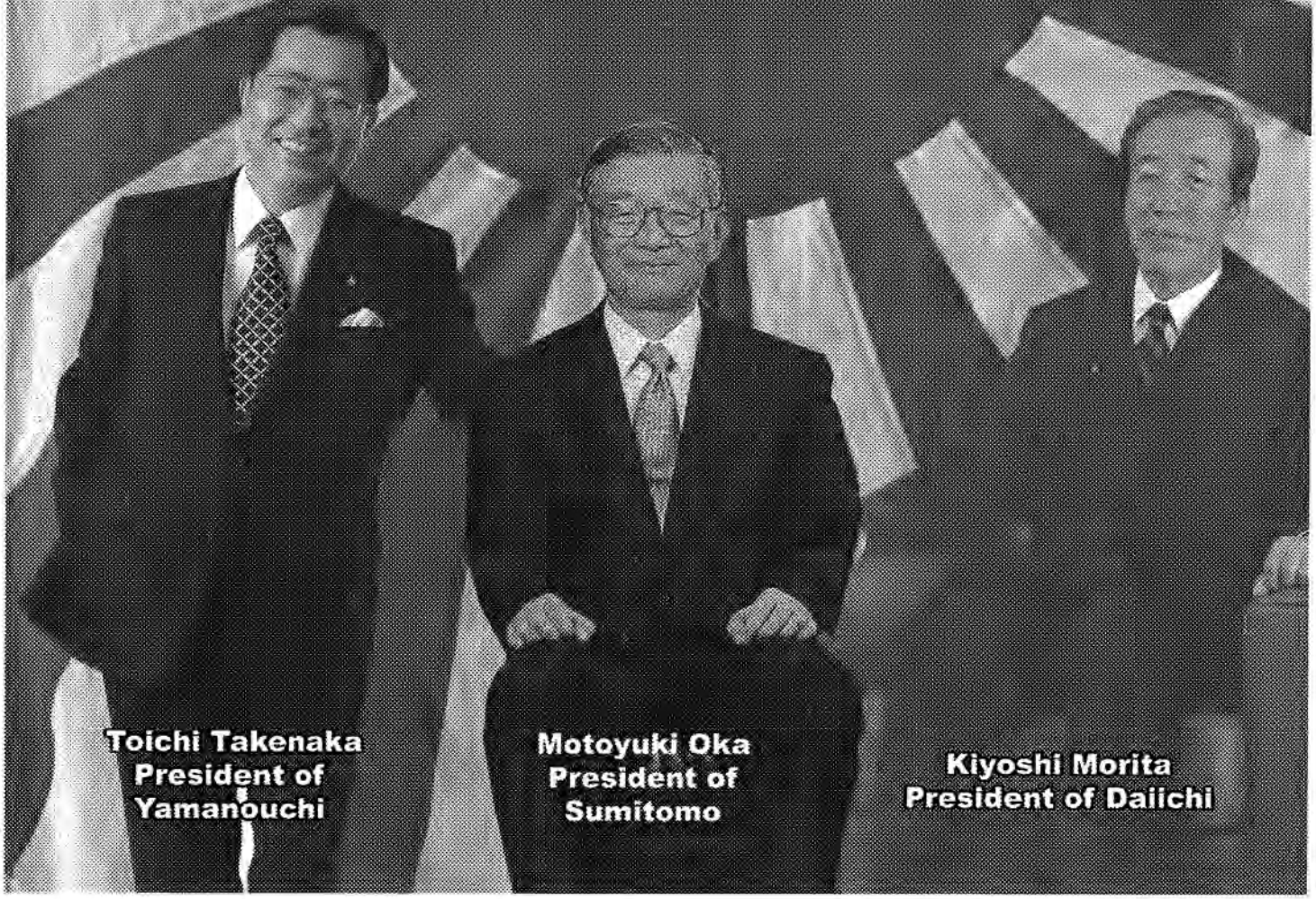
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When we contacted Yamanouchi, Daiichi, CBC and Sumitomo about HLS they laughed and put the phone down on us.

TIME FOR ACTION



Toichi Takenaka
President of
Yamanouchi

Motoyuki Oka
President of
Sumitomo

Kiyoshi Morita
President of Daiichi

36,000 LI

20% of HLS's business comes from

TIME FOR ACTION AGAINST JAPANESE CUSTOMERS

"From Huntingdon's perspective there has been a loss of business due to the animal rights activity. I visited Japan only a month ago and every client company that I visited was clearly concerned about the environment in this country. They were, I think, questioning the appropriateness of conducting research in Britain because of animal rights pressure."
Frank Bonner, Head of Science and Technology at HLS to Lord Taverne

Japanese customers have recurred right through HLS's history. There they are in every undercover investigation, coldly ordering the poisoning of many thousands of animals to get their filthy products on the market. Many of HLS's Japanese customers produce toxic chemicals that cause cancer, Parkinson's and other life-threatening diseases. These companies don't give a damn about the animals they pay to have killed or the humans they poison and kill when their products come on the market. All they care about is making money, and nothing else.

Japanese customers are responsible for 20% of the animals dying at HLS. Japanese customers are responsible for 20% of HLS's income. Now their time has come. We need to really focus our energies on driving these contracts away from HLS. Japanese customers are the main focus of the campaign now - their culture is such that any actions taken against them have far more impact. Make them realise HLS have been caught out for animal cruelty, fraud and staff incompetence.

YAMANOUCHI EVIL ANIMAL KILLERS

Yamanouchi have a long history of killing animals at HLS. When Sarah Kite worked undercover at HLS in 1989, there was a 52 week chronic toxicity experiment for a bone metabolism ameliorator drug being carried out on dogs. Sarah Kite was told not to give the dogs any affection as 'it wastes time'. The dogs were described as having pressure sores on their legs and discharge from both eyes.

When Michele Rokke worked undercover at HLS in 1997 she reported that Yamanouchi were a customer. They were due to carry out a leg-breaking experiment on 37 beagles where their legs were due to be snapped with steel wire. Michele described these dogs as ill and extremely nervous and fearful.

The HLS vet is quoted as saying:"These dogs are crap dogs. Rejects. They are not healthy dogs and should not be used and if they were used it would be a poor quality study." However Cathy Kelly the study director refused to get other dogs and insisted on using these ones. This shows how HLS are prepared to compromise the research of even valued customers like Yamanouchi.

An HLS worker joked about the dogs, saying "they should just break all their legs so they'll be easier to work with." He joked about how great it would be to move them from cage to cage if all their legs were broken.

Michele reported that HLS staff did not bother getting the Yamanouchi dogs out of their cages while they cleaned them, but instead hosed the cages down with the dogs inside them, drenching them all.

"In study 3282, the dogs are still very fearful. There are a few who don't cower in the corner of the cage when the door is opened. These dogs act just crazy. It's like they don't know how to act. They've bought into the idea they don't have to be so afraid but now they don't know how to act. They circle and jump and bob wildly all around the cage. When I reach for them they go nuts, flailing wildly as they try to evade my grasp. When I finally get a hold of them, they freeze and dig their feet into the floor grate, as if they suddenly remember they have reason to be afraid. The dogs are so stiff, the heavy cage grate is pulled out of the cage with them."
"Brian said he didn't feel like dosing the Yamanouchi dogs, saying he was just going to throw the test material down the drain."

SHAC also has documentary proof of Yamanouchi dealing with HLS in 2001.

We can prove that Yamanouchi have dealt with HLS over the last 15 years. How many animals have suffered and died at HLS, their murders funded by this disgusting company?



These are three of the 37 beagles due to have their legs broken at HLS paid for by Yamanouchi.



ACTION

Yamanouchi are a filthy company. Let them know how you feel about their long history of abusing animals at HLS.

Yamanouchi Pharma Ltd.
Yamanouchi House, Pyrford Road
West Byfleet, Surrey KT14 6RA
UNITED KINGDOM
Tel: 01932 34 2291 /5535
Fax:01932 35 3458

VES LOST

Japan. That's 36,000 lives lost.

DAIICHI TORTURE FOR PROFIT

Daiichi have a 15 year history of using HLS and are one of their biggest customers. Their involvement can be traced back to 1989 when Sarah Kite worked undercover there. Daiichi had a year long study on dogs. Sarah Kite worked with Robert Waters who was later one of the technicians caught on film punching beagle puppies in the face. She noted his rough handling of the dogs in the Daiichi experiments. His comment about them was 'these dogs are on the way out'. Daiichi published a 52 week chronic toxicity on dogs at HLS in 1994. 16 male dogs and 16 female dogs from Consort were killed during this study for a cognition-enhancing agent.
In 1997 Daiichi were identified as being a HLS customer by Michele Rokke who worked undercover at HLS.
SHAC have documented proof that Daiichi contracted work to HLS in 2000, 2001 and 2002.

Daiichi are a big customer of HLS and a very important target for the campaign. Daiichi have been informed of the horrific animal cruelty and gross staff incompetence uncovered at HLS and have not even had the courtesy to respond to the campaign's requests for dialogue.

ACTION

Contact Daiichi and let them know your views about animal cruelty
Daiichi UK
13th Floor
International Press centre
76 Shoe Lane
London
EC4A 3JB
Tel 0207 936 2850
Fax 0207 583 6035
Email info@daiichi.co.uk

Also contact CBC (see below)
CBC (EUROPE) LTD.
7/8, Garrick Industrial Centre, Irving Way, London NW9 6AQ,
Tel 0208 732 33 36 Fax 0208 202 33 87
Email kmatthew@cbcuk.com
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SUMITOMO BLOOD ON THEIR HANDS

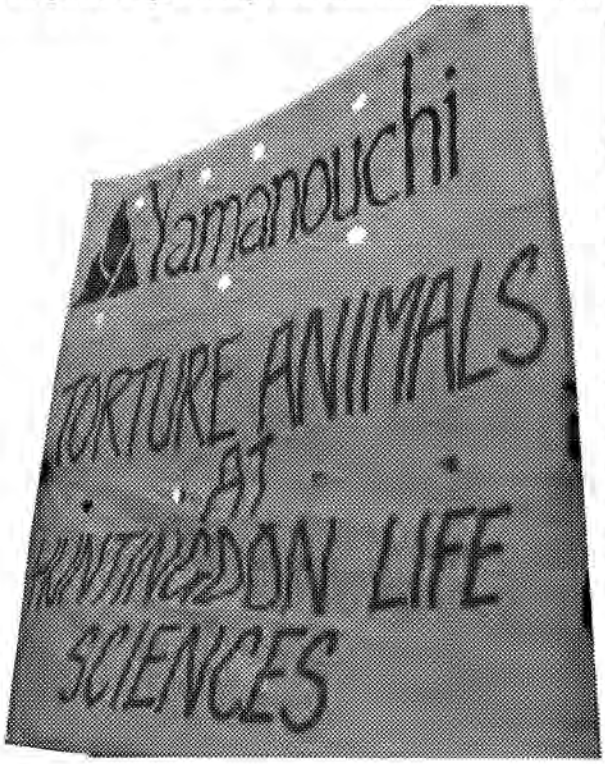
Sumitomo have a long history of involvement with HLS. Sarah Kite reported on experiments for Sumitomo Chemicals, Pesticide division in which Pyrethroid, an insecticide, was given to rats.

Another experiment that Sumitomo were paying HLS for was an anti-parkinson drug on mice. The animals showed psychotic behaviour, including pacing and circling their cages. Many mice died during the course of this experiment.

We have documented evidence that Sumitomo were dealing with HLS in 2001.

Sumitrans are a worldwide freight logistics company. They are part of the Sumitomo Corporation. They work with HLS's primate suppliers in Mauritius who sell primates for vivisection to labs all over the world. When we spoke to Bioculture who supply primates to HLS they confirmed that the monkeys are flown to Paris, and then taken to the labs including HLS by Sumitrans.

Sumitomo are up to their necks in animal abuse. They have not only dealt with HLS over the last 15 years, they also ship primates from Mauritius to suffer and die in labs including HLS all over the world.



CBC PARTNERS IN TORTURE

In 1996 CBC and HLS set up a Japanese HLS sales office, each owning 50%. CBC are HLS's permanent presence in Japan and the sales office is actually listed as Huntingdon Life Sciences on CBC's website. CBC are in Japan touting for filthy animal-killing business for HLS and acting as a go-between between HLS and all the Japanese customers. CBC are HLS's gateway to the Japanese market and it is vital that you put pressure on them.

ACTION

Contact Sumitomo:
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10 DAYS TO SH

We have never seen a response to any part of the campaign like there was to Deloitte & Touche, HLS's auditors. The phone and mail went crazy with people all over the country ringing as well as loads of enquiries from abroad from people wanting to take action. And take action is exactly what everyone did, with fantastic results. Deloitte & Touche dumped HLS after an incredible fast and furious 10 day campaign against them.

Deloitte & Touche were a valuable ally to HLS. HLS paid top whack for their services, and just like Enron, another D&T client, they used D&T because they are good at what they do. They are one of the top 4 accountancy firms worldwide, with a lot of kudos, particularly in the biotech field which is one of their specialities. HLS customers and investors will have been reassured to know that HLS had Deloitte & Touche on their side and some of D&T's credibility will have rubbed off on floundering HLS. That has all come to an end now.

HLS's first quarter figures for 2003 will have to be released by law by the 15th May, so we will see who is going to step into the shoes Deloitte & Touche hastily vacated. Maybe they will try to find an accountancy firm in Pakistan!



ALF RAID HLS CUSTOMER MERIAL

SHAC received the following anonymous communiqué:
"In the early morning hours of February 27, 2003, the ALF liberated 115 chickens from Merial Select Laboratory in the USA.
In the midst of a snowstorm, we made our way to the animal housing units. Using crowbars and boltcutters, we bypassed the alarmed doors by pushing and cutting our way through the window panes and wire mesh. After crawling into several barns, we loaded 115 baby chicks into carriers and brought them to safety. They have been taken to temporary housing to live in a period of isolation to ensure that the possible diseases they have been infected with do not spread to others. Afterwards, they will be moved to permanent homes to live freely. Countless animal research facilities commit their atrocities in Maryland, but Merial was targeted specifically because they are a client of Huntingdon Life Sciences. Any friend of HLS is an enemy of the ALF. We know who their clients are. We are out there, and you're next.
until all are free...the ALF"

ALF ACTIONS AGAINST HLS

ALF PAINTSTRIPPER WORKER'S CAR

"We paint strippered the car of HLS monster Andrew Hose, Alconbury on the 6th Feb. This man is such a pervert he only lives 2 minutes away from HLS so he can get into work to kill more animals quicker. ALF"

HEAD OF NOVARTIS UK HOUSE ATTACKED

"We visited the home of the head of Novartis for the whole of the UK, Kevin White, and smashed his windows last week. We will carry on targeting Novartis in whatever way we see fit until they sever their links with HLS. No peace for evil animal abusers, no peace for murderers. This action was carried out in memory of the thousands of animals murdered at HLS by Novartis."

ALF ACTIONS DURING MARCH MAYHEM

"We thought we would like to contribute to the 48 hour March Mayhem, so we set out to our first target CPS fuels who supply all the fuel for HLS's lab at Occold. We decorated the walls with DROP HLS, HLS SCUM and ALF. We glued their locks and left hundreds of leaflets for the workers to pick up when they first got into work. This company can expect more visits until they stop supplying HLS..

Then on to the next target, a scummy HLS worker Richard Sapey of Horningham. He had three tyres on his car trashed, paint tipped all over it and hundreds of leaflets scattered all over his garden. The moral of the story is: mess with the animals, mess with the ALF."



AKE DELOITTE

STOP PRESS

Huntingdon's pension fund manager AON has just resigned. We were leaked information yet again from within a company that deals with HLS. The information was very specific and damaging for HLS. We were sent the client code, the names, email & mobiles of everyone connected to Huntingdon's account.
We verified the information then challenged AON. AON went into panic holding meetings etc and hey presto! days later a fax rolled off SHAC's fax machine stating that AON were now no longer connected to HLS and also giving an undertaking never to deal with them again. To whoever supplied this info thank you so so much.Victory yet again.



DIARY OF ACTION AGAINST D & T



18th Feb Financial Times run an article on details of 135 Deloitte & Touche employees leaked to SHAC

18th Feb Demo at D&T offices in Birmingham

18th Feb Demo at D&T offices in Nottingham

19th Feb Demo at D&T offices in Birmingham

20th Feb ALF throw concrete slab through the glass front door of D & T offices in Nottingham

20th Feb Demos at D&T offices in Edinburgh and Glasgow

21st Feb D&T receive 200.000 emails in mass global email action

21st Feb D&T employee leaks company security advice on email attack

22nd Feb Demos at D&T offices in Milton Keynes and Scotland

22nd Feb Office occupation at D&T office in Liverpool

23rd Feb Home demos on 2 D&T directors in the West Midlands

23rd Feb Demo at D&T offices in Nottingham

23rd Feb D&T block access to SHAC website from their offices

23rd Feb D&T employee contacts SHAC offering their entire USA and Europe phone directory

24th Feb D&T office occupation in New Zealand

24th Feb Demo at Nottingham office

25th Feb ALF spraypaint D&T director's house

25th Feb Run-ins at D&T offices in Berlin and Mannaheim

25th Feb Demo at D&T offices in London

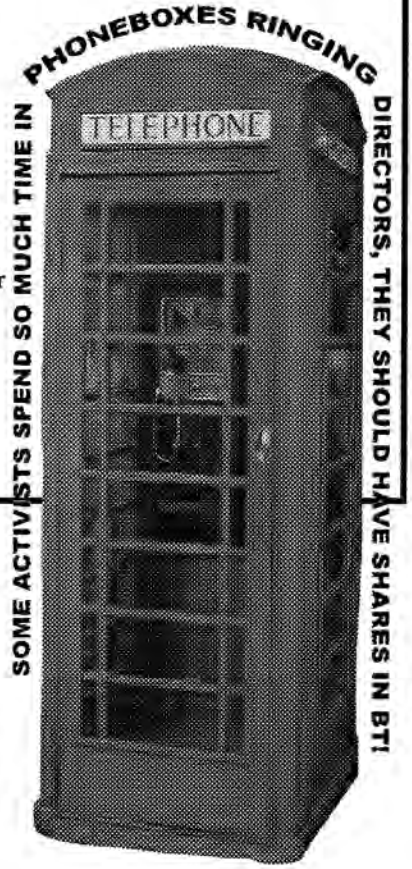
26th Feb Demo at D&T offices in Newcastle

26th Feb Home demo on senior German D&T partner

27th Feb Demos at D&T offices in Glasgow, Edinburgh, Leeds and Cambridge

28th Feb D&T offices spraypainted in Italy

1st March D&T announce they will no longer be HLS's auditors



HLS LAB SUPPLIER R&L SLAUGHTER PULLS OUT

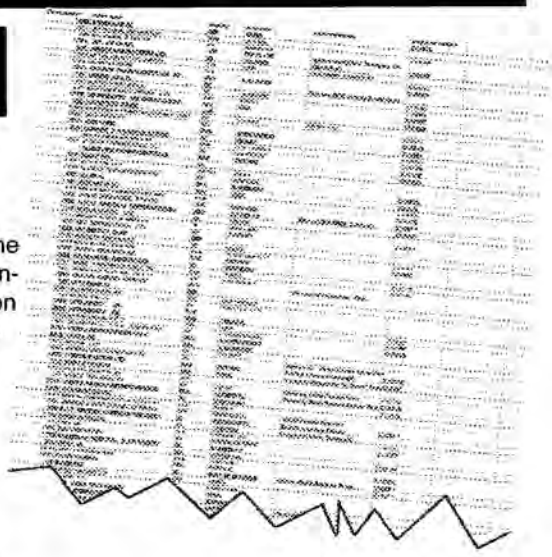
R & L Slaughter have been supplying equipment to HLS to cut up and abuse animals for many years. When they were contacted by us, Mr Slaughter said "You'll have to target us pretty hard to get us to not work for HLS. We've supplied them for years and we're certainly not going to stop now." Funnily enough, just a week later, a couple of days after the newsletter had gone out, he was back on the phone again asking for a fax number to send their statement to and complaining that their phones were ringing non-stop and they couldn't get any work done! We could actually hear the phones ringing like mad in the background! Well done to everyone who contacted them – pressure works!

HLS & COVANC

INFILTRATION INTRODUCTION

The vivisection industry is one of the most secretive industries in the world. Customers rely on 100% confidentiality in order to be able to get new products onto the market without all their competitors knowing what research they are involved in. All new employees sign a confidentiality contract promising not to reveal any information on the work they do. All these companies do not want anyone finding out what they are up to and what labs they are dealing with. Secrecy is paramount and is one of the main factors companies look for when they contract work to labs like Huntingdon and Covance.

Incredibly, SHAC have just completed the successful infiltrations of 2 major UK contract research organisations: Huntingdon AND Covance. We have got Covance's entire client list and a major part of HLS's. No more denials – we know exactly who is dealing with these labs and paying for animals to be killed in sick, disgusting experiments with no scientific value whatsoever.



Above: A snapshot of Covance's whole client list

INFILTRATION INTRODUCTION

Covance, the big contract testing lab in Yorkshire, is closely linked to HLS. USA HLS CEO Andrew Baker, ex-USA director Kirby Cramer, UK MD Cass and finance manager Julian Griffiths all worked together at Covance before moving to HLS. We have documented proof that Covance work closely with HLS and give them contracts.

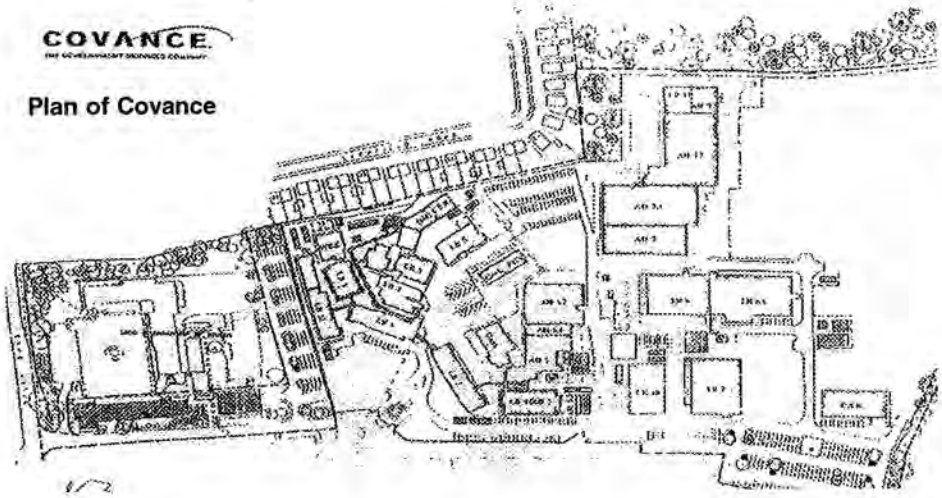
After receiving documentation proving that Covance were a customer of HLS, and because of the strong links between the 2 companies, SHAC set out to infiltrate them. We had an undercover investigator working at Covance for 4 months. We have the entire client list of 576 companies that deal with Covance, and many reports and details on various companies and experiments.

Our undercover investigator also gained a lot of background info on Covance as a company. Here are some excerpts from their diary:

15th -Duress code in practice: if someone forces you to open a door you just add 1 to your 4 digit entry code (same as your works number) and a silent alarm rings in security.
17th - Study 262/122 radiation given to pigs. Puratech Therapeutics Inc of Ottowa have study 2083/005 study in monkeys
24th - BASF do skin penetration studies in rats. Told that SKB is one of their biggest clients. Overheard that Harrogate is pissed off that the biggest ever contract with Philip Morris has gone to the US site. Pfizer are a big customer with 628 studies
Astra Zeneca of Macclesfield have had 387 studies done
Roche – 276/107 2 year study in mice – 128 studies for this firm

COVANCE

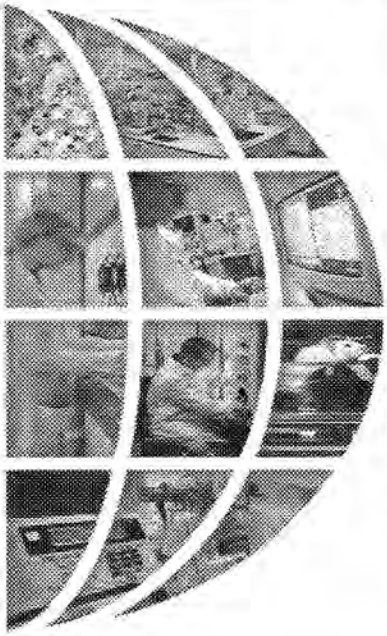
Plan of Covance



Dow Agrochemicals are big customers, but not seen anything so far using animals
Unilever, Bedford – 199 studies
SKB – 802 studies
Arrow Therapeutics, Britannia house, 7 Trinity St, London SE1 1DA
Study 2072/1 for Arrow Therapeutics showed weight loss, liquid faeces, splayed hind limbs and head shaking in beagle dogs who were then killed. The necropsy concluded that the conditions were a result of stress. The dogs were bred by Harlan.
Boehringer Ingelheim UK – 979/7 dog toxicology
Medeva Pharma, Leatherhead
605/8 nicotine experiments in dogs
Despatch note for 100 guinea pigs from David Hall
Study 1253/143 in monkeys showed salivating, circling and licking of cage. One monkey vomited 15 minutes after dosing, and then staggered and fell off his perch, subdued, shaking, squirming and hunched over.
Inspections are known of beforehand, as shown in internal letter addressed to senior managers.
Study 1267/54 April 2002 details rats being killed by plunging into a freezing mixture.
"Got a bollocking when a respectable man came to our reception and asked the way to animal house 7 and I was just about to give him directions. Apparently we haven't to do so as he might have been an AR in disguise that somehow got past security."(!!!)

E INFILTRATED

Huntingdon's account number at the bank of England is:
acc no 22574913
sort code 10-00-00
Don't bother trying to withdraw any money though cos they haven't got any.



HUNTINGDON LEAKING INFORMATION

Huntingdon's company motto is "Your secrets are our secrets". How hollow those words ring when we have in our hands details on companies worldwide who are HLS's customers with the dates they dealt with them. Hard evidence of companies who know HLS's shameful history of gross animal abuse and disgraceful staff incompetence and who couldn't give a damn. Hard evidence that will enable us to target HLS and all those who deal with them with 100% efficacity.

CUSTOMERS OF HLS WE KNOW WHO YOU ARE

The really obscene thing about all these companies' involvement with HLS is that they are fully aware of the truly horrific animal cruelty that has been uncovered at all HLS's labs and they have all made the decision to carry on dealing with them. They all know about the gross staff incompetence, falsification of data and sloppy operating procedures at HLS uncovered by all the undercover investigations, and yet they carry on contracting their research there.

This raises serious questions about these companies. If they knowingly deal with HLS this shows a complete disregard for how their research is done, and sends out a message to the rest of the contract research industry that is shocking: even if you get exposed for animal cruelty and fraud repeatedly, we will carry on supporting you and giving you work. No wonder there is growing scepticism and mistrust of science in Britain.

The government should have closed HLS down when they had their license revoked in 1997. All SHAC is doing is what the government should have done in 1997 – ensuring the demise of a laboratory whose employees' behaviour horrified the nation and who have shown that they are not fit to operate.

Why on earth would any one want to deal with HLS? Their security is appalling, their staff are grossly incompetent, their financial situation is extremely precarious and they are teetering on the verge of liquidation.

Some of the customers of HLS leaked to us. The list contains hundreds of their clients & came from within HLS.

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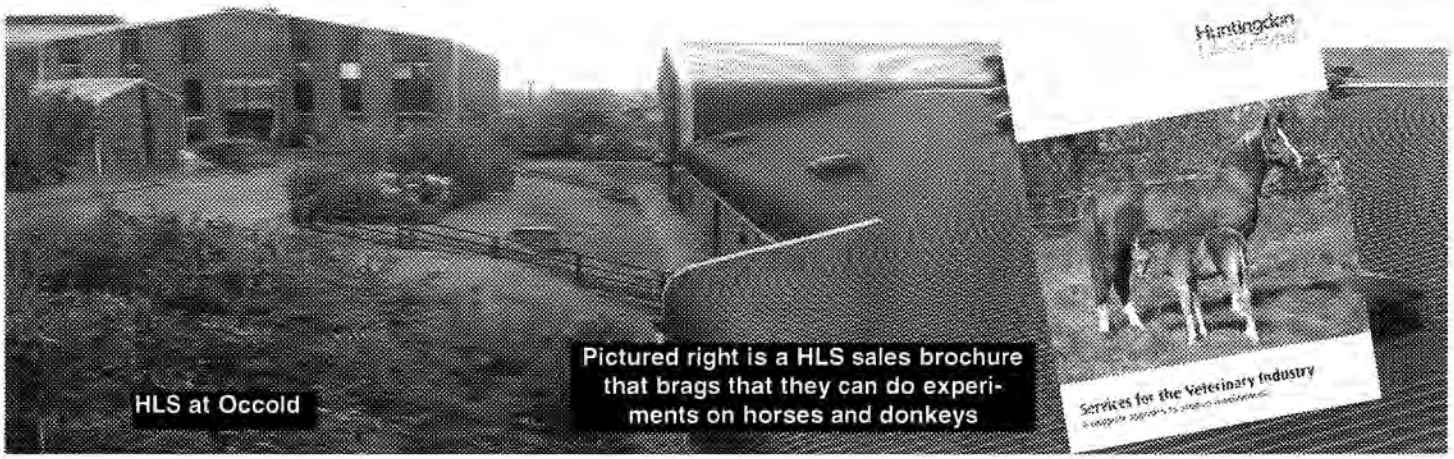
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ACTION

Customers are the main focus of the campaign and will remain so until HLS closes. They are the ones keeping HLS open by giving them contracts. We need to cut off that life line for HLS by putting pressure on the customers and making sure they are aware of the undercover investigations and scandal that follow HLS wherever they go.

With your newsletter you will find a customer booklet containing all the priority HLS customers for your area. Please get organised and hold demonstrations against these companies. Call and write to all the ones in your area and ask them to sever their links with the disgusting Huntingdon Life Sciences. Fax and email them about all the undercover investigations. Tell them about HLS and Covance getting infiltrated. The important thing is that we all take action and put pressure on these companies together.



HLS at Occold

Pictured right is a HLS sales brochure that brags that they can do experiments on horses and donkeys

MARCH

INTRODUCTION

March Mayhem was a highly effective new tactic of demonstrating against HLS without the police trailing round after everyone trying to put a stop to all the fun and games. Instead of a demo with a fixed meeting point that is easy to police, March Mayhem was 48 hours of people doing their own demos against any HLS targets in Cambridgeshire. It worked brilliantly with activists using their initiative and their brains and getting on with it. Different groups of activists got out there and got on with it, with not a copper in sight! We need HLS to fork out their own money on security, just like Marsh did, instead of relying on Cambridgeshire police to provide them with security. HLS are not even a UK company any more and it is disgraceful that they rely on the local taxpayers to stump up for their security bills. In order to push up HLS's security costs it is vital that you all get out and about up in Cambridgeshire, especially now those spring evenings are coming!
Here is a sample of some of the March Mayhem demos that happened. These reports were all sent in to SHAC anonymously:

ON THE ABUSERS' DOORSTEPS

"Lancashire and Brighton groups joined forces outside Brian Cass's residence in St Ives and told him exactly what we think of him. We didn't hang around as we were keen to start our tour of Godmanchester's animal abusers. First on the list was convicted sex offender Alistaire Ballantine. We were appalled to find children playing outside his home. Don't the neighbours ever learn? After leafleting the whole area, we went up to Ballantine's house and posted in some choice correspondence but unfortunately the cowardly abuser inside couldn't be seen. They're never there when they have to pick on someone their own size.

Next we went to Steven Ruckman's place. This evil man works in General Toxicology (rodents). We leafleted all his neighbours to let them know exactly who is living next door to them. No more hiding away for these people.

The day was rounded off by a visit to the lab where, along with a whole load of other angry activists, we informed the murdering abusers inside that they better get down to the job centre soon as HLS's days are numbered."

MARCH MAYHEM AT NIGHT

"We started our mayhem early with a mad fly-posting session in a town with posters for world lab animals day. Some of us did a demo at a D and T office and were overjoyed when they later pulled out! Others managed to fit in a stall and raise a tidy sum. We then fly-posted a town again!

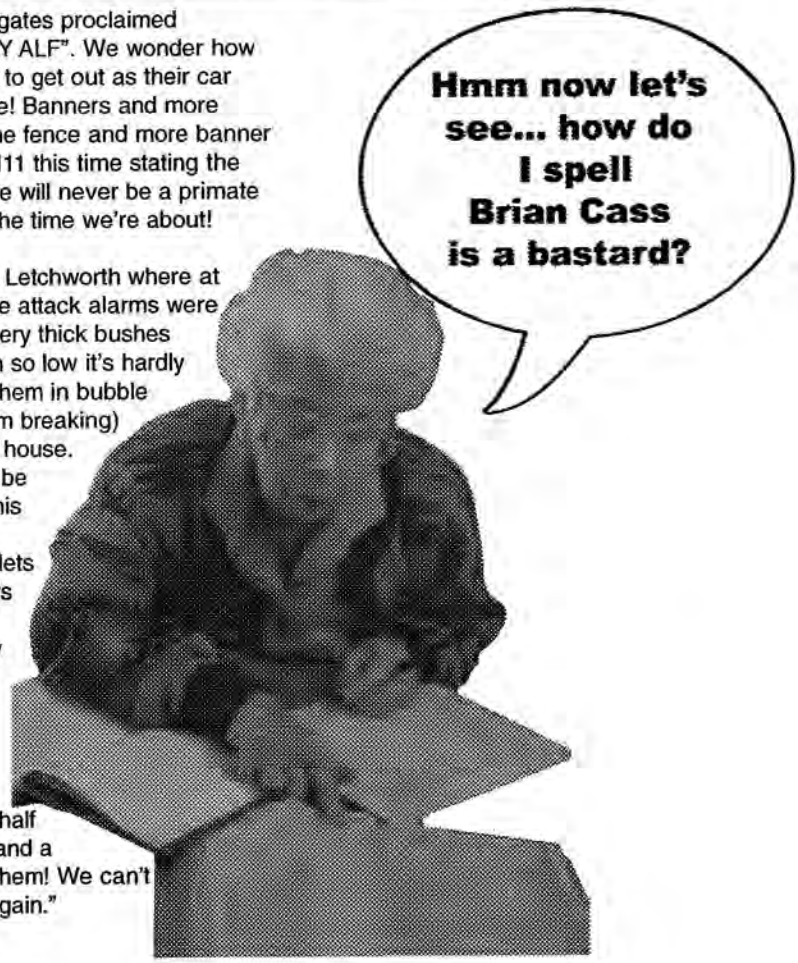
But we saved the best to last - March Mayhem finished midnight last night so that's when we started. Six activists went into action first dropping banners from the bridges over the A1 either side of HLS hell hole so that no one could turn up for work today without seeing in black and white that they are SCUM!

Then onto CROOK's house in Buckden a good name for a scientific fraudster, he won't have got much sleep as four personal attack alarms were lobbed in his bushes and up in his guttering. It was great to see his bleary-eyed face peering at the masked bodies in his garden. Black crosses were left, symbols of the thousands of animals remembered by us that have died at his hands.

Then on to Girton. Bored of being locked out by security we decided to turn the tables on them for a change and put our own chains and locks on the gates. A banner hung on the gates proclaimed "CLOSED TODAY ALF". We wonder how long it took them to get out as their car was locked inside! Banners and more crosses left on the fence and more banner drops over the M11 this time stating the obvious that there will never be a primate lab at Girton all the time we're about!

Then finally onto Letchworth where at 2:45am four more attack alarms were lobbed into the very thick bushes and guttering (oh so low it's hardly worth wrapping them in bubble wrap to stop them breaking) of Andrew Gays' house. He will no doubt be bright and jolly this morning! More crosses and leaflets left so neighbours had no doubt of the monster they have in their street.

A few quid on alarms chains locks and paint, half a tank of diesel and a whole lot of mayhem! We can't wait to do it all again."



MAYHEM

OUT & ABOUT IN CAMBRIDGESHIRE

"A group of us in two cars got together on Sunday 2 March and paid a visit to HLS scientist the aptly named Mr Crook, of **Personal details removed**

Two high powered rape alarms were placed in his guttering and garden just to remind him at 2.00am in the morning that we knew where he lived and that we will return again and again until he quits HLS. WATCH THIS SPACE MR CROOK!

We then split in to two groups to cover more ground and animal abusers. One group went on to Girton whilst the other paid a visit to the gates at HLS. After good blasts on the megaphone it was on to Andrew House of Alconbury. Something told us that HLS scum Andrew may have already been paid a visit, it was 3.00am in the morning and all the lights in his house were on! We gave him a good blast on the megaphone to let his neighbours know what he did for a living and keep him up even longer, see you soon Andrew.

Then finally it was time for Rodney and Tracey Sortwell's early morning wake up call, yes 4.00am in the morning. Rodney's a toxic manager so he deserved an extra special present, a rape alarm hidden in a deep hedge near his house, you should know Rodney that there is no rest for wicked lying scum like you."





YOU 2 CAN BE EFFECTIVE

Two SHAC Lincs protesters decided to contribute to march mayhem by arriving at the gates on sunday just as the workers were about to leave and laying in the road to prevent them from leaving.

As they were lined up in their cars waiting to leave we had a good 20 minutes to let them know just what we think of their disgusting animal abusing ways before the police arrived and threatened us with arrest for swearing and obstruction. The mayhem continues until HLS is gone. Shac Lincs"

MARCH MAYHEM BY DAYTIME

Ten of us got together in two cars for March mayhem.

The day began with a visit to Cambridge Science Park to visit Organon Laboratories and Organon Teknika both of whom are subsidiaries of Akzo Nobel, a customer of HLS. Not wanting to pick up an escort too quickly we made our presence felt and quickly moved on.

Next on the list was Bayer Crop Science. Realising that there is a public footpath running around the side of their building and across their car park we held a demo right in the middle of their car park. The police arrived but were completely unable to do anything as we had every right to be there, even though we were right by the side of their building and right in the middle of their car park. We spent the next 30 minutes telling Bayer to publicly dump HLS or face the consequences.

Next we headed back into Cambridge, with our escort in tow, to find some food. We found a Waitrose supermarket and hiding away behind was Monsanto! Being too good an opportunity to miss we went and gave them hell.

As most of the activists shopped, closely watched by the ever attentive Cambridgeshire Constabulary, a few of us sneaked round the back to give Monsanto some aggro. It was too easy, there weren't even any fences between their compound and Waitrose, just a small field! We just wandered round the back of Waitrose and before we knew it we were inside Monsanto's (incredibly insecure) compound. As the majority of the activists held a visual demo to let people know that Monsanto are customers of HLS, we invited ourselves in for a look around. There appeared to be nobody there and there wasn't a security guard or copper in sight! We had a very thorough look around and have some interesting demo ideas, just in case Monsanto are stupid enough to carry on dealing with HLS.

After sharing a tour of the Cambridgeshire countryside with 2 police cars following us to make sure we didn't get lost, we finally decided to pay HLS a visit. Again there appeared to be nobody about other than a few lackeys to open and close the gate. They didn't seem to share our amusement that D&T had pulled out, although even the security seemed to see the funny side of the paper bag merchant saga. You see HLS, you must be in a pitiful state if even your own security are laughing at you!!!

After another hour of touring around it was getting dark so we headed home, happily knowing that we'd put pressure on hls customers and had a good look at various customer targets for another day out soon."

HLS CUSTOMER DEMOS

CUSTOMERS' OFFICES ENTERED IN CAMBS

10 activists arrived at Intervet (AKZO NOBEL) near Huntingdon today and piled into the office block. We left them with a clear message that the reason for our visit was HLS. Police cars with flashing lights drove right past us without a second glance as we went on to our next target.

Through the car park, into the canteen and into the offices. Maybe someone should tell Schering Plough at Mildenall a thing or two about security! We made our way upstairs telling all in the building as loudly as we could that we will not tolerate these companies dealing with HLS.

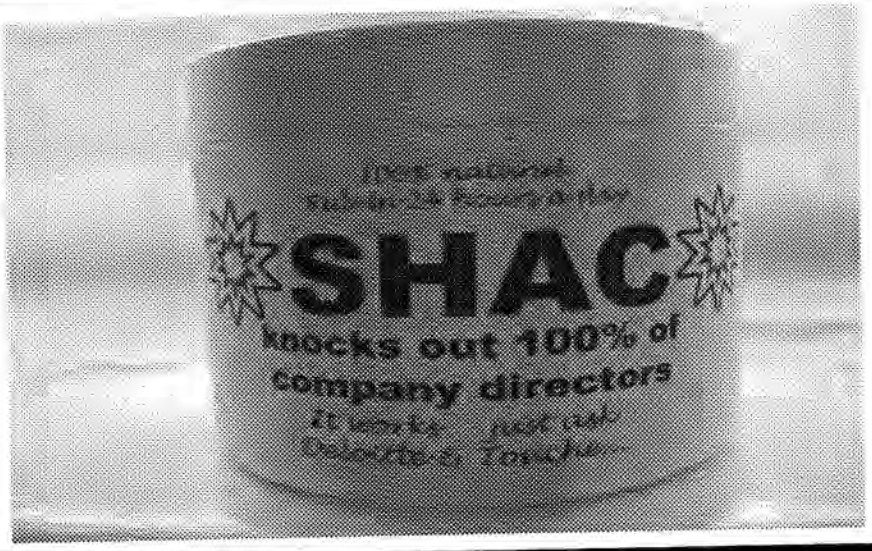
Last on the list was BASF at Woolpit where a "special delivery from parcel force" soon materialised into a shouting group of animal rights campaigners once the doors to the office were opened. Where there's a will there's a way so use your imagination and you'll soon be inside! Point made we left with an assurance from the office manager that he would be on the phone to HQ in Germany. As we left for our next target out came the local bumpkins on their tractors and blocked us in until the police arrived, maybe someone should have told them that by blocking us in they were also blocking deliveries out and creating a huge scene. Gotta love that redneck logic!

CPS FUELS

CPS Fuels supply HLS's Occold lab. We have sent them all the info on HLS and they know who they are supplying.

ACTION

Contact CPS Fuels and ask them not to deal with animal killers and people poisoners HLS :
CPS Fuels, The Old Sale Yard, Forncett St Peter, Norwich NR16 1JP
Tel: 01508 530 342 and 01449 771 998



DEMO'D! NOVARTIS, ROCHE & BASF

"Armed with megaphones, leaflets, posters and whistles we set with our newly acquired copy of Who's Who to weedle out those animal abusers in the nether regions of Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.

First target, BASF in Ruddington. A distinct lack of security and "What No Police"! We gave it to the 18 or so workers employed at BASF for the next hour giving the facts which would leave them and the other companies on the Industrial Estate in no doubt that BASF were contributing towards animal cruelty by their association with HLS. Feeling the pressure of our tirade of truth, the blinds were quickly drawn so they at least didn't have to see the facts on our boards, just listen to them.

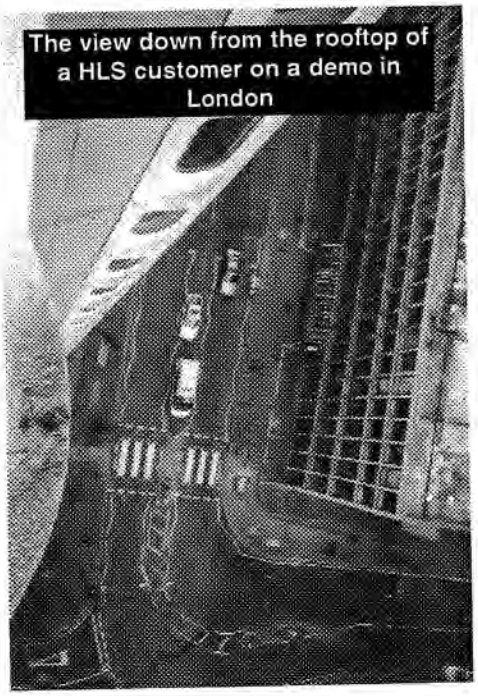
Next stop Roche where we were personally greeted on the steps of their offices by Mr Granger; suprisingly we were denied access to the offices, as were a number of delivery guys and clients with appointments who were unfortunate enough to turn up at the same time as us meaning the front door was remaining firmly locked. Mr G assured us that the last dealings Roche had with HLS was 8 years ago when they gave Huntingdon Scum a donation.

I asked for written proof of Roche's disassociation with HLS, but was told this wouldn't be possible and that it had to come from Head Office, Switzerland.

(NB Roche are in Sarah Kite's diaries, in the Occold material recovered during the undercover investigation, and in recent documents from HLS on our website dated 2000 and 2002. Don't try to lie to us Roche – we've got you bang to rights.

Then it was off to Novartis arriving just in time for the staff kicking out time. The police arrived hot on our heels.They tried to tell us that our demo was not happening and we were also told we had to give our names and addresses – nonsense. We pushed past them and carried out our perfectly legal support of the voiceless animals routinely abused at HLS. A lot of blind twitching went on with workers continually standing at the windows looking out at us.

Satisfied we'd got our message across we set off for home, happy in the knowledge that we had a good day berating our local animal abusing companies."

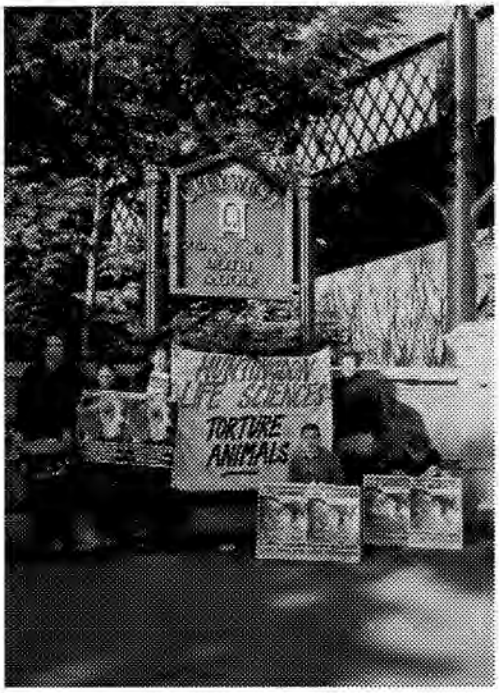


The view down from the rooftop of a HLS customer on a demo in London

IAT CONFERENCE

CANCELLED

DEMO AT CITY WEST HOTEL IN IRELAND



"On Saturday, 1st March, a minibus of activists from around the UK descended on the Citywest Hotel in Dublin to protest against it hosting the Institute of Animal Technician's annual conference. It was straight off the ferry and down the very posh golf/health centre/hotel complex in Saggart, to the southwest of Dublin.

We all entered the hotel, storming through with megaphones and leaflets, informing everyone why Citywest should be boycotted. Despite staff attempting to block the activists, access to a teaching conference, restaurants, bars and accommodation was achieved. Acitivists informed people in the dining hall about HLS via a megaphone as they had their lunch. Staff were seen running across golf courses in high heels, attempting to catch up with protestors intent on discussing the matter further with the golfers.

The response was highly encouraging, with a round of applause at one stage from guests as an activist easily dodged around security to get into a plush bar. By this stage the staff of the hotel were despairing. There is no question about the effectiveness (and fun) of a 40 minute occupation!"

We all need to keep ours eyes and ears open to track down when and where the conference will be moved to. With all the information flowing to the campaign it shouldn't be long before one of us out there finds it. Check out www.shac.net and read the emails leaked to us from insiders regarding the IAT conference.

AND THEN...

The annual get-together of all the sick people who actually want to go to work and kill animals for a living has been cancelled by CityWest Hotel.

The IAT tried to hoodwink the hotel without disclosing the nature of their organisation, or what was likely to happen to anyone hosting it, and tried to tie the hotel up in a contract by paying them 114 grand when they booked, to ensure – or so they hoped – that CityWest would have no way of cancelling.

As soon as we got our hands on one of the IAT glossy leaflets advertising the event, we set to work tracking down where the conference was due to be held. It didn't take long.

CityWest hotel in Dublin was identified and after email action alerts that led to phone calls plus various demo's and many letters and faxes, culminating in a joint UK-Irish demo where activists really got stuck in, plus conversations back and forth between SHAC and the Hotel people, CityWest made a compassionate decision and told the IAT that their get-together was not going to be happening on their premises.

The IAT worked overtime on trying to get the hotel to go back on their word, getting 'top' scientists and pharmaceutical companies to contact the hotel and put pressure on them, and the hotel confirmed that they were getting loads of faxes and letters and it wasn't going to make a blind bit of difference! When will all these sickos learn that decent, compassionate people hate their animal-killing activities and don't want to be connected to them in any way. True to their word CityWest Hotel stuck to their guns.
What a slap in the face for the industry and how humiliating to beg the hotel to host the get-together and have your appeals ignored.

The IAT sent out a whining press release about how extremists had forced them to postpone their 'animal welfare conference' (sick or what?). The IAT press woman made quite a few choice comments to press that were passed on to the campaign: apparently she said that 'the industry is spending millions on security when it should be spent on research' and that the UK is being perceived as an increasingly hostile environment by the worldwide industry.

Good. We are doing a brilliant job of sending out a loud and clear message to the vivisection industry world-wide: don't think you can come to the UK and conduct your evil business over here.

Well done to everyone who wrote, emailed, phoned and faxed the hotel as well as everyone who did the demos. Another victory for the animals is down to you.



Activists hold a frank discussion with the owner of City West hotel Jim Mansfield

COULD THIS BE YOU?

WORKING UDERCOVER

Some of the most devastating damage done to Huntingdon Life Sciences has been done by two sorts of undercover work.

WORKING IN A LAB

HLS have been brought to their knees first and foremost by the horrifying footage of gentle beagle puppies getting punched in the face by HLS workers that was obtained by Zoe Broughton who worked undercover at HLS and also by the footage filmed at their lab in the USA by Michele Rokke. Never underestimate the damage that can be done to HLS and any of their customers by you getting a job inside their labs and catching on film the reality of the animal-killing industry.

The following was written by our undercover investigator who worked at Eli-Lilly and exposed their animal abuse and scientifically unsound research. This person contacted SHAC and offered to work undercover. They are just a run of the mill member of the public. They do not have any special qualifications – all they had was compassion and a will to expose the truth.

"Life as an Undercover Investigator
You might have to eat meat to maintain cover, and it's difficult keeping quiet to friends and family about what you are doing. You might get upset when you see animals that you fed, watered and cared for only a few hours ago are not in those cages any more. You might see that innocent and playful creature again - after the post mortem -and it's not a pretty sight. Always remember that your little bit of distress is nothing compared to what our friends, the animals, have to go through.
Those millions of defenceless creatures rely on you, yes you, to discover the outrageous cruelty being performed on them. Remember that if things get tough."

WORKING IN THE OFFICES

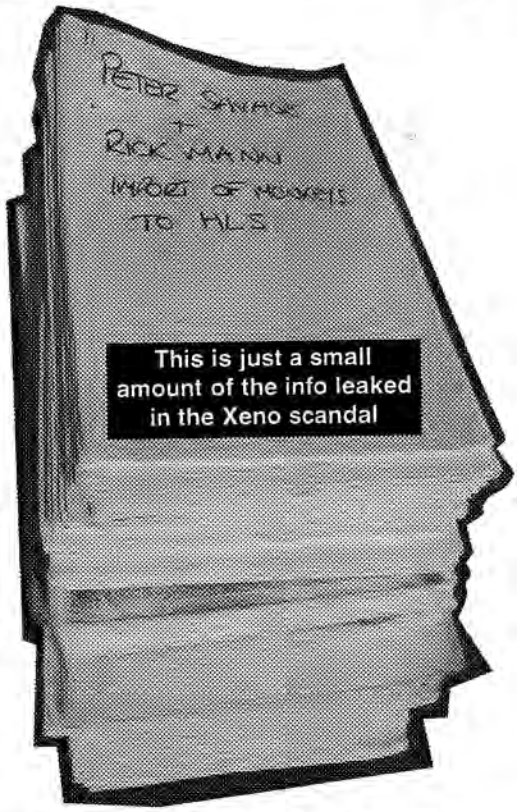
If you think working with animals would be too distressing, remember all the damaging info that has come to us from office workers and secretaries working for companies associated with HLS.

The Imutran expose was a classic example of this. Incredibly, an activist who had campaigned against HLS for several years and stood at their gates on many occasions got a job in Imutran's offices and was able to photocopy and pass on to SHAC the biggest ever leak of documents from any laboratory worldwide. She never set eyes on the animals yet still caused an incredible amount of damage to be done not only to HLS and Novartis who sponsored the research, but also to the industry as a whole.

DO IT RIGHT

Always remember that it is best to contact SHAC by secure means to discuss undercover work. Call us for help on how to set up PGP on your computer, or contact us for details of someone that you can speak to if this sort of work interests you and you think you can carry it off.

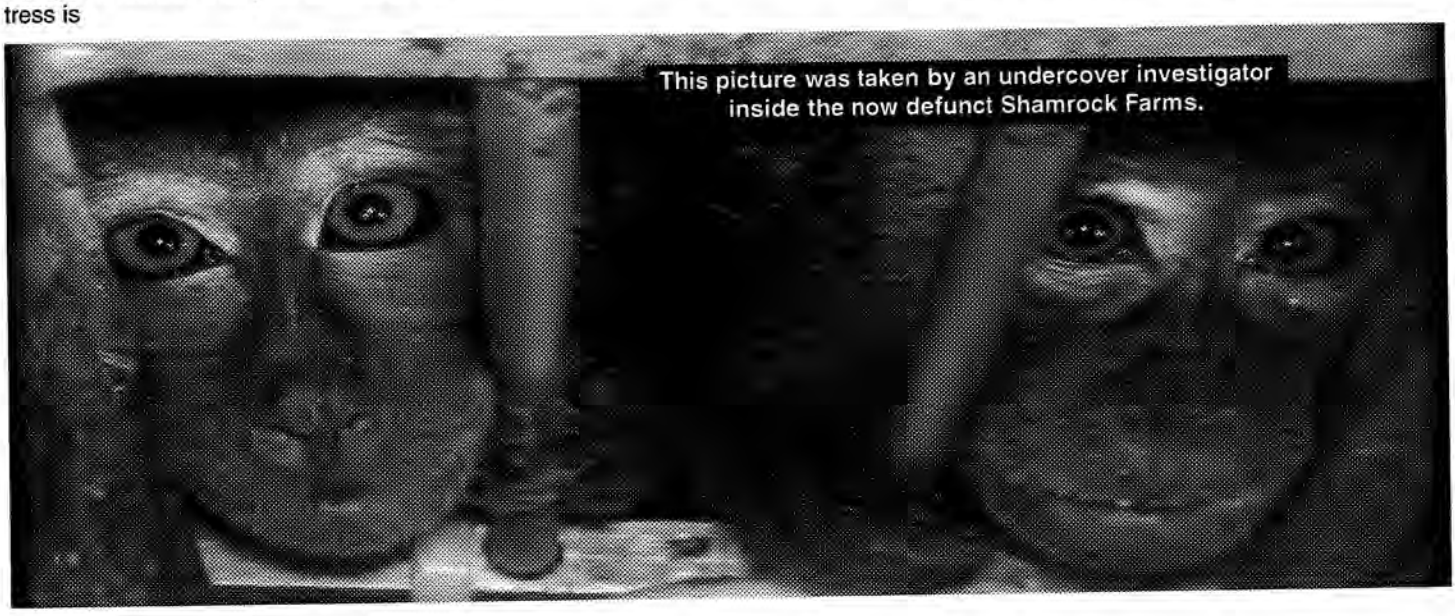
Try applying for jobs at customers near you – our customer booklet is enclosed that lists them all and where they are in the UK. If you apply to a local company and you have a local history of schools and jobs, they will never think in a million years that you are intent on undercover work.



This is just a small amount of the info leaked in the Xeno scandal

Remember no-one who has ever worked undercover in labs or companies involved or connected to the industry has ever been arrested or prosecuted for what they did. The last thing these companies need is more publicity after all.

If you really want to damage HLS and expose their sick industry, then think long and hard about working undercover.


This picture was taken by an undercover investigator inside the now defunct Shamrock Farms.

WORLD DAY 2003

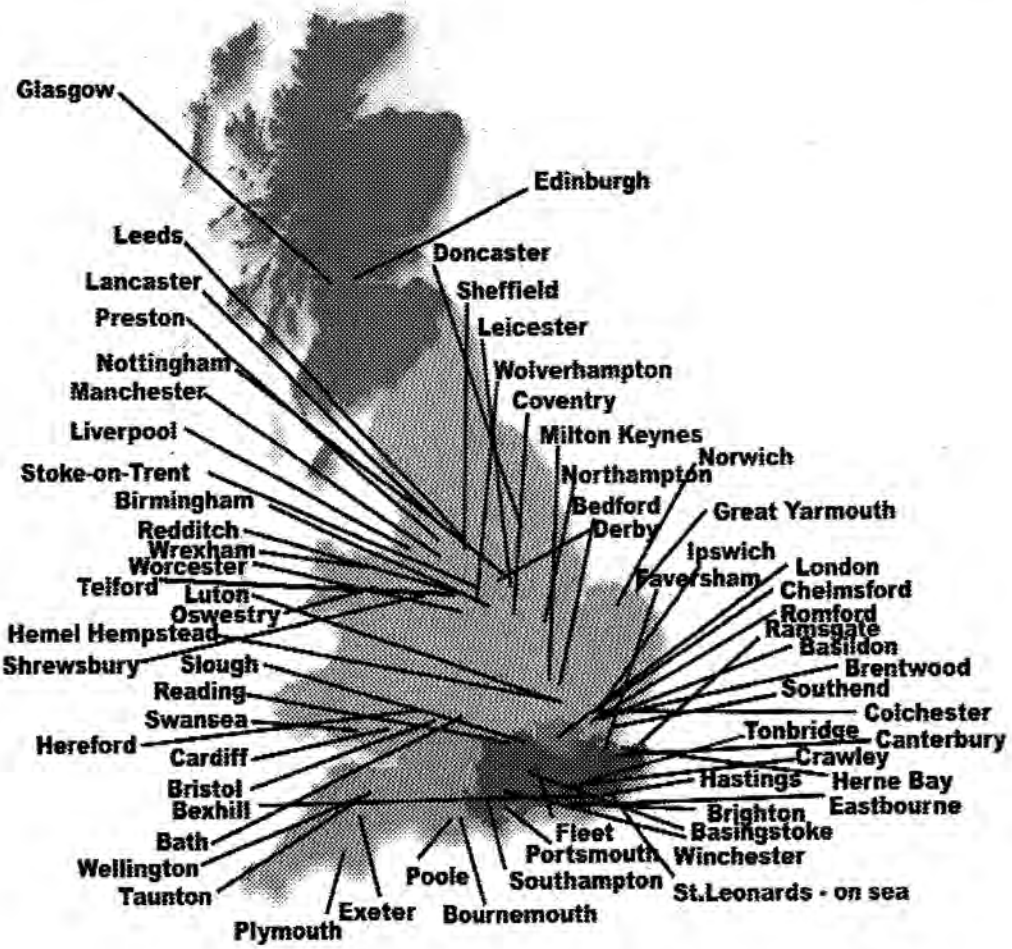
World day 2003 is going to be massive. There has been a lot of interest so far and many coaches are full already and we are having to book more to accommodate people. So far around 50 towns in the UK are covered for transport so there are no excuses. We have a coach from Scotland and one as far south as Devon and loads in between. Please book as soon as you can. It is so simple all you have to do is phone us here at SHAC, let us know which coach you want, send us in your name, address, phone number and a cheque or postal order for £8 (waged) or £5 (unwaged) – some coaches cost more but the majority cost that much. Once you have paid your seat is guaranteed. The reason we need the money upfront is because we have to pay for the coaches a few weeks in advance and if we know who is definitely coming in plenty of time we can book more coaches if we need to. It is a massive task to organise the whole day and the transport so please help us out by booking your seat as soon as possible. You really don't want to miss this day. We have some truly inspirational speakers for you, loads of gorgeous vegan food, stalls from all the best animal rights groups in the country. More than that though World Day is going to be a show of strength against HLS and the rest of the vivisection industry. Remember you will be in one of the worst cities in the world for animal torture. You will be marching within metres of animals living through the nightmare of vivisection. This demonstration will be very noisy so please don't bring dogs. Arrange a dog sitter or stay at home with your friend. Please bring banners, whistles, air horns and anything else you can make some noise with. There will be a lot of animal rights merchandise on sale so start saving now and spend it on World Day knowing that your money is going to a good cause. We are really looking forward to seeing you on April 19th. Please be there for the animals. You are all they have. This is your chance to stand up and speak out on their behalf. Don't let them down.

Don't let this dog's death have been in vain. Be there for her. An extract from Michele Rokke's diary (she worked undercover at HLS):

"Number 7736f was salivating excessively when I went in to clean. She was hiding her head under the food dish, her skin was red, there was blood on her cage and she was rolling and acting wild. There was a pool of saliva on the floor below her cage. All of group 7 were salivating but not as excessively as she." These people are monsters. Don't let them get away with it.

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RIP Ollie, who helped on SHAC stalls in London and did many actions against HLS, including the Shell lock-on. Our love and sympathy to his family.





HOW TO SEND A DEMO REPORT

DEMO REPORTS

Demo reports are vital to the campaign – they inspire other people, they make customers and other targets aware of what is going on, and they let us know what actions are being taken so we can publicise them.

To send in your demo reports, email them through, preferably by pgp which is an encryption programme you install on your computer. The disk is on the merchandise list so send off for it – or you can download it from www.pgpi.org. On our website www.shac.net you will see a new button on the front page, click on it and it will show you step by step how to install and use pgp with screen snapshots showing you what happens at every stage so you can follow it on screen. If you have any problems, contact the expert on pgphelp@yahoo.co.uk.
The programme will scramble your report so no-one can read it except us.

You could also set up a hotmail account at a local library or internet café and then just send your report through. You just go to www.hotmail.com and follow the simple steps to set it up. If you choose the 2mb option it is more than adequate and more to the point it is free. You can use a different account every time if you wish and you don't have to use your real details.

Another way of sending in a demo report is to just type it up and stick it in the post. If you can send photos too, they are great for the website and newsletter.

WHAT A RESPONSE

Thanks to you all for the wonderful response to our last mailout asking for everyone's opinion on making the newsletter black and white and using funds to impact on HLS instead. Overwhelmingly everyone agreed it was the way forward, so that's that sorted.



SHAC activists on Yamanouchi roof

ITEM AMOUNT of each needed	put here
ALF Poster A2	x
HLS Poster hard A2	
HLS Poster soft A2	
Brian Cass is Evil leaflet	
Healthcare professionals leaflet	
Puppy what we have achieved leaflet	
HLS kills humans leaflet	
Dr Greek scientific book £8	
NEW HLS leaflet - There are two new HLS leaflets one with a cat on the front and a monkey on the other-specify which	
PGP security CD & instructions	
Airhorns £7 each	
Action leaflet	
Megaphones £75 inc P&P	
Collecting tins	
Petitions - Free	
Cambs street maps £4	
Japanese customer stickers	
Japanese customer leaflets	

ITEM	AMOUNT
Hooded tops - size..... colour..... £15 each T - shirts £5 each - size..... colour..... Hooded top and t - shirt sizes are skinny fit, small, medium, large and x large.	
Colour is Black Booklet of all HLS's customer ~~sites in the UK, county by county~~	
Videos: Time for action 1 or 2, Countryside undercover, SHAC short & long	
World day A3 Poster - soft or gory	
World Day Flyer - soft or gory	
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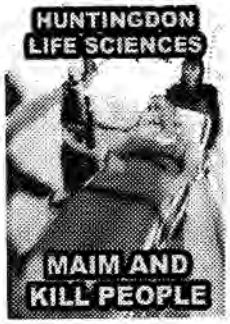
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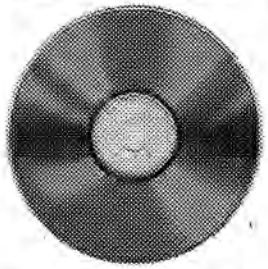
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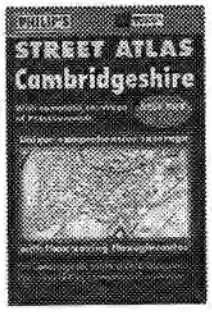
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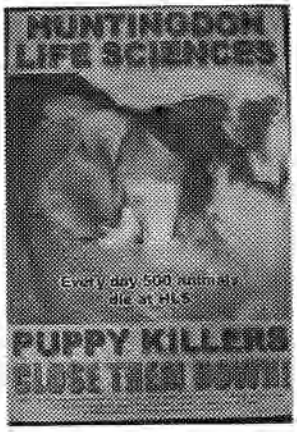
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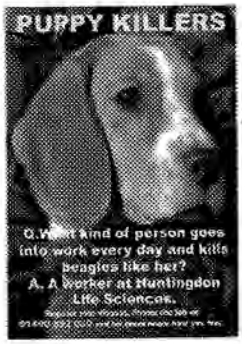
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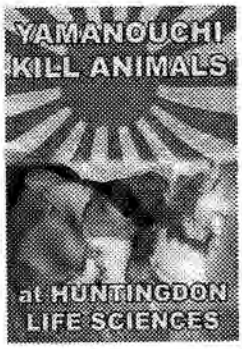
Cambridgeshire street map



HLS Poster a2



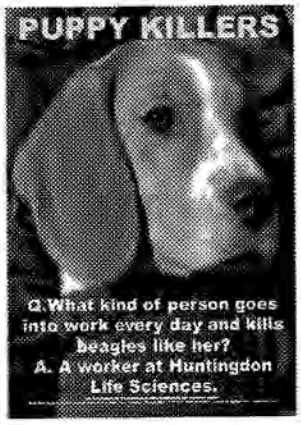
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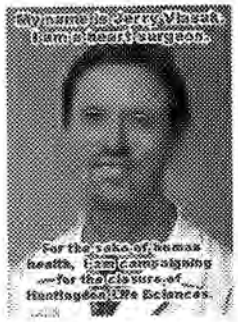


Action leaflet

Japanese customer leaflets and A2 poster. For Daiichi, Yamanouchi, CBC and Sumitomo



HLS Poster a2



Healthcare professionals leaflet



Japanese customer stickers - companies as above



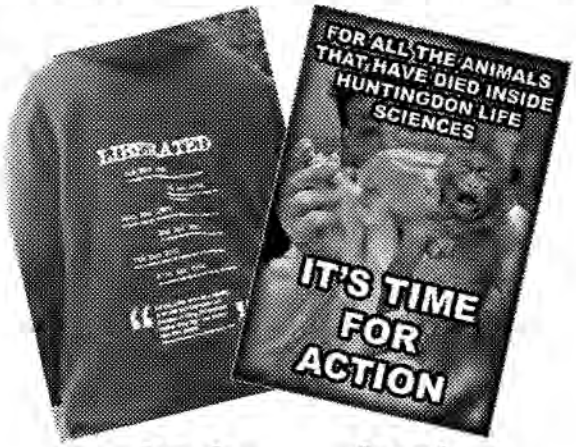
New HLS t shirt and hooded top



Brian Cass evil leaflet



World Day a3 posters and leaflets



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DIARY DATES

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN

APRIL

JAPANESE CUSTOMER WEEK OF ACTION SITE DEMOS & PHONE DAYS - SEE NEWSLETTER & WHO'S WHO FOR NUMBERS.

31	1	2	3	4	5	6

WEEK OF ACTION AGAINST HLS CUSTOMER BASF. SEE WHO'S WHO FOR ADDRESSES AND PHONE NUMBERS. YOUR GROUP DECIDE WHICH DAY(S).

7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	CPS Fuels demo -call for details 15	16	17	18	World day for lab animals. Meet 12 noon Cambs city centre 19	20
21	BOTOX demo (Botox was tested at HLS) Meet High Wycombe train station 11am 22	23	Japanese customer demo in London. Meet 10am outside Daiichi, 76 Shoe lane TUBE - Chancery Lane. 24	25	26	27

WEEK OF ACTION AGAINST CUSTOMERS OF HLS. AGAIN SEE WHO'S WHO FOR ADDRESSES & TEL NO's.

28	29	30	1	2	3	4

MAY

JAPANESE CUSTOMER WEEK OF ACTION SITE DEMOS & PHONE DAYS - SEE NEWSLETTER & WHO'S WHO FOR NUMBERS.

5	6	7	8	9	10	11

TIME FOR ACTION