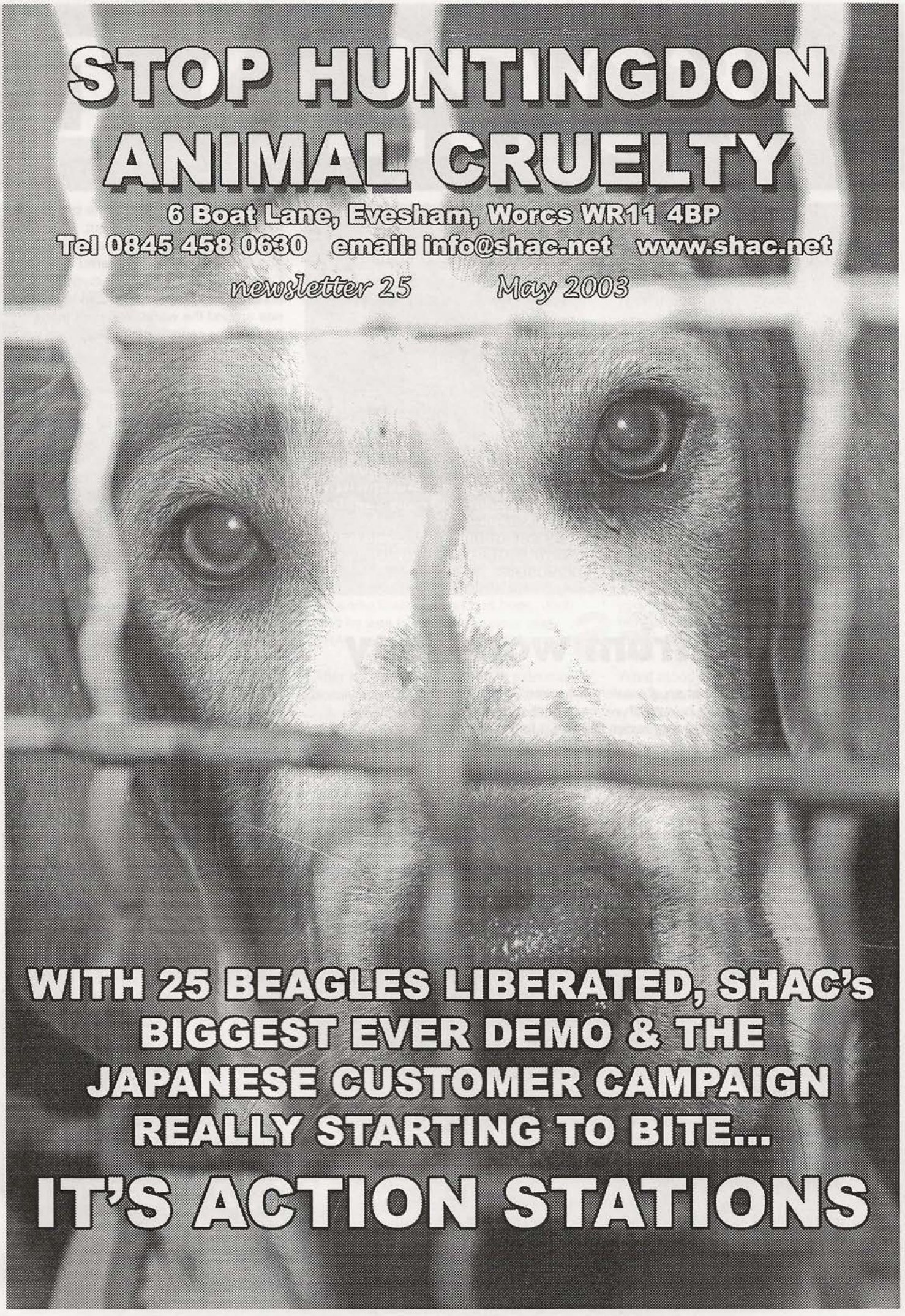
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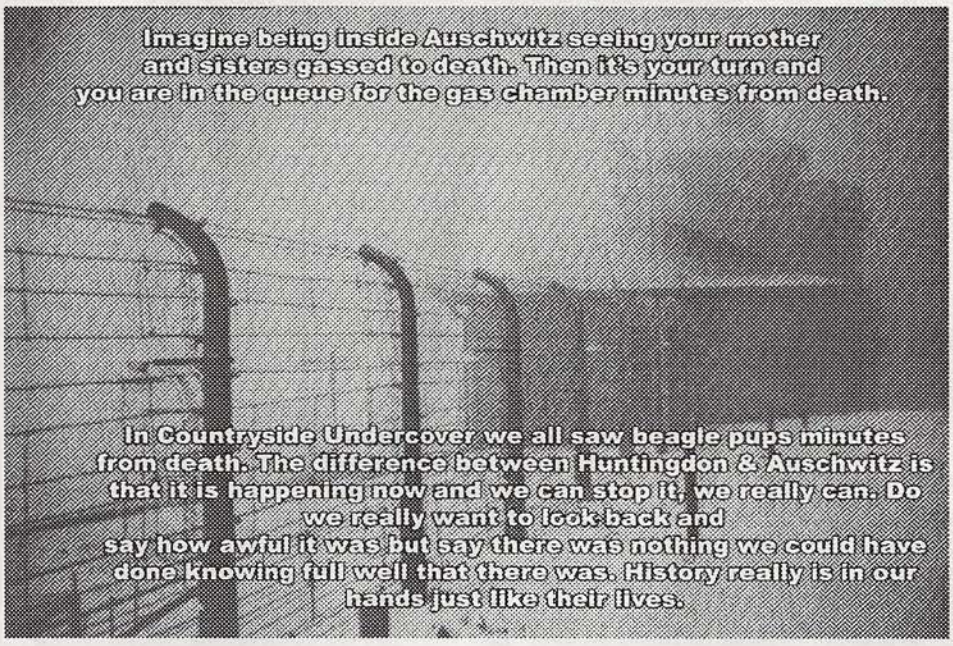
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WITH 25 BEAGLES LIBERATED, SHAC's BIGGEST EVER DEMO & THE JAPANESE CUSTOMER CAMPAIGN REALLY STARTING TO BITE...

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QUOTES from world day

"I wanted to say what an absolutely empowering day Saturday was. It made me see just how much we can achieve through a shared will to stop this disgusting murderous hellhole. I had never actually seen anything other than pictures before, and I have to say I felt sick throughout the exposed video, and had tears streaming out (this coming from a 20 year old bloke! I am not ashamed). The other video made me feel so powerful, and I wish to pledge my absolute willingness to do whatever is in my power to stop these bastards. I totally support everything that you are doing, and you can be damned sure that I'll be behind your every step".

"Firstly, I'm grateful for your advertisment in the Big Issue that gave me the opportunity to come and show my support. The atmosphere was electric, the whole experience such an eye opener, and I met some people there who have inspired me to finally become a vegan; I have been a vegetarian for seven years and I'm determined to take the next step. It was so amazing to see all those people marching and campaigning with the same views and goals."

"I have just attended my first SHAC demo as above. I was walking alongside an 82 year old man with a banner message saying respect and love all animals, a disabled man who somehow made the route completely on crutches, three earnest older ladies with SHAC banner London title; a Welsh contingent flying the Welsh dragon flag, two people flying aloft a yellow flag with a lion on on it; nose-studded students from Liverpool University, a family group up from the South of England - AND - suddenly I found myself in tears for the care being shown on the Cambridge streets for all the lab animals, everywhere.
I am so glad I took the bull by the horns and put my mouth where my heart is, at last. I will march again. I thought it was well organised, and got the message across.

Judith, 62 years old and fighting for a better world"

Firstly thank you to every one of you who turned out for this great event. It was you who made the day such a success. Over one thousand people gathered in Cambridge to register their disgust at the continued torture of animals in laboratories around the world. We were in the "vivisection capital" of the world and we made our presence felt.

A 60 foot by 30 foot marquee was set up on Parker's Piece and there were stalls giving information on animal experiments, vegan diet, the badger cull, hunting and the suffering of farm animals. All of the stalls did really well. Alistair from Viva! told me that there was a lot of interest from new people and many people will have been encouraged from yesterday to try a cruelty free diet.

The first of the protestors to arrive has to be said were the Scottish. They had left Glasgow at 1am and looked remarkably refreshed and had already been busy calling in for an impromptu demo on the way down!

At 12 noon the coaches started to roll up and drop people off. It was equally wonderful to see old faces and new people attending their first demonstration.

The first speaker of the day was Heather James from the SHAC campaign. She said " Thank you - this is such an amazing turn out! Let this be a warning to HLS and all of the other animal abusers that we are not going away and we are going from strength to strength. I have never known such a positive and determined atmosphere within the animal rights movement as there is right now. You all have such a fighting spirit and I feel you are with us all the way and there is no chance of you ever giving in."

Heather then went on to read extracts from Michele Rokke's diaries. She said she wanted to remind people exactly what kind of people we are up against. Michele worked undercover inside Huntingdon's laboratories for 8 months. This is just some of what she saw.....
"Henry and I cleaned part of 904 together, I saw him pick a dog up off the floor by his front leg and toss him in a cage. Henry took one beagle out of the exercise cage and another one tried to get out. He repeatedly slammed the cage door on the dog's head before finally getting the door

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closed." Heather went on to tell the crowd how HLS staff joked how great it would be if they could break all four of each of the beagle's legs to make them easier to handle.

She said there are three distinct groups of people as far as the animals are concerned. Those who cause them pain and kill them, those who sit back and do nothing to help them and the third group which is us. "I know which group I am proud to be a part of!" she said.

She finished off by saying: "There is nothing that can be done to stop us. Nothing. We will not be distracted from our aims by anyone or anything. We will never turn our backs on those animals and we always win!"

Then next up to speak was Josh Harper who gave a superbly entertaining and enthusiastic speech. Josh campaigns tirelessly with the courageous and highly effective SHAC USA campaign. In his fight against animal abuse in the USA he has been shot in the face with a rubber bullet, jailed several times and beaten up by the police. During the Stephens campaign the Sheriff of Little Rock, Arkansas threatened to "run him out of town" (obviously been watching too many John Wayne movies). Nothing deters him though and he always remembers how the animals' suffering is far worse than his ever has been. Josh said he was honoured to speak and SHAC had been a huge inspiration to him.

After his speech we marched extremely noisily around Cambridge city centre. The noise was constant with drums, whistles, air horns and voices echoing around the streets of Cambridge and the crowd stretched back as far as the eye could see.

There was a minute's silence outside Downing Street labs. Bev gave a rousing speech and after the silence the roar of the crowd sent shivers down your spine it was so powerful. We were only metres away from the animals suffering inside but the whole area was heavily guarded by rows of police.

Then it was back to Parker's Piece for speeches from Lynn Sawyer and Mel Broughton. Lynn is a very brave member of the SHAC campaign who has overcome terrible injuries and continues to campaign seven days a week against animal torture in the labs. Then Mel spoke about his memories of his good friend Barry Horne who died on hunger strike and will never be forgotten.
Videos were shown on a big screen throughout the event with lots of animal liberation footage. Seeing the beagles liberated from Interfauna running around and playing and then curled up in a mass of furry bodies happily and contentedly snoozing away really brought a lump to your throat and reminded us all what heroes these people are who rescue them.

What stood out for me was the number of new faces we saw at World Day especially the teenagers. It proves that we are alive and moving forward as a movement and the future looks very bright for activism in the future. Especially when two young girls come up to me at the end of the day with the look of utmost determination and deadly seriousness on their faces and tell me they want to do more than just march for the animals. They want to get really active.



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DEMOS AGAINST JAPANESE CUSTOMERS

This article appeared in the Times newspaper on the 25th of April:

"Stop Huntingdon Animal Cruelty, which aims to force the closure of Huntingdon Life Sciences, a drug-testing company that uses animals in its experiments, has sent a message to its supporters urging them to "really put the pressure on".

A page on the group's website says: "Japanese Companies Kill Animals at HLS." It adds: "Japanese companies are the main focus of the campaign now — their culture is such that any actions taken against them have far more impact."

Tony Blair has ordered a security review after several attacks on Japanese staff over the Easter weekend and a personal plea to him for more protection for employees. Japanese companies provide 20 per cent of the business for HLS.

Diplomats at the Japanese Embassy raised their concerns with the Government after attacks on two directors of Daiichi Pharmaceuticals, one of 13 companies chosen as targets by the protest group. One director had his windows smashed and car damaged at his home in Sevenoaks, Kent, on Good Friday. Another, Ken Matsuo, was visited by noisy protesters with klaxons and megaphones at his home in London in the early hours of Easter Monday.

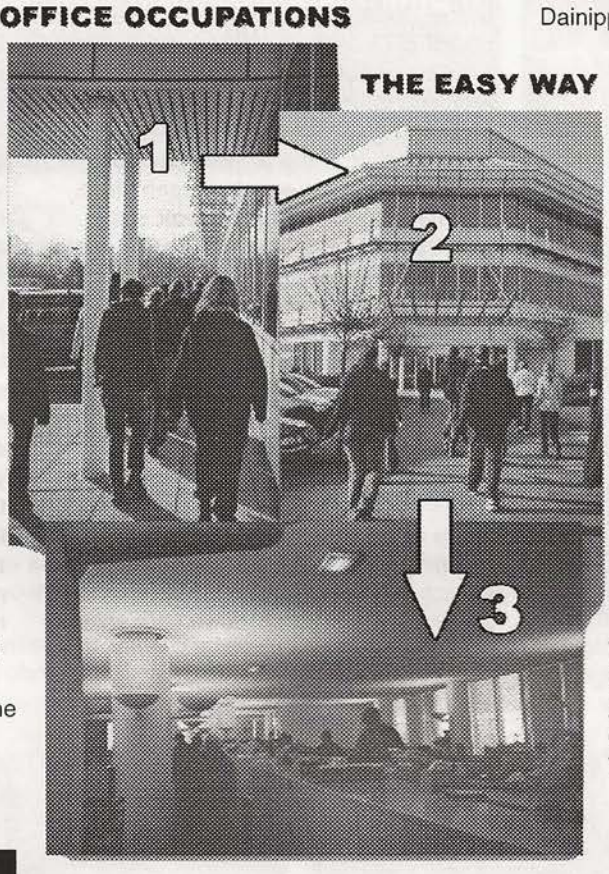
Mr Matsuo, who declined to discuss the incident yesterday, was called a "puppy murderer" by the protesters. Neighbours who appeared on balconies during the fracas were warned to expect further late-night disturbances.

Mr Blair has asked Lord Sainsbury of Turville, the Science Minister, and the Metropolitan Police to meet company representatives to try to tighten security. It is understood that the Prime Minister was extremely concerned to receive a letter demanding action from the Tokyo-based Japanese Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association. Kazutaka Ichikawa, the director-general, told Mr Blair that Japanese companies enjoyed working in Britain but wanted enhanced security.

The companies concerned are Daiichi Pharmaceuticals, CBC, Yamanouchi, the Sumitomo Corporation, Shin-Etsu, Dainippon, Sankyo Pharma, Otsuka Chemicals, Asahi Kasei, Asahi Glass, Eisai, Kao Corporation and Kureha.

Natasha Avery, of Stop Huntingdon Amimal Cruelty, said: "We know that Japanese companies are very concerned and will continue to focus on them until they remove support from HLS."

IF YOU LIVE IN OR NEAR LONDON AND WANT TO COME ON THE DEMOS AGAINST JAPANESE CUSTOMERS, DON'T BE SHY – GIVE US A RING. EVERYONE IS WELCOME – COME AND SPEAK OUT FOR THE ANIMALS AND HELP PUT PRESSURE ON COMPANIES WHO ARE QUITE HAPPY TO DEAL WITH HLS DESPITE THEIR DISGUSTING HISTORY OF ANIMAL ABUSE. CALL SHAC ON 0845 458 0630 AND GET ACTIVE AGAINST THE ANIMAL KILLERS.



SHAC ITALIA

In the middle of World Week some of HLS customers felt the pressure of Shac also in Italy.

On Thursday the 17th both Sumitomo and CBC in Milano have been targeted with demos.

In Milano 25 activists gathered in front of the Sumitomo Corporation offices in the morning, and distributed hundreds of leaflets about HLS both to the public and to Sumitomo workers. The activists also spent part of their time ringing Sumitomo bell continuously in order to talk with them. One of the office directors finally went out and explained to the protesters that he knows SHAC very well and also our tactics.

He said he would investigate about Sumitomo's links to HLS and will send an e-mail to Shac-Italia, and if all we say is true next time he will be protesting with us against his company!

In the afternoon a handful of protesters visited also CBC-Europe building near Milano. Here they entered their courtyard and circled the building shouting, making noise and letting bangers greet the workers. No peace for the wicked!

Yours,

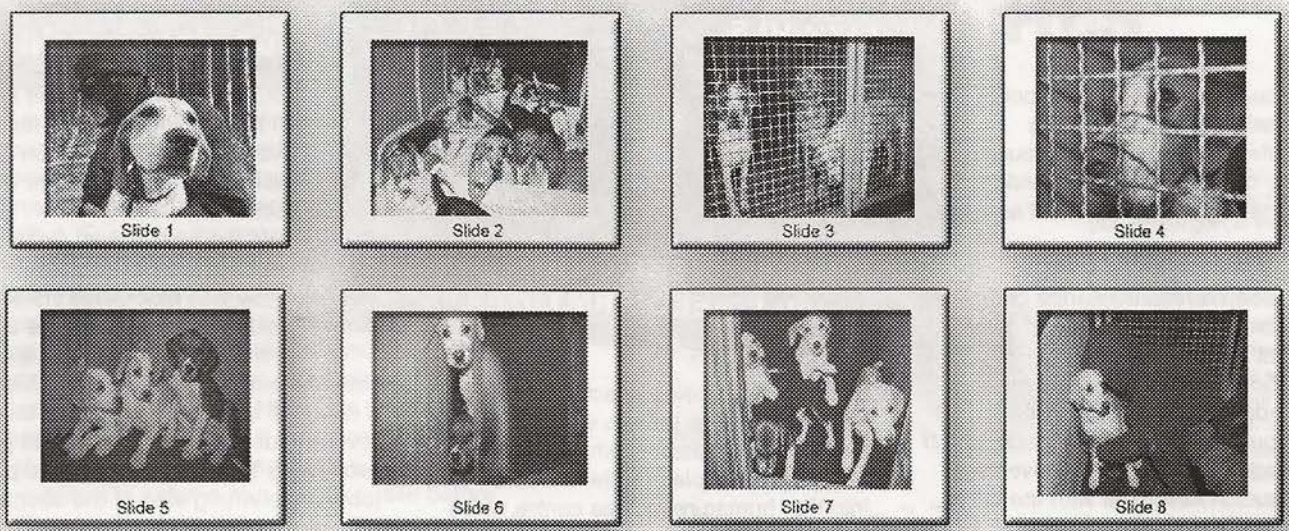
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If you have ever wondered what we are fighting for then look at these pictures from a recent raid where 25 dogs were liberated by the ALF from Harlan, an HLS supplier.

These beautiful creatures are what we are fighting to save all day every day. How can we ever begin to comprehend the mentality of people who can go to work and poison and kill dogs like these? They are monsters. Remember HLS are killing beautiful dogs like these every day.

SAVED FROM DEATH



EVERY DAY HLS KILL DOGS JUST LIKE THESE

LAB GOAT BREEDER RAIDED

The following action was reported in the Independent:

"In the early hours of Friday 15th March, activists did a raid on Water Farm Goat Centre, Stogursey, Bridgwater, Somerset which supplies many vivisection laboratories around the country such as the notorious Huntingdon Life Sciences.

Determined activists headed across fields to the farm full of goats and soon gained access to the barn containing them.

Everyone worked as a team and set to work carrying the heavy mothers out of the pen and led them to the edge of the field. Nearly all the baby goats were also rescued, some just a few weeks old. 43 goats were rescued in all. Drivers were contacted and vehicles soon arrived and drove the animals to safety.

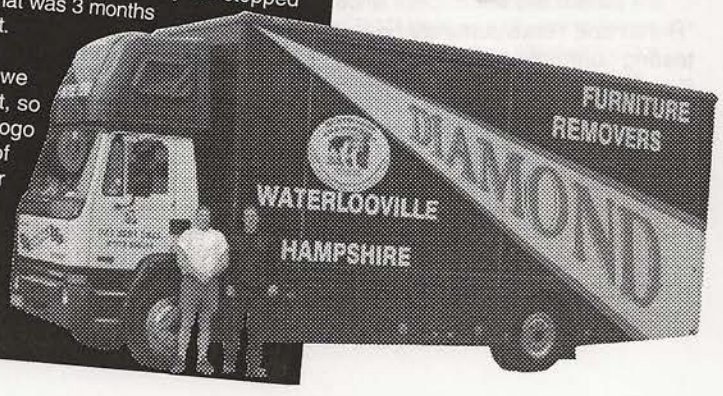
Until all are free,
ALF"

HLS LOSE ANOTHER WASTE DISPOSAL COMPANY

The following was sent in by some new supporters. This is what the movement is all about, people like Dave and Caz from Diamond Removals who have found about animal abuse and are doing all they can to stop it.w

"We love animals. We were living in ignorance about animal testing and cruelty to animals. We were meat eaters because we thought like many others you had to eat it to keep well - what crap. We have since bought videos from Viva who also do a fantastic job for the animals. After watching a couple of videos and reading a couple of mags, we were waking up in tears. This info has changed our whole outlook and life and so it should. How outrageous, how can people get away with it? Why do they want to get away with it beats me! It's so disgusting what happens to defenceless animals behind closed doors. I can't begin to tell you how angry we feel, and stupid too! Needless to say we stopped eating meat immediately. That was 3 months ago and we feel good about it.

We heard about SHAC and we just wanted to do our little bit, so we had the "Puppy Killers" logo painted large on both sides of all of our removal vehicles for the public to see. We have told everyone we know and tell everyone we meet about HLS."
Dave n Caz



Yet another blow to HLS as they lose their paper waste disposal service from Hales. Hales were working for both sites but after a few phone calls decided to drop HLS like the proverbial hot potato – we are tracking down the company crazy enough to replace them so watch this space. HLS have lost many suppliers recently as local companies decide they don't weant to be associated with animal killers.

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SHIN-ETSU DEMO BY SHAC SCOTLAND

HLS keep claiming they're saving lives with 'necessary pharmaceuticals' but Shin-Etsu don't deal in pharma, they are a chemical company.

Shin-Etsu are responsible for poisoning animals with disgusting chemicals at HLS so cancer-causing products can go on the worldwide market having being marketed as 'safe'.



Having done a reconnaisance of the entire Shin-Etsu site, the recon crew arrived at the main site for a quick action. Some of the crew occupied the roundabout opposite the site and quickly put-up large banners facing each main road entrance which subvertised Shin-Etsu's involvement with the dirty trade of HLS.

We immediately set about putting leaflets all over the reception area and accessible offices (other offices had by now been blockaded), on desks, on cupboards, units, chairs, tables, inside a jacket (empty at the time), - some leaflets even found their way into a photocopier which started churning out copies for the workers - and into the human resources centre whilst another worker was on the internal phone trying to convince someone that 'yes, there are protesters in the building - NO, IT'S NOT A WIND-UP'.

Leaflets were gladly taken and accepted by workers - thanks to those who wanted to know the truth and were appalled about Shin-Etsu. Leaflets down stairwells, into rooms, up stairs and round more rooms. More leaflets, in the packaging plant, found their way into packages which were bound for many different destinations.

We did an eventual circle to the front of the building which by now was blockaded inside by blue-suited goons - one of them even smirked at us from the other side of the revolving door using his foot as a doorstop so we simply flipped the revolving door round (much to his panic), exclaiming 'fooled you' as he had put his foot on the wrong side of the door; quality personnel at Shin-Etsu? Not in that case.

Job done, we left the site and disappeared whilst the police turned up.

ROHM&HAAS AND ALLERGAN MAKE STATEMENTS

CUSTOMER STATEMENTS
Since the beginning of the year we have found customers ready to sever their links with HLS and our dialogue with them has been reasoned and fruitful, leading to clear, unequivocal statements which enable SHAC to remove them from lists of campaign targets.

In March we have received the following statement from Rohm and Haas, once a big HLS customer:

"Rohm and Haas currently has no active testing contracts with Huntingdon Life Sciences. They are reviewing research reports, and we expect to have these reports from them no later than June 1, 2003. We have decided that, going forward, we will no longer use the services of Huntingdon Life Sciences for any sort of testing, or for review of research conducted elsewhere."
This is a corporate statement for the company worldwide not just a UK position."

Rohm and Haas's details were removed from our website within an hour of receiving this statement. Their details will also be removed from the printed editions of the customer booklets.

We ask activists and animal rights groups worldwide to end their protests against this company with immediate effect. Rohm and Haas are no longer a target for the SHAC campaign.

In April we received the following statement from Allergan, who tested Botox at HLS and were proven to be a customer in recent leaked documents from HLS:

"Allergan is not currently using HLS for any work involving animal testing. Additionally, Allergan does not intend to engage HLS for any future assignments."
When we asked for further clarification,



they stated: "Allergan does not have any active studies ongoing at Huntingdon. The response in my letter applies to Allergan as well as all of its various affiliates worldwide."

Simple, clear and unequivocal. Just like our message to customers. If you deal with HLS, then face the consequences of that alliance. If you deal with a company that has been exposed repeatedly for animal cruelty in international media, do not be surprised if animal activists worldwide do all they can to persuade you not to.

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Editorial

make every second count

Every second of every day animals are suffering, frightened, confused, being poisoned and abused inside HLS. Every second of every day all the people involved in and responsible for their fear and suffering are getting away with it. To win for the animals we have got to fight for what we believe in every available moment we have and ideally all day every day. We have to equal the time these people spend on causing abuse and suffering by spending our time fighting against them. It is vital that everyone commits to spending as much time as you possibly can fighting to close HLS. Get up a bit earlier and send some emails to HLS customers making them aware of the horrific animal cruelty HLS have been caught out for. Do a demo at a customer site before work with some local activists. Go to your group meeting and make some demos happen. The sky is the limit on what you can do to close HLS – all you need is the commitment and resolve to spend your time as effectively as possible. There are thousands of you on the email action alert lists – if every single one of you sent just one email a day think of the effect. It is really quite staggering to think of the potential that is achievable with renewed resolve and determination from everyone to make every free second a second that is dedicated to closing HLS.

We are making real headway with the Japanese customers as you can see from their complaints to the government. Please make every second count in the campaign against the Japanese customers and pour your energies into making these companies realise that any association with HLS is extremely bad for business. Who wants to be associated with a law-breaking, animal-abusing, financially struggling company who are only able to stay open because of disgraceful, immoral support from the government?

CPS FUELS

CALL 'EM FREE

CPS Fuels supply all the fuel to HLS labs in Suffolk and Cambridgeshire, and despite being informed about HLS's record of animal cruelty they don't give a damn and are still supplying them.

Please contact CPS Fuels and ask them to sever their links with HLS:

CPS Fuels, The Old Sale Yard, Forncett St Peter, Norwich NR16 1JP
Email: gas@cpsfuels.co.uk
Tel: 0800 07 22 771- it is free

Speak out for the animals. They have no-one but you to fight for their freedom.

USING technology to help close HLS

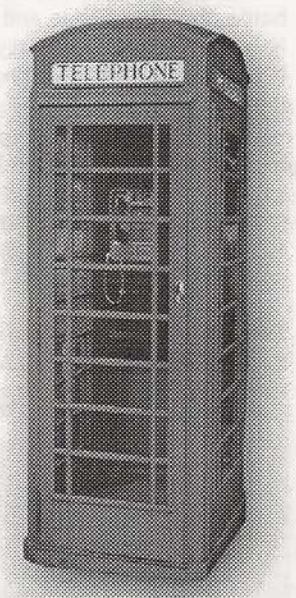
email action alerts



There are weekly email action alerts you can subscribe to with the contact details of the companies you most need to contact. The email action alerts play a vital part in informing HLS's customers of all their illegal activities, and the beauty of emails is that they are simple, effective and you can send them from anywhere in the world, so please subscribe today and play your part in closing down HLS. You can subscribe to the email action alerts at http://lists.riseup.net/www/info/shac-uk

Phone calls

This is old technology but highly effective. There have been countless occasions that those involved with Huntingdon have cited one of the main reasons for them severing their links was the calls they received from people outraged about Huntingdon and their company's links with the beagle beaters of HLS. This is quick, simple, cheap and highly effective form of direct action.



PGP (pretty good privacy)



PGP is a programme that scrambles your emails so no one except those you wish can read them. You can also encrypt desktop files and securely wipe data so that it can never be recovered. Whilst our personal freedom and civil liberties are being eroded PGP gives us a chance to keep some privacy and can be a very effective tool for activists. PGP is used by MI6 and has to date proved to be uncrackable. It is also free. You can order PGP on cd from the SHAC campaign (stating what operating system you are on ie Windows 98 etc) or can be downloaded free from www.pgpi.org. There are step by step instructions how to use and install PGP on www.shac.net

THE XENO

For the first time the full story behind the biggest leak of documents ever to come fro at the highest level to cover up a scandal of truly massive proportions....This is what

Over two years ago an animal rights activist obtained a job at Imutran, a subsidiary of Novartis, and handed over to SHAC the largest leak of documents ever to come out of a British laboratory, totalling many thousands of pages.

Over 5 years Novartis carried out pig to primate heart transplants inside Huntingdon Life Sciences and the documents that were obtained revealed horrific levels of animal cruelty as well as gross staff incompetence at HLS.

The documents were handed over to Dan Lyons from Uncaged, an excellent anti-vivisection group, who prepared a report on the huge amount of evidence regarding these experiments.

Novartis obtained a High Court injunction banning Uncaged and any other group from distributing the material.

It is only now, after a two and a half year battle, that Dan Lyons and Uncaged have finally won a monumental victory against Novartis and had the injunction overturned.

For the first time it can be fully revealed what a massive scandal the xeno programme was, covering government collusion, gross staff incompetence and animal cruelty inside Huntingdon Life Sciences.

The story broke about the injunction being lifted in The Observer on April the 20th. Here is an edited version of the article :



Exposed: secrets of the animal organ lab

Amid the rolling fields of Cambridgeshire stands a sprawling complex, protected by barbed wire and an army of security guards. This is Europe's largest animal research centre, the mysterious Government-sanctioned Huntingdon Life Sciences (HLS) laboratory. Exact details of the experiments on animals have remained fiercely guarded secrets. Until now.



Today The Observer can expose the previously hidden world of vivisection. A huge volume of confidential documents - the largest-ever set of data concerning animal experiments in the UK - has finally been released following the defeat earlier this month of an injunction imposed by drug companies 30 months ago.
The quest for a successful programme of xenotransplantation - in which genetically modified animal organs are used within humans - remains the scientific equivalent of the holy grail. The rewards for success will be huge: analysts predict that a market worth £6 billion a year awaits the first firm which can prevent the rejection of such organs when used in humans.

Little wonder that scientists, giant drug companies and Government Ministers have been committed to pouring millions of pounds into the HLS programme. So has it been worth it?
To the dismay of animal rights activists, the documents reveal how primates were used in the search for a solution to the chronic global shortage of human organs for transplant. Baboons were transported from the African savannahs to die in steel cages the size of toilet cubicles. The documents show that a quarter of the primates died from 'technical failures'.

Researchers describe how monkeys and baboons died in fits of vomiting and diarrhoea. Symptoms included violent spasms, bloody discharges, grinding teeth and uncontrollable, manic eye movements. Other animals retreated within themselves, lying still in their cages until put of their misery.

Baboon W201m died of a stroke after two days of suffering from limb spasms and paralysis. Baboon W205m was 'sacrificed' after 21 days. A genetically modified pig's heart had been welded to the vital arteries within its neck. Researchers noted the heart was swelling way beyond its natural size. Strange yellow fluid was seen seeping from the organ.
Others never even made it to HLS, suffering painful deaths en route. Faxes from global wildlife dealers reveal how at least 50 baboons were taken from the African plains for the experiments. In one shipment the creatures spent 34 hours in cramped transport crates - 10 hours longer than approved by the Home Office, which chose not to take any action.
In another shipment, three monkeys were found dead with blood oozing from their nostrils at a Paris airport. The animals had not been able to turn and lie down naturally.

The Government's involvement in the xenotransplantation programme - the most high-profile animal experimentation ever conducted in Britain - is made clear in the documents, along with its failure to adequately regulate a project that the Home Office believed would deliver major benefits to society.

Many of the 1,274 pages of documents reveal a litany of failings that will serve to ignite further controversy over HLS. Funda-mental questions over the value of vivisection itself will also be asked.

The papers reveal attempts to bury the true extent of animal suffering from experiments conducted at the HLS laboratories between 1994 and 2000. Serious incidents of unlicensed animals suffering

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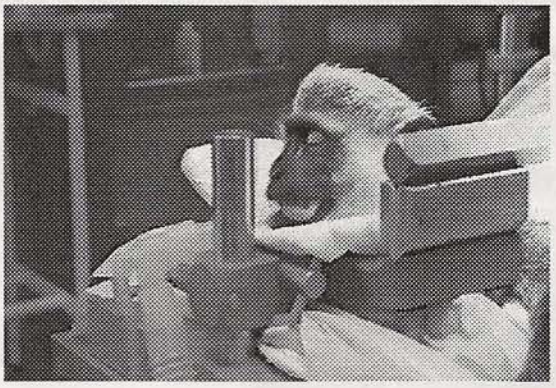
m inside a british laboratory detailing extreme suffering, negligence and government HLS, Novartis and the government never wanted anyone to see.

were not adequately investigated and regulations were not enforced properly.

Breaches of the law even went unpunished in some cases, with the Home Office limiting itself to letters of 'admonishment'. One previously confidential paper reveals how the Home Office worked with Imutran - the former British subsidiary of multi-million pound drug giant Novartis, which was in control of the programme - to underestimate the suffering caused by the most severe experiments. An Imutran report states: 'The Home Office will attempt to get the kidney transplants classified as "moderate", ensuring that it is easier for Imutran to receive a licence and ignoring the "severe" nature of these programmes.'

The truth of what has been happening at HLS can now be revealed because of a historic legal victory. The verdict represents an extraordinary triumph for a Sheffield-based animal rights group, Uncaged Campaigns, which defeated the injunction imposed by Imutran and Novartis to suppress the release of the documents. The group successfully argued that the issue was one of overwhelming public interest on a highly sensitive area of policy.

Dan Lyons has spent the past two-and-a-half years battling against some of Britain's most powerful lawyers.



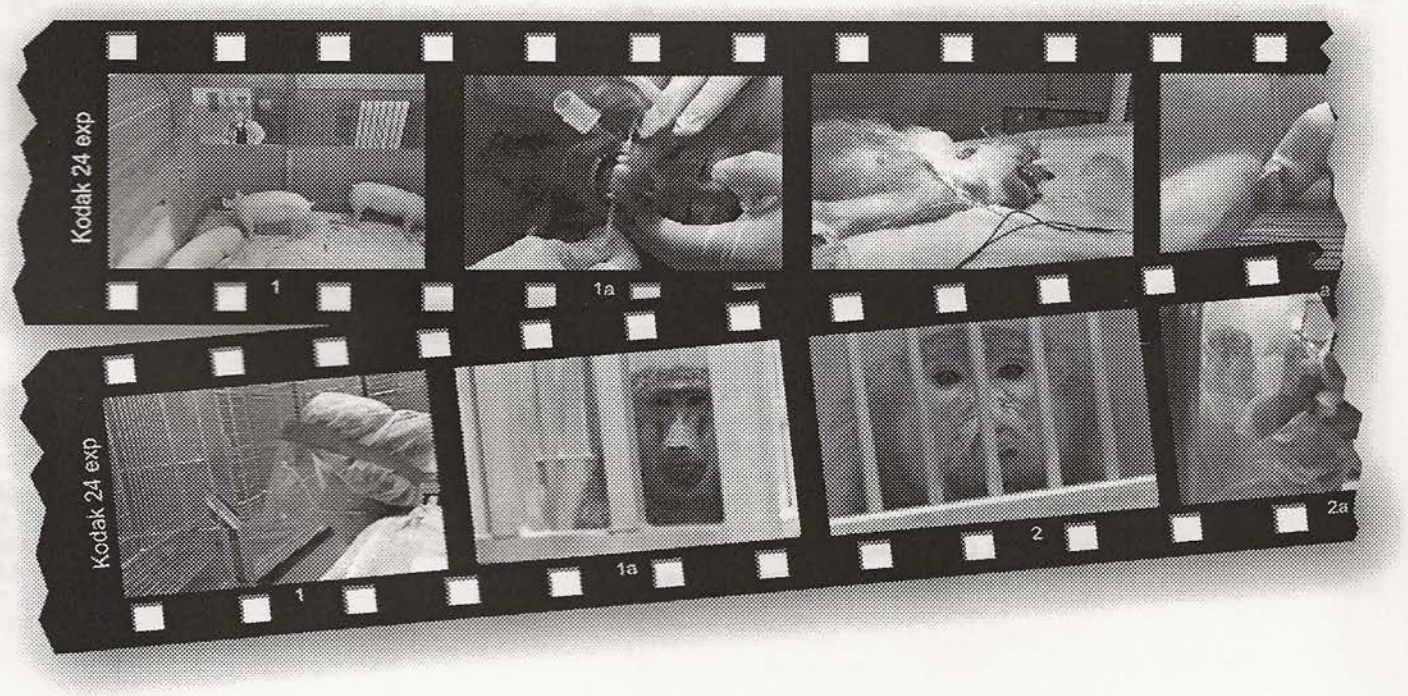
Lyons said: 'This is a tragic scandal of historic proportions. Ultimately, the appalling failure of government in its most fundamental duty - to enforce the law - is unmasked. By trying to cover up their failings, the Government has gambled that their shameful behaviour would remain hidden. They have lost.'

Imutran finally left the HLS site in 2000 - and then won an injunction to prevent details of the failed xenotransplantation project coming to light.
An internal inquiry recorded that Imutran and the Home Office admitted that the crates breached size and ventilation regulations. Elsewhere, government officials reassured Imutran on several occasions that a crucial meeting to discuss new licence applications would be a 'rubber-stamping' exercise.

Other striking findings reveal that the Government approved Imutran's xenotransplanation experiments with the intention of using sick babies as the first trial patients for animal heart transplants. Some of the research was personally authorised by Ministers, who have rejected calls for an independent judicial inquiry.

In total, the documents reveal at least 520 errors and omissions in the Imutran research. These include organ weights not being recorded, a quadruple overdose, conflicting pathology reports and re-use of animals. One primate was killed when a swab was left inside it. Rather than admit defeat, however, Imutran - now defunct - made a number of inaccurate claims regarding the success of experiments, effectively exaggerating the results of its tests to increase the likelihood of new licences being granted.

ACTION
We have xeno factsheets available that detail the unbelievable levels of staff incompetence and animal cruelty at HLS during these experiments. Please order them and use them when you are putting pressure on HLS customers to show them how incompetent HLS are and what their record of animal abuse is.



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SHOULD BE

The animals trapped inside HLS have no voice but yours. Speak out in their defence. Contact these compani

ASAHI GLASS

Asahi Glass have funded a horrific set of experiments at HLS where beagle dogs and rats were exposed to HFC's. The dogs were restrained in slings and forced to inhale them through face masks. One dog died immediately and others showed struggling and tensing of the limbs. The rats' reactions were noted as 'unsteady gait and prone posture'.

There is a campaign starting up against Asahi Glass in Lancashire and Northampton asking them to sever their links with HLS.

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email: info@fluon.co.uk

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Northampton, NN3 4RG
Tel: 01604 67 11 50 Fax: 01604 67 11 40

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SHAC WILL FIND YOU A
TARGET YOU.

SHIN-ETSU

Shin-Etsu are a japanese chemical company that we can prove h
paid HLS to kill animals on their behalf. SHAC Scotland have a ca
paign going against Shin-Etsu so please get involved and get in to
with them at shacscotland@hotmail.com.

Please contact Shin-Etsu and ask them to sever thei
links with HLS:
SHIN-ETSU HANDOTAI EUROPE LTD.
Wilson Road, Toll Roundabout, Eliburn, Livingston, We
Lothian, Scotland EH54 7DA
Tel: 01506 41 55 55 Fax: 01506 41 71 71
Email: websales1@sehe.com

SANKYO

Sankyo have a long history of involvement with HLS. They are listed as a customer in Sarah Kite's undercover diaries at HLS in 1989 and we can prove that they were a customer right up to the end of 2001.

Please contact Sankyo and ask them to stop supporting HLS:
SANKYO PHARMA UK LTD
Sankyo House, Repton Place, White Lion Road, Amersham,
Bucks HP7 9LP
Tel: 01494 766 866 Fax: 01494 766 567
Email: mdinfo@sankyo.co.uk

YAMANOU

Yamanouchi have a long history of killing an
When Michele Rokke worked undercover at HLS in 1
Yamanouchi were a customer. They were due to carry
iment on 37 beagles where their legs were due to be
Michele described these dogs as ill and extremely

An HLS worker joked about the dogs, saying "they sh
legs so they'll be easier to work with." He joked about
move them from cage to cage if all their legs

SHAC also has documentary proof of Yamanouchi de

Yamanouchi Pharma Ltd, Yamanouc
Pyrford Road, West Byfleet, Surrey
Tel:01932 342 291 Fax:01932 353 458 ALS
381 Fax 01784 410 306

ASAHI KASEI

Asahi Kasei are a definite HLS customer exposed in the recent leak of documents. They have 2 subsidiaries in the UK that we can make aware of HLS's record of animal cruelty and ask to contact head office to stop using HLS.

ASAHI PHOTOPRODUCTS
1 Prospect Way, Hutton Indsutrial Estate, Wash Road,
Shenfield, Essex CM13 1XA
Email: admin@asahi.fsbusiness.co.uk Tel: 01277 232 877
Mobile: 077 99 88 55 01
ASAHI THERMOFIL UK LTD New Lane, Havant, PO9 2NQ
Tel: 023 9248 6350 Email: sales@thermofil.co.uk

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dealing with HLS in 2001.

ichi House,
/ KT14 6RA
.SO Tel 01784 410

DAIICHI

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 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.

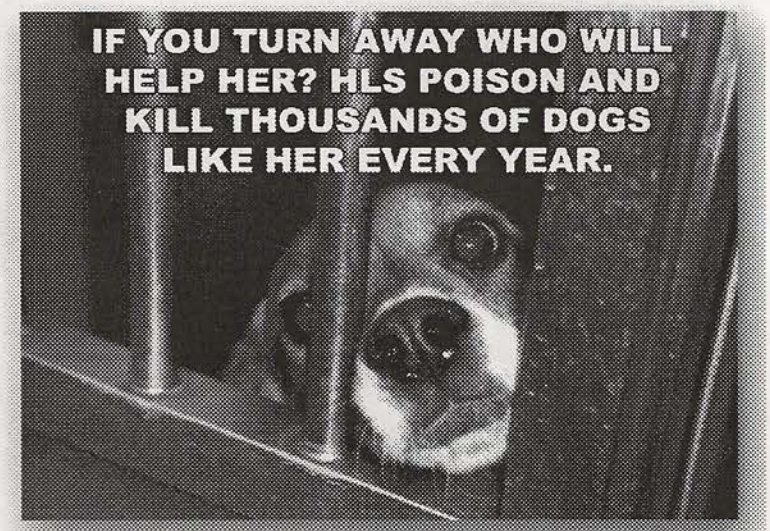
In 1997 Daiichi were identified as being a HLS customer by Michele Rokke who worked undercover at HLS. SHAC have documented proof that Daiichi contracted work to HLS in 2000, 2001 and 2002.
Daiichi are a big customer of HLS and a very important company to contact.

DAIICHI PHARMACEUTICALS
International Press Centre, 76 Shoe Lane, London EC4A 3JB Tel 0207 936 2850 Fax 0207 583 6035
info@daiichi.com

Daiichi,have got a UK distribution point called R. W. Unwin which is also the one for Shin-Etsu and some other HLS customers.

Please contact them and make them aware of the terrible cruelty uncovered at HLS and explain to them that they are distributing for companies that are more than happy to deal with them.

R.W. UNWIN & CO.LTD.,Prospect Place, Welwyn Herts AL6 9EW
Tel: 01438 71 64 41 Fax: 01438 71 60 67
Email: sales@rwunwin.com



KUREHA

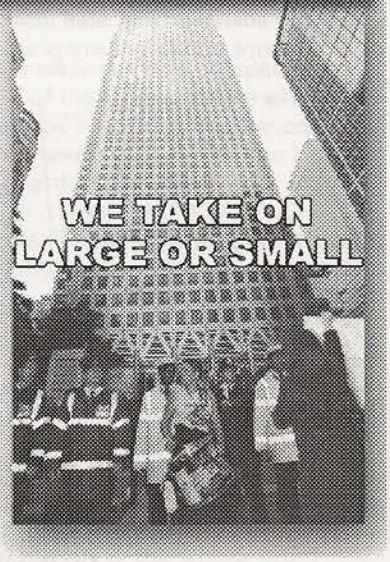
Kureha are another Japanese company that have used HLS to kill animals for them. Their subsidiary Krehalon is the target of a new northern campaign asking them to put pressure on their parent company to sever their links with HLS. Contact us if you want to get involved in this campaign, and contact Krehalon to ask them to sever their links with HLS.

Krehalon UK LTD
Tokenspire Business Park, Hull road, Woodmansey, Beverley, East Yorkshire HU17 0TB
Tel: 01482 865 277 Fax 01482 865 280
Email: steve@krehalonuk.co.uk

CBC & SUMITOMO

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.
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.

CBC (EUROPE) LTD 7/8 Garrick Industrial centre, Irving Way, London NW9 6AQ
Tel: 0208 732 3333 Tel: 0208 732 3336 Fax: 0208 202 3387
SUMITOMO
Vintners' Place 68 Upper Thames Street London EC4V 3BJ
Tel:0207 246 3600 Fax:0207 246 3925

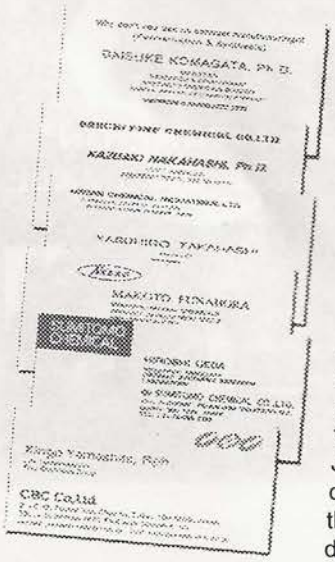


SHAC IN JAPAN



4 activists travelled to Japan in April to target HLS customers at the biggest Japanese pharmaceutical conference of the year. CPhI is held annually and the list of companies attending contains many of HLS's most important Japanese customers as well as bodies such as the Japanese Bioindustry Association and many other industry organisations. Although HLS have been regular attendees at this event in past years, this year they were nowhere to be seen much to the surprise of some customers we spoke to.

While 2 activists leafleted VIP conference visitors as they entered the event, 2 others posed as a company producing a film for the BBC and interviewed many HLS customers on their stalls about HLS, their poor financial situation and their appalling record of animal cruelty, staff incompetence and fraudulent practices.



Some excellent footage was obtained with damming quotes regarding HLS and how they are perceived by the Japanese companies they are so desperate to get business from. A Japanese lady from a rival European contract research organisation said on film that many Japanese companies are very concerned about all the bad publicity surrounding HLS, and that they were surprised by HLS's absence from this important event. Good to see HLS doing their usual poor PR, or maybe the conference organisers asked them to stay away as wherever they go, activists are sure to follow.

After some more filming, the 2 inside the conference switched roles and leafleted the conference with SHAC leaflets in Japanese and English. There was a lot of interest, particularly in the Japanese leaflet informing companies of HLS being dumped by financial institutions, banks, insurers and most recently their auditors. It was brilliant to look round and see all the conference visitors standing reading the leaflets with great interest.

Conference security then decided that SHAC was not a welcome addition to their event, and asked us to leave. They were ignored as we carried on leafleting. They then called Japanese police who were also ignored as we carried on distributing large amounts of leaflets to people in the conference who seemed amazed by all the disturbance as security and police tried, in vain, to manhandle us out of the event.

As things got more heated, and more police and security arrived, we managed to manoeuvre ourselves to right in front of CBC's stall who own half of HLS's Japanese sales office. The CBC rep who had been filmed earlier on furiously said: "You are not the BBC, you are SHAC. You have tricked me." When will they learn eh?

With police trying to snatch leaflets out of our hands and failing as we still carried on distributing them, we started shouting about HLS and CBC touting for business for them. Conference goers gathered as the situation escalated and the police, well and truly frustrated by their inability to either move or silence us, finally managed to evict us from the conference as a large audience of people HLS would like as customers looked on.

We informed everyone at the top of our voices that this is the consequence of any alliance with HLS – we will bring the spotlight shining down on those who deal with HLS and we guarantee that HLS customers will realise that there is a price to pay when you deal with a company that has been caught out over and over again for horrific animal abuse and gross staff incompetence.

ACTION

Make sure you contact all the japanese customers and voice your disgust at their involvement with animal abusers HLS.



KICK HLS OUT OF CHEMSPEC

CHEMSPEC is the biggest industry conference of the year and all HLS's customers and competitors will be there. It is a very important event for HLS and where they will be touting for more animal-killing business for their failing company. It is due to be held in Manchester on the 4th and 5th June 2003.

SHAC are calling on ChemSpec to cancel HLS's attendance at this event on the grounds of the appalling animal cruelty and gross staff incompetence uncovered there. ChemSpec is due to be held at the G-Mex centre in Manchester, which is owned by Manchester City Council and an insurance company called Aviva.

The promoters of ChemSpec are dmg world media.
Dmg world media have offices all over the uk, but we will just focus on the hq and the Redhill office for now. Check out their website for more info: www.dmgworldmedia.com.
Dmg organise many different events. How many of their customers realise that they also organise conferences attended by fraudulent, incompetent, animal-abusing companies like HLS?

There is no excuse for dealing with animal killers HLS.



G-Mex centre

David Mallard, the General manager
david.mallard@g-mex.co.uk
Terry McCreery, the Chief Executive
terry.mccreery@g-mex.co.uk
Paul Ashton, the exhibition sales Manager
Paul.ashton@g-mex.co.uk
Call them on the G-Mex switchboard on 0161 834 2700

MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL

Manchester City Council
The chief Executive is Sir Howard Bernstein
Manchester Town Hall, Albert Square, Manchester M60 2LA
Tel: 0161 234 5000 for switchboard
And 0161 234 3006 for Elaine, Mr Bernstein's PA Email him via her at: elaine_williams@notes.manchester.gov.uk

DMG WORLD MEDIA LTD.

Equitable House, Lyon Road, Harrow, HA1 2EW Tel: 0208 515 2170
www.dmgworldmedia.com

Mark Alcock is the deputy Managing director
markalcock@uk.dmgworldmedia.com
His PA is Barbara and you can call him via her on 0208 515 2170.

The people at dmg actually dealing with ChemSpec are Peter Sweeney and Andrew Warmington. They are from speciality Chemicals Magazine and are based at the dmg office in Redhill Surrey.
Dmg/business Media
Queensway house, 2 Queensway, Redhill, Surrey RH1 1QS
Switchboard Tel 01737 768 611

Peter Sweeney Tel: 01737 855222
petersweeney@uk.dmgworldmedia.com

Andrew Warmington Tel: 01737 855 080andrewwarmington@dmgworldmedia.com

AVIVA

Aviva are an insurance company that own half of the G-Mex centre where the event will be held. www.aviva.com
They too have sites all over the UK.
Switchboard : 0207 283 2000

The director of Aviva corporate office is Andy Moffat
St Helens, 1 Undershaft, London EC3P 3DQ andrew_moffat@aviva.com

The overall head of Aviva is Pehr GYLLENHAMMAR
He is the non-executive chairman and is based at St Helens also.
pehr_gyllenhammar@aviva.com

Richard Harvey is the Group Chief Executive
richard_harvey@aviva.com

PRISONER NEWS

People like Sonia are the animals' abusers worst nightmare come true. Passionate, brave people who care deeply for the animals and are prepared to take action to save them. Sonia was recently given a 15 month prison sentence for actions against HLS and the Surrey and Burstow Hunt.

"Mr. Allington from Ligand Pharmaceuticals, an HLS customer, wrote a letter to the Court bellyaching about how much money he had to spend on security – sixty five thousand pounds to be exact. The judge summed up and said 15 months. I was hoping he would continue……'however', but he didn't. I had requested my brief to ask the Judge if he needed his gardening done or living room painted but obviously not.

Prison really isn't anything to worry about. Plenty of vegan food my own toiletries, a shower every day. Cookham Wood is just like an adult St Trinians. Having a good support network on the out does make all the difference. I've wonderful friends and family. The VPSG have been a godsend and I thank everyone who had brightened my day be sending cards and letters.

It could be said, when you compare Mash and Waters' measly community service order for punching those puppies, people couldn't be blamed for taking the law into their own hands. It could also be said that the law cannot be respected when a Cambridge police officer gets just 6 months for child porn on his computer. It may be a cliché but it's true - there is no justice just us.

However busy you are, ask yourselves can you really not fit in an extra 10 minutes a day to make phone calls, an hour a week to write letters, an afternoon a week to give out leaflets, the odd day here and there to go to demos. We know HLS will close and we also know we must never stop working at it until it does.

best wishes, love and animal liberation,
Sonia Hayward KV5943
Cookham Wood,
Rochester, Kent,
ME1 3LU



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 £5 each	
Action leaflet	
Megaphones £65 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	
Xeno factsheets	
Michelle Rokke's diary about her 9 months inside HLS £2	
DONATION	£
TOTAL	£

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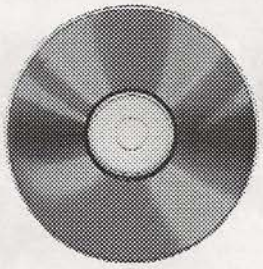
GET IT AND THEN GET OUT THERE.



ALF Poster a2



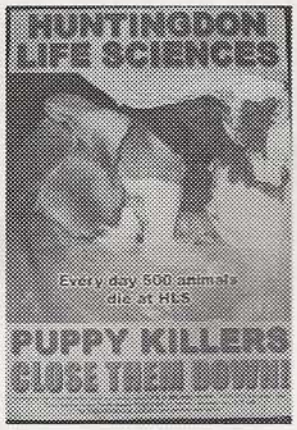
Science leaflet



PGP security cd and instructions



Cambridgeshire street map

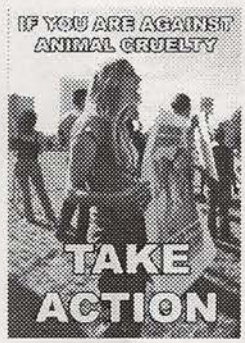


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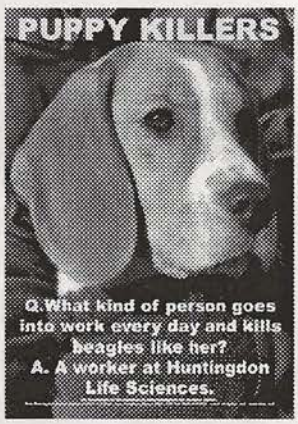
What we have acheived leaflet





Action leaflet

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



HLS Poster a2



Healthcare professionals leaflet



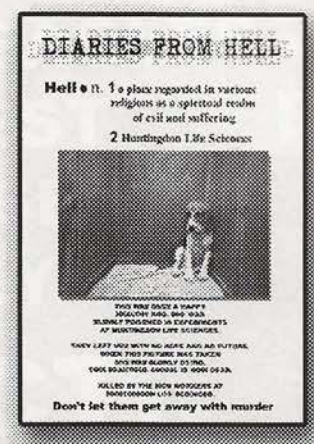
Japanese customer stickers - companies as above



New HLS t shirt and hooded top



HLS leaflets



Michele Rokke's diaries

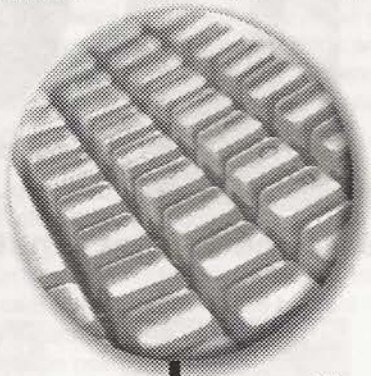


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EVERY ONE HAS A ROLE TO PLAY



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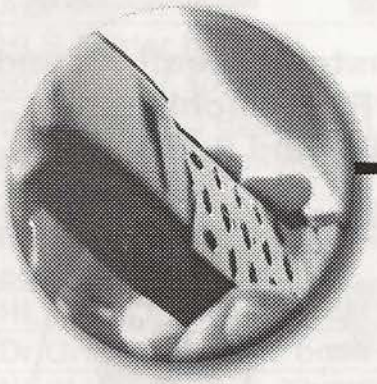


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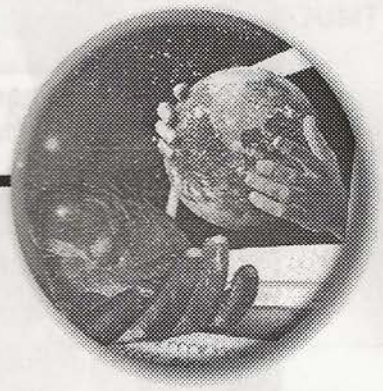


publicity stunts





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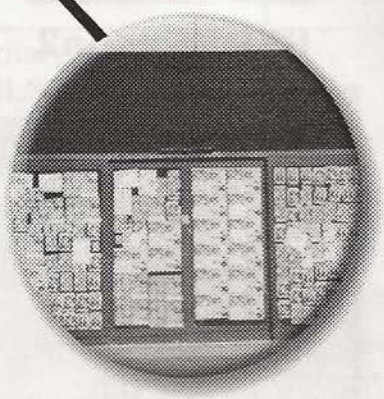
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