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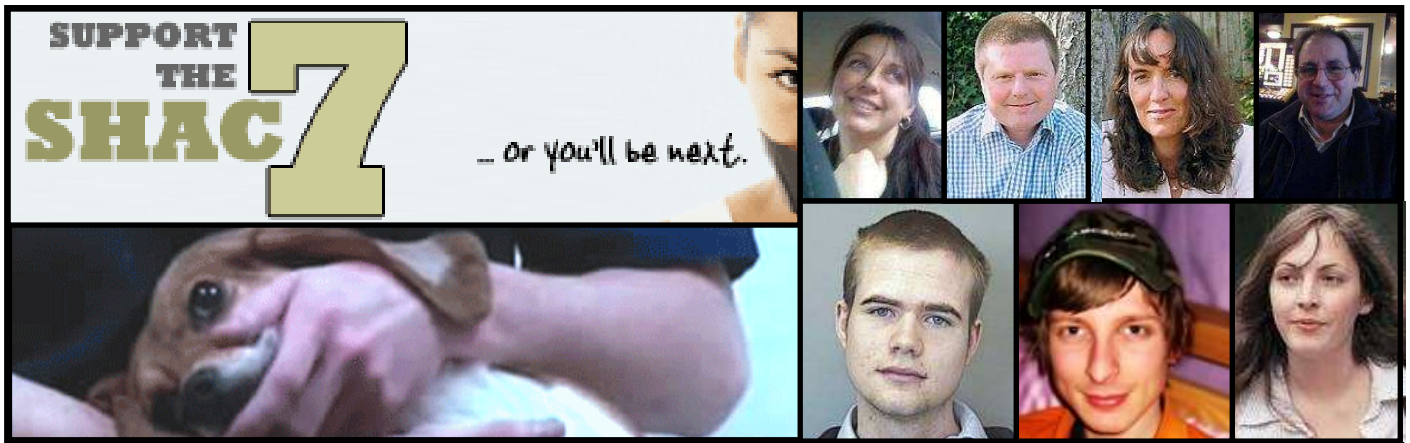
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On December 23rd, 4 out of 5 activists on trial at Winchester Crown Court were found guilty of 'conspiracy to blackmail' Huntingdon Life Sciences (HLS) after a three and a half month long trial. The world's media, prompted by police press officers, were quick to condemn SHAC, providing examples of harassment against the employees of HLS, their customers, suppliers and investors.

Direct action against the company, *not linked to those convicted*, such as arson attacks, hoax bombs, letters alleging paedophilia, and threats were pointed to as evidence of the defendants' extremism. Police spokesmen and NETCU, the branch of the police set up to dismantle the animal liberation movement and other expressions of the public's dissent, hailed the convictions as a victory. What was not examined in the media was the worrying development of the repressive use of the law which lead to the conviction of the four defendants.

On Wednesday 21st January the seven activists were sentenced to a total of fifty years in prison for 'conspiring to blackmail'. Heather Nicholson was jailed for 11 years, Gregg and Natasha Avery sentenced to nine years each, Gavin Medd-Hall an eight-year prison sentence, Daniel Wadham jailed for five years, Dan Amos and Gerrah Selby were both sentenced to four years *[Pictures from left to right at top of page]*.

The trial was the second large animal liberation conspiracy trial this year following the imprisonment of Sean Kirtley, an activist involved with the Stop Sequani Animal Torture (SSAT) campaign. Sean was sentenced to four and a half years in prison for updating a website with news about a legal, nonviolent campaign to close down Sequani laboratories in Ledbury *[See FS! #1]*. Despite the convictions, both campaigns are continuing undeterred.

BRIDGES & BILLBOARDS PAINTED, Oct 07

New Labour have lied and eroded our civil liberties. We will not stand for Gordon Brown's fascism any longer.

'Fuck you NETCU' 'Free Greg Avery'
'SMASH HLS PUPPY KILLERS'
'YOUR TAXES FUND HLS TORTURE CAMP'

were sprayed on bridges and billboards letting every one who passes these busy points know about vivisection.

Animal Liberation Front

MET POLICE STATUTE PAINTED, Nov 07

ACAB [*"All Coppers Are Bastards"*] was sprayed on a statue of Prime Minister Peel - creator of the Metropolitan Police, the first of its kind. This was done in solidarity with Greg Avery, Natasha Avery and Heather Nicholson and all those raided by those bastards at the Met. No Justice. JUST US!
Solidarity from the ALF

104 HENS LIBERATED, Aug 08

During a dark and quiet night, something was rustling deep in the British countryside..

Nestled amongst the tall shadows of animal exploitation, several figures were busy breaking into an intensive battery farm unit. Hens were awaiting in their prisons, cramped four or five to a cage, mutilated and featherless. 104 were saved in a few small hours and taken to new, loving homes.

This action was carried out in solidarity with Dan Amos, a peaceful protestor who is now in jail. Rather ironically, while Dan sits inside his



prison cell contemplating his imprisonment for legally protesting, we continue onwards to see another day, 104 'stolen' chickens in our arms...

Their fate is in your hands; death or Liberation? Free Dan Amos!

ALF

BARCLAYS ATM GLUED, Aug 08

Shortly after workers fixed an ATM in the westcountry (we wonder why it was broken in the first place.....) militants visited the capitalist machine and applied liberal amounts of super glue to the card slot.

The New York Stock Exchange must drop HLS or actions will continue. If you don't like it Barclays sell your NYSE shares or continue profiting from misery and expect more direct action. We will not wait for labs to close with banners, shouts and propaganda; we will close them ourselves.

Dedicated to Dan Amos and www.smashsequani.wordpress.com

Militant Antispeciesists

DHL VAN SUPER GLUED, Dec 08

As 500 animals die every day inside HLS, top logistics supplier Fedex continue to profit from the suffering of animals. This is why in the early hours of the morning the A.L.F. super glued one of their vans in the South West of England.

A fighting embrace to the British SHAC 7: Gregg Avery, Natasha Avery, Dan Amos, Heather Nicholson, Gerrah Selby, Gavin Medd-Hall and Dan Wadham. We will continue to directly attack the institutions that imprisoned you!

Our sabotage is infinite ... for the destruction of speciesism!

Solidarity in the form of rage and action!

Animal Liberation Front

LAB ANIMAL VET TARGETED, Jan 09

On January 20, UC Berkeley's Gregory Timmel was followed to work.

As he left his car parked in a garage on campus, he was whistling and had no idea he had been followed. We proceeded to vandalize his shiny new Audi, paid for with blood money. We would have reduced the Audi to ashes; if not for the fact that tailing him prevented us from grabbing the instruments that would have set his shit aflame. But there's always tomorrow.

We acted against Timmel because he is a veterinarian in UC Berkeley's vivisection labs. Hey Gergory, time to become a real vet and help sick and wounded animals recover; not ensure the smooth functioning of the torture chambers by assisting vivisectors in callous and fraudulent experiments on forty-thousand beautiful, innocent beings per year.

And to Nina Hahn, David Rieger, Walter Brown II, Stephen Friet, Helen Diggs, Delonzo Starks, Quig Driver, and the rest of the Office of Laboratory Animal Care sadists; don't think that you or your property will be spared.

This action was carried out with full dedication and solidarity to the SHAC-UK prisoners.

Liberation's crusade has begun.

-----Berkeley Students for Animal Liberation

PACKAGE LEFT AT BARCLAYS, Jan 09

21st Jan - Media reported that the Andover (Hampshire) town center was sealed off for two hours on January 21 following a report of a suspicious package at a Barclays Bank (HLS shareholder).

The phone call came just a few hours after the seven SHAC activists were imprisoned for "conspiracy to blackmail", but was not claimed. Barclays in Hampshire and the south have been



heavily sabotaged because of the banks support for Huntingdon Life Sciences (HLS).

16 HENS FREED IN OPEN RESCUE, Jan 09



Open rescue of 16 hens in support of SHAC prisoners, fuck the jails.

In January 2009 there were 16 hens freed from battery cages and put in new, safe homes.

HLS CUSTOMER BAYER PAINTED, Jan 09

On January 26, to mark the international day of action against Bayer, for the SHAC campaign, we came to the building of this pharmaceutical company and we stained the facade with plenty of red paint, we also graffitied phrases on one of its walls demonstrating our rejection of HLS and we threw leaflets explaining what vivisection is all about and why we repudiate it, this text also mentioned the SHAC campaign and their actions.

No more vivisection or any other form of exploitation!!!

Freedom for the seven SHAC prisoners and for all the prisoners of the world!!!

Montevideo, Uruguay

HLS CUSTOMERS PAINTED RED, Feb 09

In the night of 5 on 6 February 2009, we from ALF Poland gave two customers from HLS some red color on their building.

Inside HLS animals are being tortured and killed in useless experiments.

Astellas in Meppel (NL) and Schering-Plough in Houten (NL) have been targeted. This time it was only some red paint. Next time we won't be so friendly if you don't cut your ties with HLS immediately.

This action is dedicated to the SHAC prisoners in the UK and USA and to all other prisoners.

ALF Poland

HENS RESCUED, EGGS TRASHED, Feb 09

On a recent evening, a visit was paid to the Yorkshire Farmhouse free range and organic egg business. As people know this sector operates in a similar way to it's sister factory farming industry. Male chicks are slaughtered at birth. 'Flock depletion' takes place after the hens have lived only around 10% of their so called natural lifetimes due to diminishing returns from each laying hen. They are then sent to the same slaughterhouses as factory farmed birds and their lives taken.

Of course these places aren't quite so bad as the massive sheds where hens are locked up 24 hours a day. But the pictures that entice the moralistic egg eating crusaders on the front of the packs, are indeed just one side of this gruesome industry, happily supported by vegetarians. Who by supporting these companies, are essentially eating the flesh straight off the bones of these hens.

When we arrived at the targetted barn, we immediately rescued a hen that had been shut out for the night and left to fend for itself among the foxes. After forcing entry we proceeded through the entranceway and into the main body of the building. Here we could see hens as far as our torches could travel tightly packed into the space, and sitting on iron bars just a metre above the shit pit. We could identify that many of the birds had few



neck feathers, and also few wing feathers, as well as having been debeaked.

We proceeded to take a hen for each of the animal rights prisoners incarcerated in jail, and then we took some more. After retrieving them, we looked to the thousands of eggs stacked in the entranceway, and began smashing them. The hens that we took have been found new homes.

It's time to stop believing in the ethical myths of the organic and free range animal industries.

Protect, Liberate, Avenge.

North Yorkshire ALF

'FREE SHAC 7' BANNER DROP, Feb 09

On the day of the SHAC City Shakedown march in London anarchists hung a banner from a bridge crossing over the A358, the town center inroad for Taunton, Somerset. It read 'FREE THE SHAC 7 / @CT NOW – FIGHT BACK! / WWW.SHAC.NET'

The SHAC 7 are seven peaceful campaigners imprisoned to a total of 50 years for organizing protests, running a website and exposing vivisection – all practices that would be presumed legal. Welcome to the police state... HLS murder 500 animals every day. This simple and quick action was for the incarcerated activists who bought this abusive company to its financial knees.

Until All Are Free! Taunton Anarchists

SHAC SOLIDARITY

The last four months has seen solidarity SHAC actions across the globe in; Stockholm & Gothenburg (Sweden), Munich & Hamburg (Germany), Moscow & The Republic of Karelia (Russia), Vienna (Austria), New York City (USA), Mijdrecht (Netherlands), Milan (Italy) Dublin (Ireland), Santiago (Chile), Paris (France), and in the UK; Oxfordshire, Hampshire, London, Luton, Birmingham, Southampton, Cambridgeshire, and at HLS sites, suppliers, Harlan and Sequani labs in three days of action.

The protests were in support of the UK SHAC 7, with many protests also acting in support of the SHAC 7 in the USA; six activists who had similar charges bought against them in 2006 under the Animal Enterprise Protection Act (AETA), found guilty and sentenced to 23 years in prison.

SEND LETTERS OF SUPPORT

Dan Amos #VN7818, HMP Winchester, Romsey Road, Winchester. SO22 5DF

Gregg Avery #TA7450 & Gavin Medd-Hall #WV9475, HMP Coldingley, Shaftesbury Road, Bisley, Woking, Surrey. GU24 9EX.

Natasha Avery #NR8987 & Heather Nicholson #VM4859, HMP Bronzefield, Woodthorpe Road, Ashford, Middlesex. TW15 3JZ.

Dan Wadham #A5705AA, HMP Camp Hill, Newport, Isle of Wight. PO30 5PB.

www.myspace.com/shacukprisonersupport



BARCLAYS PUT OUT OF ACTION - 23/01

5 Barclays cash machines put out of action in the East (UK).

We would like to take this opportunity to reflect on our leniency towards Barclays thus far. We have taken the view that gentle pressure is needed to make them sell their LSR and NYX stock, as has been the case across the board.

HOWEVER - ANYONE CONSIDERING PROVIDING UK BANKING FACILITIES AND £30M LOAN TO HLS WILL LIGHT THE FUEL OF ANGER THAT HAS BEEN BREWING FOR SOME TIME AS A RESPONSE TO THE HORRORS OF HLS, AND THE ONGOING TERRORISM OF PEACEFUL ACTIVISTS BY THE BRITISH STATE. WE WILL BE CLEAR - IF YOU OFFER THESE SERVICES TO HLS YOU WILL BURN. THIS IS NOT A THREAT, IT IS A PROMISE - FEEL FREE TO TEST US, IT IS WHAT WE HAVE WAITED FOR. [sic]

ALF

BANKS & VAN SABOTAGED - 30/01

More Barclays cashpoints have been glued, as well as a Ladbrokes branch, and a butchers' van had its tyres let down in one night. Again. You can expect more of the same while you continue to invest in torture, Barclays. Also, rumour has it that HLS intend to return to the UK with a domestic bank account... Don't even think about it Barclays.

EXECUTIVE'S HOMES VISITED - 04/02

Barclays have had enough warnings about their blood money trading, now the time has come to pay.

We tracked down the top executives of Barclays Plc, who think hiding in expensive London houses will keep them safe... THINK AGAIN! First stop was Prof Andrew Likierman (wife: Meira Likierman), of [...], London. His two cars were paintstripped and the front entrance of his house was covered with spraypaint. That was a very white house you had Andrew, we hope you like the new decorations. You are a filthy murderer Andrew for having shares in Huntingdon Life Sciences and the NYSE. DROP HLS OR WE WILL BE BACK DAY OR NIGHT...

Second stop was Marcus Agius chairman of



Barclays Plc, 25 Chelsea Square, London. We left a special message on your back garage door for you and your wife Katherine. For a top businessman you don't seem to be that good at making intelligent decisions Marcus. So we've made it a bit easier for you.. If Barclays Global Investors don't sell their shares in Huntingdon Life Sciences (Life Sciences Research Inc.) people close to you are going to SUFFER Marcus... does it make investing in a profitless and failing company worth it? You know what to do to make this stop.

To give you a little preview of what may happen to people close to you we paid a visit to your daughter Marie-Louise Agius living at [...], London.

SHE IS NOT SAFE

This is just the start of what is to come Barclays, sell your shares or expect more. And don't even think about giving HLS a loan or WE WILL GIVE YOU HELL.....

Animal Rights Militia

CALL THEM DAY AND NIGHT [...]

BUSINESS ANALYST HOME VISIT - 18/02

Michael 'the' Pryke - Business Analyst for BNY Mellon - had the tyres of a car slashed on the driveway of his house at [...], Hampshire. No silver VW out this night, but thanks for leaving something for us to play with.

BNY Mellon, it's time to drop your shares in HLS (LSR). Until they do, why not drop the Pryke a line at [...]. While your at it, why not phone Debbie (nee Price) or their daughter Emma on [...].

ALF

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TOP HLS INVESTORS DUMP SHARES

Just days before the SHAC global week of action kicked off and two weeks after Huntingdon Life Sciences' vivisection laboratories were exposed for the seventh time in ten years, revealing shocking undercover footage, HLS shareholders have sold 15% of the company (ticker symbol LSR). As a result the percentage of LSR stock held by institutions fell further from 20.1% to 17.7%, leaving them below the minimum listing standards of the New York Stock Exchange, a major target in the campaign to close down HLS.

Wells Fargo, who were one of LSR's top five institutional investors has sold all their 147,511 shares and the Bank of New York Mellon, previously third largest investor, sold most of their LSR stock dumping 149,157 shares. BNY Mellon now only have 26,634 remaining of the original 175,791 shares, with Turner Investment Partners Inc also selling their 56,880 stock.

The announcement was made the day before Animal Liberation Front (ALF) activists reported they had slashed car tyres at the home of BNY's Business Analyst in Hampshire, whilst other covert cells targeted HLS associates in solidarity with political prisoners, including the UK SHAC 7. Protests also took place at BNY and Wells Fargo's offices and executive's homes, as part of a three-month campaign based primarily in London (England) and New York City (USA).

HLS have been suffering from a serious lack of investment since December 2007, with over a dozen corporations selling all their shares in LSR. Their share price as of February 25th is \$5.78, the lowest since their high of nearly \$40 in September 2008. With an unstable share price, activists continue to increase the pressure against HLS shareholders, particularly largest investor Barclays.

LETTER FROM SHAC 7 PRISONER DAN WADHAM



a sincere note of thanks...

Since the arrests on May 1st 2007, I have lived a life in relative isolation from the animal rights community that has been my family since 2005. The list of bail conditions has been vast, prohibiting contact with many of my closest friends and restricting myself and others in terms of action, association and accommodation.

I just wanted to write this note as an expression of thanks and heartfelt gratitude to all of the friends, comrades and acquaintances who have helped me so generously throughout my time on bail, and in particular throughout the lengthy trial. Whether it has been a meal, a place to sleep, words of encouragement or the simple pleasure of your company.. you are all heros of unimaginable scale. It cannot be said enough how important prisoner/defendant solidarity is during times of heightened state repression, and you people - you all know who you are - are a testament to the strength of this community.

It also cannot be said enough how important it is that we respond to heightened state repression, with heightened action, heightened commitment and heightened determination to win. To all those still active in the struggle for freedom... I salute you. x

Dan Wadham (WV9474), HMP Winchester, Romsey Road, Winchester SO22 5DF
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STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE OF HLS IN THE ANTI-CAPITALIST STRUGGLE

The campaign to shut down HLS has become a "meeting engagement"-a battle neither side can afford to lose. Here is what the pro-vivisection "Foundation for Biomedical Research" (or FBR) had to say in their 2006 "illegal incidents report" about the importance of the campaign to close Huntingdon "Life" Sciences (HLS).

"Beyond the issue of research and the debate surrounding animal rights, there is a larger and more troubling message surrounding this regrettable pattern of capitulating to activist attacks. This is because those who seek to attack any corporation for any reason have, thanks to SHAC, now been provided with an effective model to gain publicity for their cause, seriously harm the company with which it has any complaint, as well as its employees, customers and vendors."

This is a quote from a document the FBR distributed on Capitol Hill during their 2006 campaign to pass the draconian revisions of the Animal Enterprise "Terrorism" Act. Most of the document whined about the steady drumbeat of protest and direct action against HLS-related targets.

What the FBR is saying in this particular snippet is that the battle over HLS has become so important that the capitalists can't afford to lose-no matter what. The Green Scare has in turn created a situation where opponents of capitalism also cannot afford to lose-or law enforcement gains a model to shut all of our movements down. In short, neither we activists nor the system as a whole can accept defeat on HLS, so it has become a strategic point of engagement affecting all of capitalism and anticapitalism.

First, some background: the campaign to close HLS is based on a mixture of protest by aboveground groups and direct action by underground operatives against any corporation that has any financial connection (of any kind) to HLS. This has driven away bankers and insurers to the point that the UK government had to set up a special account for HLS.

This "tertiary targeting model" has driven Huntingdon Life Sciences to its knees. Were it not for constant infusions of cash and aid from the entire industry, the UK government, and possibly the US government, HLS would long ago have closed their doors. Think about this for a moment: how many evicting landlords, land-destroying developers, or other capitalists short of war contractors would get this kind of backup? How many two-bit slumlords can get a special government bank account if anti-poverty activists succeed in driving away their bankers, insurers, and investors?

If we back down under fire, all targets of protest will know we can be waited out or crushed. If HLS goes bankrupt, every bloodthirsty multinational corporation on Earth will know people have the strength, the tools, and the strategy to make them next in line for bankruptcy.

Because of these extraordinary high stakes, the HLS campaign has become what is known in military terms as a "meeting engagement." A meeting engagement is a battle which may start small but gets bigger and bigger as both sides pour in more and more resources. This happens when neither side can afford to lose.

Entire wars often turn on the outcome of battles with names like Midway and Stalingrad that ring through history. What happened at Stalingrad? Neither Hitler nor Stalin would accept defeat in a city named after Stalin, causing both sides to pour in so much of their military assets that the winner of Stalingrad (Russia) was able to drive all the way to Berlin with little further opposition. Stalingrad



COUNCILLOR'S CARS ATTACKED IN PROTEST OF THE ILKLEY MOOR GROUSE SHOOT – YORKSHIRE, UK

Persons unknown recently visited the property of self serving Councillor Anne Hawkesworth. The two cars in the driveway were paint stripped and had their tyres slashed.

The entire council is responsible for choosing to turn Ilkley Moor into a blood bath. Doubtless many will be queueing to spectate when the shotguns come to blast these birds out of the sky. In the meantime the moor will be managed in such a way as to promote the growth of grouse, while terminating the existence of many of their predators, who have an equal right to exist in this habitat.

We have already called for Ilkley Moor to be a wildlife haven, and have been ignored. This is the use of public land to allow the 'fun and games' of a few sadists led by Ed Bromet (Bingley Moor Partnership) and is, as we have said, completely unacceptable.

ALF

SABS OUT IN FORCE FOR THE FINAL DAYS OF SHOOTING SEASON

A quick report from Gloucestershire and Cotswold hunt sabs from the fields on the last Saturday before the end of the Pheasant shooting season.

On our last walking expedition through the beautiful Cotswold two weeks ago our small group of four came into some trouble with some of the security from the Brimpsfield park estate our small group of four were pushed around and shoved until we left the public footpath which was clearly marked on the map. Apparently it is fine to assault those who use a public right of way in the countryside if shooters are having a fun day's massacre. The attitude of those who provide security for the Brimpsfield Park shooting is far from legal, they openly admit on camera they know where we live and will be paying us a visit, the shooters have ON camera refused to break gun, leaving activists with temporary deafness as chambers are emptied within inches of the heads of the sabs.

¹ Saturday 31st Jan saw two land rovers packed with sabs stop five shooters during a rough shoot in the Cotswolds, after deciding to move onto a driven shoot in the area our land rovers were stopped by around 10 police vehicles and the while the drivers were being questioned by police all sabs went for a nice walk along the footpaths for a stroll. Unfortunately although the drivers and vehicles were released by police they were followed by the yokels who pulled in front of the

vehicles and called the police where two activists were arrested for an apparent Aggravated trespass and Section 5 Public order for causing someone to be harassed alarmed and distressed.

One of the beaters made a statement saying that the two (one male, one female) had already been told to leave the land for three months by the police back in November, and that they had caused him to feel alarmed, harassed or distressed. They probably can't decide which of those three things they are as they are still looking in the "word means book" (dictionary) so they can check the definitions.

Needless to say, we will be back for the new season and will continue to fight these animal abusers in our area until every last gun is silenced. Whilst preparing for the new season we will be out with our other local fox hunts helping to protect our wildlife.

More info check our new website below!

www.huntsabs.wordpress.com

TRAPS DESTROYED, SHOOTING PENS TRASHED AND BIRD SET FREE

under the pink skies of a setting sun and across the rolling hills of the countryside activists found a large shooting estate;

two squirrel traps and a fox trap were destroyed.

a lone bird trapped inside a cage was carefully taken from her prison and set free.

4 shooting enclosures were destroyed; netting cut, wires cut, wood snapped, battery supplies cut off, posts torn from the ground enclosures used for shooters to hide their cowardly faces and shoot animals were destroyed.

until all are free!



BIRD SET FREE, UK

9 BIRDS FREED FROM CABIN

Cortenuova, Renate (MI) - Italy - November

9 singing birds used by hunters have been freed, their cages smashed and spraypainted slogans left in the hunting cabin. Some rifle bullets have been found and damaged too.

CARS WINDOWS SMASHED

Rieti, Italy

To welcome the new year, saturday 3th january we have smashed windows of nine cars of hunters.

We want it'll be a year of freedom!

MINK RELEASED

The night of December 14, our group trespassed on a mink farm outside Siatista [Greece], and liberated more than 1.000 mink.



We claim this action, for all the animals hit by cars, hunger and thirst, left to cannibalise each other, for the damages they may have caused to the local ecosystem. But first, the gang of fur-farmers should claim their own responsibility for the genocide they act out every day, for the brutal annihilation of hundreds of thousands of souls every year, for the innocent creatures they flay alive for being unlucky enough to be born with a beautiful fur, for the miserable conditions of captivity they force them into. Until then, we claim only the opportunity and the joy we share with these creatures to live free, some for a long time, others for short.

In the video we have published on the internet, the lack of fundamental sanitation rules is obvious. The animals feces hasn't been cleaned for ages. This isn't just the imprisoned animals problem being forced to live in a constantly polluted environment, it also raises a matter of public health. We call and challenge the state and those responsible to prove their existence and act upon the legislature, imposing the appropriate penalties.



Though we are aware that all this happens inside the hell-hole farms lawfully. Or at least we want to believe the lawful things and only happen. We call and challenge the 'farmers' to open to the public what's going on lawfully, inside their 'farms'. Just allow a journalist to go inside with a camera and have an ordinary report coming out. Show to the people you lawfully murder innocent creatures with anal electro-shock machines. Show to the people you murder innocent creatures in gas chambers. Share with us your exclusiveness in cries of agony. Do that and we will surrender to the authorities and claim our responsibilities according to the laws. What do you have to hide?

And to put an end to this fairy tale of fur keeping local communities alive as the farmers claim... 200 years ago local communities and whole states based their economy on human slavery. Apparently they had the same points with the fur farmers. But the world evolved and those that wouldn't mind that, were forced to mind it. The world keeps evolving and the fur trade finally meets with global odium. Those not minding that, will have to be forced to mind it. If you want money for your communities, bother yourselves with their environmental development. Right now, your fortunes are made of the blood of innocent souls. 10 years ago you were crying to the mass media --media of mass domestication-- claiming fur is going downwards, and you don't earn enough, you are forced to migrate and other bullshit. Now that you turned yourselves to ass kissers of the Russian riches your problems seem to be over. Beware, your problems have just started. Think upon your selections, because we'll be always in your way. When 10.000.000 children die of hunger every year, fur's niche marketing can't even touch our logic.

With the above reasons and on the occasion of our liberation action, we call everyone to found together a panhellenic (national) federation to fully ban the fur enterprises in our country. Contribute to this league by any means possible. Create cells in your area or act alone. Act legally or illegally. Organize peaceful demonstrations, spray paint slogans, destroy furs, break fur shop glass windows, invade fur farms and liberate animals. The only requirement we ask for, is the principle of non violence against human or other animals.

PS1: To whom fur farmer it may concern, to claim the EU's money pack for fur farms: Better plan on a generous insurance to cover your enterprise and don't you mind the money: you'll need it.

PS2: To mr. Bouzalis, mr Papadopoulos and the rest of Kastoria and Kozani parliament members, as well as officials of the ministries of Development and Foreign Affairs. Your concern on fur is totally opposite to ours. We hope we won't hear again the word 'fur' from your mouths inside the parliament, and that we won't see any of you in any fur-farmers event. We will be very disappointed.



Have a happy new year with lots of empty cages.

Corvus revengis

THOUSANDS OF MINK FREED FROM CAGES IN ITALY

Monday, February 9 - Fossoli (Modena)

A full moon saw us in action in the mink farm of Rossi Italo in Fossoli.

Some hundred meters away from here are the remains of a concentration camp from which the prisoners were sent to Auschwitz. The remains of a sad page in history.

Similar sheds, one after the other, full of prisoners, thousands of them waiting to be gassed, are a page still open in human history, still present in Fossoli near the house of Rossi Italo.

Here the victims are mink, but the mentality is the same.

After moving the security camera and smashing the lights which turn on when someone enters the farm, we removed the metal barrier from the fence, put on there to prevent the mink from crossing it.

Then we started cutting open hundreds of cages, giving the prisoner mink a way to get out.

Unfortunately we couldn't just open the cages because of alarms in the sheds, and cutting cages with bolt cutters was possible only for the breeders in 3 sheds.

We left spraypainted slogans like 'close down this concentration camp also' and 'ALF'.

Nothing will stop us. Only closing down the farm will give peace to Rossi Italo.

ALF

'FASHION' SHOP CLOSED AFTER FIRST ALF ACTION

Direct action gets the goods again in Leeds - Amanda's fashions in Leeds has closed its doors.

After coming to our attention some time ago, with various fur trimmed jackets for sale, it seems this shop has now shut its doors permanently. In November 2008 it was subject to an ALF action:

On a recent night, a visit was paid to Amanda's 'fashion' shop in Leeds, they've been selling fur.....

The door locks were glued, then the shop windows received spraypainted messages, and afterwards smashed.

Ditch the fur.

A.I.F

ANIMAL LIBERATIONISTS ARRESTED AS 'TERRORISTS' FOR FREEING MINK IN UTAH, USA

Two animal rights activists have been arrested under the Animal Enterprise Terrorism Act in connection to the release of mink from Utah fur farms. The crimes are attributed to the Animal Liberation Front, which the FBI labels the "number one domestic terrorism threat."



William Viehl, 22, and Alex Hall, 20, were arrested in connection with the August, 2008 release of 300 minks from a South Jordan fur farm. It caused about \$10,000 in damages. Spray painted slogans were found on the scene, including "No More Mink, No More Murder" and "ALF: We Are Watching." The two are also accused of attempting to damage another mink farm a few months later.

The anonymous communiqué for the fur farm raid simply said:

This is a local soldier out of Utah just letting you guys know of a raid that just happened last night at the South Jordan, Utah McMullen Mink Farm, 300 plus mink were released with all their breeding records destroyed. Good news, haven't seen this done in a while so it had to be done.

Details of both charges are still quite sparse. The Department of Justice press release surprisingly doesn't mention the AETA, or the word "terrorism," but the language of the charges are pulled directly from the legislation. The first charge, a felony related to the raid at McMullin mink farm, could mean up to five years in prison and a \$250,000 fine. The second charge, a misdemeanor, could mean up to a year in prison.

The Utah indictment comes on the heels of the recent Animal Enterprise Terrorism Act charges in California. In that case, the FBI argues that the activists were involved in a campaign of "terror" that including chalking defamatory slogans on the sidewalk, wearing bandanas at a protest, distributing fliers, and attending a protest where an alleged forced entry took place.

Combined, the two sets of arrests reflect the true breadth and depth of the government's efforts to wrap up a broad range of political activity as "eco-terrorism" and "animal enterprise terrorism." From First Amendment activity to non-violent direct action saving animals, the government is relentlessly branding all of it as "terrorism."

Unlike what most think of when they hear the word "terrorism," though, none of it—no crime by the Animal Liberation Front, Earth Liberation Front, or related groups—has ever resulted in the loss of a single human life. Perhaps the most significant difference between Al Qaeda terrorism and "animal enterprise" terrorism, a difference that has been completely ignored by mainstream news articles and government press releases, is that one is intended to destroy life while the other is intended to save it.



MAX MARA CAMPAIGN



SPAIN, 07/03

BOUTIQUE PAINTED, LOCK GLUED ZURICH, SWITZERLAND

During the night of the 22th January in the center of Zürich, Switzerland, the Max Mara boutique was completely covered by red paint and the lock of the main entrance was glued. We don't forget the animals killed by the fur industry.

Max Mara stop sell fur!

RED & BLACK PAINT AGAINST SHOPS LECCO, ITALY

21 January 2009 - Lecco (Italy)

According to local media two stores of Max Mara Fashion Group have been damaged during the night. Red and black paint has been thrown on one Max Mara and one Marina Rinaldi store in the city centre. There were also slogans painted, that the workers had to work all morning to remove.

SHOP SPRAYPAINTED – MILAN, ITALY

06-01-2009 RHO (Milano) - Italy

Max&Co shop gets spraypainted slogans and paint on the entrance against the sale of fur. Max&Co is part of Max Mara Fashion Group.

SHOP GREETED WITH BRICK - SPAIN



The weekend of 20 to 22 February we decided to say hello to the new Max Mara Collection at a Spanish Max Mara Shop, a brick made the party. The brick

was a big hit; we're positive that they will have to replace the window.

MaxMara is directly involved in the fur industry, who kill millions of animals each year. At this moment there is an international campaign against this company, with demos around the world. In particular the Italian activists demonstrate every day their commitment to animals.

For the animals, for those who every day fight for animal liberation.

MaxMara stop selling fur or more stones will rain on your windows

WINDOW DAMAGED - SPAIN

During the weekend of March 7, 2009 I was walking on the street and in my clumsiness I stumbled; it was my bad luck that



I went headlong into the main window of the MaxMara store; coincidentally I had two stones in my hand and without it being my intention I caused considerable damage to the window.

Later I learned that this company is involved in the cruel and bloody fur industry. A business that tortures, skins and kills millions of animals each year. Noting only that I am clumsy by nature and this shop is on my usual route, I will try not to stumble again. I do not know if I will be able to do what I intend to in avoiding another collision with your shop window, but it occurs to me that you may want to stop selling fur. I do not know if it will work, but nothing will be lost in trying.

With nothing more to say at the moment I will bid you goodbye.

Attentively yours, anonymous.

INTERNATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

RODEO CLUB SET ON FIRE – SANTIAGO, CHILE

In the early morning hours of Wednesday, December 24, 2008, in Santiago, Chile, the Frente de Liberación Animal used 3 devices to set fire to a center of torture and imprisonment (forgive the redundancy), the Gil Letelier Rodeo Club, burning the most important part of the structure.

We believe that all forms of struggle are valid, but we recognize that our conflict with this society cannot be resolved within the margins of the law and what is allowed... that's why we had decided on this occasion to attack one of the many chains of exploitation that exist in this miserable circus of social-capitalism.

AGAINST ALL HIERARCHY AND SUBMISSION

FLA

SOLIDARITY WITH OSCAR GRANT - SAN FRANCISCO, USA

Solidarity action for Oscar Grant and the Greek rioters. Today, a BART police car received damage via superglued locks. Two BART ticket machines were also superglued.

For Oscar Grant.

Towards social war and for general sabotage.

For earth, animal, and human liberation,
Some Autonomous Individuals

**Oscar Grant was shot dead by police, sparking rioting in Oakland.*

FUR TRIM COATS SABOTAGED - CANADA

This is a message to ALL Canadians who do not support animal cruelty, we have a confession AND a challenge for you.

\$25000 worth of cheap winter jackets with REAL fur trim on them have been sabotaged at Winner's locations all accross Canada.

Winners sells jackets with real rabbit, fox, mink, and DOG fur all sourced from animals raised on hellish fur farms in China.

These jackets with real fur are mixed in amoung jackets with FAUX fur, they are poorly labelled and some of them are not labelled at all, making it extremely difficult for shoppers to recognize. The majority of their customers have no idea they are buying real fur from tortured animals at all.

There is footage available on the internet of rabbits and raccoon dogs being killed on chinese fur farms and it shows that the animals



DECEMBER IN SWEDEN

01/12/08 – Gothenburg

Penguin pond in Slottsskogen and fur shop spray-painted, the shop lock is also destroyed. – DBF

08/12/08 – Gothenburg

Butcher shop spray-painted and red paint thrown on entrance. – DBF

11/12/08 – Gothenburg

Fur shop Christins spray-painted and door ruined with tar. – DBF

21/12/08 – Orebro - Big

rock thrown thru Mats Nylén's door, owner of a fur shop. Lamp outside animal porn shop Tutti Frutti Video is smashed. – DBF

22/12/08 – Orebro - Big

rock thrown thru window of town's last cheese store.

28/12/08 – Orebro

McDonalds toilet spray-painted, sink sabotaged. "You can count on the DBF even during day time!"

29/12/08 – Orebro - Fur

shop owner's home door is again smashed. "Its time you got yourself a real job Mats!" – DBF

31/12/08 – Orebro - First

leather store attacked by DBF, all windows along one side smashed - "The skin belongs to the animals!"

Three windows smashed at McDonalds. – DBF

2008 - Middle of Sweden

Half a dozen actions carried out against the meat industry, hunting/fishing and animal circuses in different towns.

remained conscious while they were being skinned, screaming and writhing in pain as their skin is being cut off them, one animal was even filmed trying to bite a chinese fur farmer as he finished skinning her and some of the animals were still alive long after their skin was removed and they were thrown in the dead pile.

Winners has been contacted many times by concerned Canadians and their answer to this concern and complaints was 'As long as it is in style we will continue to sell it.'

The jackets were destroyed with razor blades, car keys, glue and chewing gum.

We would like to challenge all other compassionate people to do the same, target ALL Winners locations accross Canada in an effort to show the powers that be: WE DEMAND YOU GO FUR FREE NOW AND WE WILL NOT NEGOTIATE.

WE ENCOURAGE ALL ACTS OF NON VIOLENT ECONOMIC SABOTAGE AGAINST WINNERS AND THEIR OTHER COMPANY HOME SENSE.

As long as animals are being skinned alive and sold for profit inside Winners, we challenge all who care, to commit economic sabotage against these blood thirsty monsters until they agree to pull all fur from the store.

THERE IS NO JUSTICE, JUST US.

CIRCUS SABOTAGED – CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND

According to media reports, the Loritz Circus was targeted during a stop in Christchurch. Early on January 11, messages were painted on the sides of an elephant trailer, the circus tent was slashed, paint was splashed over vehicles and poured into the circus' diesel tanks. The circus reported several thousand dollars in damages.

FLAMES DAMAGE MEAT COMPANY – MEXICO STATE

On the night of January 14 the FLA of Mexico set fire to the shutters and an advertisement at a meat company in Mexico State. The fire spread and a cloud of smoke covered the small business, as the target was reduced to ashes.

We're not going to stop these attacks. The flame of animal liberation is unstoppable!

FLA México

“FIRE TO THE FUR INDUSTRY” – MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY

In the early days of January we warned a fur shop located in the vicinity of downtown that we reject their business for being based on animal exploitation; we graffitied the windows and walls of the place with words and phrases referring to animal liberation The following week the location was continuing to sell the remains

OTHER ACTIONS

01/01/2009 – Gothenburg, SWEDEN - Seal and penguin pond in Slottsskogen spray painted again. – DBF

01/01/2009 – Orebro, SWEDEN - Window smashed again at last cheese shop. – DBF

01/01/2009 – MEXICO - Six fish freed from a market 'pet shop'. FLA-CVN released them in a lagoon.

03/01/2009 - Orebro, SWEDEN - Lamp and socket destroyed at animal porn shop Tutti Frutti Video. – DBF

05/01/2009 - Malmö, SWEDEN - Shutters, doors and walls to fur shop Havgård's Päls graffitied.

06/01/2009 – Center, SPAIN 31 rabbits rescued from farm in open rescue by Animal Equality media.

07/01/2009 – California, USA – Head of LA Animal Shelters parents front porch decorated with red paint and glued locks. - ALF

08/01/2009 – Gothenburg, SWEDEN - Fur shop Christins spray-painted, tar poured over the door. – DBF

08/01/2009 – California, USA – Blood and rat poisoned razor blades sent to UCLA vivisector Edythe London for New Years by the Justice Department.

08/01/2009 – UK – Foie gras stolen from shop. - ALF

09/01/2009 – Mexico State, MEXICO – 10 shops including; meat markets, poultry markets, pet stores painted with slogans such as 'Damn speciesists!'. - FLA

10/01/2009 – Orebro, SWEDEN - Window smashed and "Murder" written on Löwen skinnskrädderi. – DBF

10/01/2009 – California, USA - UC Berkeley primate

of dead animals as if they were clothes, so we decided to pay another visit, throwing paint bombs at advertising posters at the entrance.

The business remained open so on one of the nights last week we decided to enlighten the place with the beautiful flames of freedom

The windows ended up completely destroyed due to the heat and a considerable amount of merchandise was damaged by the fire; we also dropped leaflets announcing our rejection of any form of exploitation

fire to the fur industry!

fire to everything that oppresses us, other animals and the earth !!!!!

Montevideo, Uruguay.

SLAUGHTERHOUSE DAMAGED BY FIRE – MEXICO CITY

A chicken slaughterhouse in Mexico City (D.F.) was damaged by fire; we spilled gasoline inside it one night in February.

The torturers were not expecting to arrive at their places of 'work' and find such a considerable amount of damage caused by vegan abolitionists from the Frente de Liberación Animal.

The sabotage worked well, as part of their merchandise and their time was devoured by the fire, the trucks that transport the carcasses were shut down. The police intervened in the case and surely will be investigating, but our instinct and the desire for freedom are stronger than its repression.

A.L.F México

DOG RESCUED FOR MEL BROUGHTON – GRANADA, SPAIN



In some areas and neighborhoods in Granada people still enjoy watching dogs fight until death. The money passes from hand to hand while the blood flows onto the ground. Some of the dogs, dying, are put into plastic bags to suffocate, and thrown in a dumpster. This was to be the fate of Mel, a young pitbull who we rescued from appalling conditions; it was clear the end that he was destined for.

In honor of our compañero Mel Broughton, we decided to give the same name to this freed dog, as a symbol of the work and effort that Mel, now imprisoned for his work on the SPEAK campaign,

vivisectors have all mail re-directed by the Students for Animal Liberation.

11/01/2009 – Orebro, SWEDEN - Door to fur shop owner Mats Nylén apartment house is smashed. – DBF

11/01/2009 – MEXICO FLA-CVN rescue three ducks from death at Catholic Church.

12/01/2009 – California, USA – Letter bombs sent to UC David primate vivisectors by the Revolutionary Cells Animal Liberation Brigade.

23/01/2009 – Mexico State, MEXICO – KFC walls and windows paint-bombed, graffitied with anarchist symbols, billboard painted and lamp shattered. - FLA

25/01/2009 – Montevideo, URUGUAY – Zoo decorated with graffiti, several paint bombs, walls and floor stained and locks glued.

25/01/2009 – Puebla, Mexico – Major poultry business' logo, white walls, shutters and canvas advertising signs covered with automobile oil. – ALF

29/01/2009 – MEXICO Two puppies rescued from neglect. - FLA-CVN.



01/2009 – Gothenburg, SWEDEN - Fur shop attacked. – DBF

02/02/2009 – California, USA – UCLA van paint-stripped against primate vivisection. – ALF

dedicated to all animals.

This was for you, you can count on our support.

Frente de Liberación Animal.

ACTION AGAINST THE FUR TRADE – SOUTH GERMANY

31:10:08 IN REGENSBURG 2 FUR SHOPS WERE HIT WITH BUTYRIC ACID AND 'STOP TORTURE - BOYCOTT FUR' LEFT BEHIND

13:12:08 IN PASSAU AT MELISSA AND MARENA (FUR AND LEATHER STORES) THE WINDOWS WERE ETCHED

FROM 21:05:08 TO 31:12:08 APPROX 40 BATTERY HENS WERE RESCUED

25:01:09 BUTYRIC ACID SPRAYED INSIDE THE SHOP 'CALLAS' AND 'FUR IS MURDER' PAINTED ON WALLS NEARBY

MEDIA REPORTED THAT THE STORE DID NOT SELL FUR, BUT WE VISITED THE STORE PRIOR TO THE ACTION AND FOUND JACKETS AND COATS CLEARLY LABELED 'FUR' NOT 'FAKE FUR' OR '100% POLYESTER'

14:01:09 AT THE WEISHAHN FUR STORE IN EGGENFELDENER, ITEMS (FOX HAT, FOAL JACKET, MINK STOLE, ETC) IN A DISPLAY CASE WERE RUINED WITH BUTYRIC ACID
AFTER THE ATTACK SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS WERE INSTALLED ALSO LEFT BEHIND WERE THE MESSAGES: 'FUR IS MURDER' AND 'A.L.F.'

WE ARE SATISFIED AT THE DAMAGE CAUSED TO THE FUR INDUSTRY AND ACTIONS WILL CONTINUE WITHOUT COMPROMISE UNTIL THE FUR TRADE IS ABOLISHED

ANIMAL LIBERATION FRONT

FUR BOUTIQUE PAINTED AND GLUED – TALLINN, ESTONIA

During the night of the 14th February in the center of Tallinn, Estonia, the Fur boutique was completely covered by red paint and the lock of the main entrance was glued.

CIRCUS TRUCK DAMAGED BY FIRE – SASSARIY, ITALY

February 19. Sassariy, Italy. A Moira Orfei circus truck was badly damaged by fire.

Animal activists are suspected of being responsible.



05/02/2009 – MEXICO

Graffiti painted at several shops by FLA-CVN on a taqueria of murdering speciesists.

10/02/2009 – FRANCE – 80

Cirque Muller animal circus billboards taken down.

12/02/2009 – DF, MEXICO

Mendele leather company painted with slogans and front door sealed. - FLA

17/02/2009 – California, MEXICO – Justice

Department send rat poisoned razor blades to Wake Forest University primate vivisectionists.

19/02/2009 – FRANCE

Graffiti for SHAC 7 prisoner Dan Wadham.

26/02/2009 – Center, ITALY

30 hens rescued from breeder and hunter.

28/02/2009 - Mexico State, MEXICO -

Graffiti in response to slaughter of dogs and cats. - FLA-MA



02/03/2009 – FRANCE –

180+ board, 80+ cardboard posters of Franco-belge animal circus take down.

05/03/2009 – Utah, USA - 8

McDonalds, 5 KFC's, 2 Carls Jr.'s, and a Sizzlers have bathrooms spray-painted, toilets clogged, locks glued and windows spray-painted. - ALF

06/03/2009 – California, USA –

Paint bottles redecorate sister's porch of Mayor against LA Animal Shelters. – ALF.

07/03/2009 – Madrid, SPAIN

Susanne fur shop paint bombed on gate, facade

Moira Orfei is one of Italy's most famous animal circuses.

VIVISECTOR AND MINING EXEC VISITED - ARIZONA, USA

Tucson Vivisector Katalin Gothard and Rosemont mining scumbag Kathy Arnold get a special home visit from Tucson H.A.A.N.D! (Hooligans Attack At Night Duh!) agents of change. Solidarity dedication with those four recently arrested

Beneath a security blanket of darkness during the early morning hours of Friday, February 20, Tucson H.A.A.N.D. (Hooligans Attack At Night Duh!) visited the homes of University of Arizona Vivisector Katalin M. Gothard and Rosemont Copper (RC) Director of Environmental & Regulatory Affairs Kathy Arnold.

We chose Kathy Arnold because of all her work she does with RC as their Director of Environmental & Regulatory Affairs. RC is attempting to mine in the beautiful Santa Rita Mountains for copper. We say no mine thank you!

Mining in the Santa Ritas would threaten numerous species, plants and sensitive wild areas. Mining for copper to build solar panels is a false solution and unacceptable. The Santa Ritas are part of the Sky Island Region a Biological Hotspot home to 404 bird species, 117 reptile species, 26 amphibian species, thousands of plant species. A number of these species are endemic to this region. The Santa Ritas should never be home to a mine.

Dear Kathy destroying the land of wild animals and plants for more ingredients of a larger Infrastructure nightmare is no way to live. You should know that our environment is no place for you to hold your twisted affairs! We slashed your tire so that maybe you will think of the Mountain Lions and Black Bears that live where you want to build a mine. We bet the etching cream on the window of your house will leave a lasting impression of our visit. Maybe the cost of replacing it will make you think twice about the lasting irreplaceable costs your companies proposed mine would inflict on the Santa Ritas.

Katalin Gothard is an assistant Professor (Vivisector) within the Department of Physiology, College of Medicine Life Sciences in North Room 327 of the University of Arizona Tucson, her Phone # is (520) 626-1448. Her Email is kgothard@email.arizona.edu. Her home addy is [removed by Indybay]. Her home # is [removed by Indybay].

Katalin makes a living by performing research on rhesus monkeys. Her research procedures involve screwing metal plates into the monkey's skulls and affixing magnetic search coils to their eyes. After these medical procedures are performed she then trains the monkeys to tolerate head immobilization and to fixate on objects presented on a computer monitor. What the fuck type of demented mind could do such a thing? Apparently, Katalin Gothard and her cohorts.

To the sound of Coyotes howling in the mountains we lifted the utility cover to your water in front of your house, turned the water off and the poured in cement to make sure it stayed off for a damn

and glass display case.
07/03/2009 – California, USA – KFC windows cracked with stones by the autonomous rebels for social collapse



08/03/2009 – Missouri, USA

- Two circus posters were taken down. - 417-ALF

09/03/2009 – Utah, USA –

The Postal Annoyance Brigade subscribe 10 fur farms to thousands of pounds of junk mail.

09/03/2009 – Galeata, ITALY – The Cassinadri mink breeding family have 3 cars paintstipped.

10/03/2009 – NETHERLANDS

- Animal Rights One Man Army puncture packaging of hundreds of flesh and fish products.

11/03/2009 – Mexico State, MEXICO - Several shops graffitied. – FLA



12/03/2009 – Deventer, NETHERLANDS – McDonalds windows smashed by the Animal Rights One Man Army

13/03/2009 – CYBERSPACE Electronic Sit In (ECD) against HLS' own websites, auditors and customer Bayer shuts down LSR website www.lsrinc.net.

13/03/2009 – Santiago – CHILE – 11 doors, shutters of 2 butchers locks plugged,

long time! We bet it's a little harder to wash the blood off your hands and scrub away all those thoughts of torturing monkeys all day long huh Katalin. If you insist on working, get a real job!

Kathy, stay the fuck away from our mountains you sick fuck! Katalin, Leave the monkeys alone (your a sick fuck too)!

We dedicate this action to our four CA comrades in the fight against vivisection that were arrested the same day.

Y'all fools can keep trying to stop us by throwing us in jail. Cause you can't lock up Revolutionary Solidarity for the land and Animals, duh!

FUR SHOP COVERED IN PAINT – STRASBOURG, FRANCE



In the night between Tuesday March 3 and Wednesday March 4, 2009, the Alsace section of the ALF attacked a fur shop in Schiltigheim, Strasbourg. We covered its windows with red paint.

We left behind leaflets against 'anthropocentric human arrogance, and for human and animal liberation.' This article appeared in Les Dernières Nouvelles d'Alsace on Thursday, March 5.

UCLA VIVISECTORS CAR BURNED – CALIFORNIA, USA

On Friday night March sixth we burned a vehicle at the home of David Jentsch [...] in Los Angeles. Jentsch is a piece of human shit who addicts monkeys to methamphetamines and other street drugs at the University of California Los Angeles.

He associates with other pieces of human shit like Edythe London who is addicting and experimenting on monkeys. The things you and others like you do to feeling sentient monkeys is so cruel and disgusting we can't believe anyone would be able to live with themselves.

David, here's a message just for you, we will come for you when you least expect it and do a lot more damage than to your property. Where ever you go and what ever you do we'll be watching you as long as you continue to do your disgusting experiments on monkeys.

And a special message for the FBI, the more legit activists you fuck with the more it inspires us since we're the people whom you least suspect and when we hit we hit hard.

Animal Liberation Brigade

walls graffitied 'FLA'. - Antiauthoritarians for liberation.
14/03/2009 – Santiago – CHILE – Butchers shutters super-glued, 'murderers' and '(A)' painted closing the market the next day. - Antiauthoritarians for liberation.

“We do not believe in a hierarchy of actions, like believing that the action that produces the most damage is the most important or that releasing an animal is nothing in comparison to the liberation of thousands of animals. What is important is to smash the fear and to dare to carry out sabotage against the oppressors, because they will not stop exploiting through the power of 'convincing' and the form of pacifism that some believe in.”

- Antiauthoritarians for liberation (CHILE)

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WARM HOMES FOR 20 RABBITS – NETHERLANDS

In the night of Saturday 20th-Sunday 21st of February the Dieren Bevrijdings Front (DBF) liberated 20 young rabbits from a company earning money off the backs of defenceless animals. The rabbits have been re-homed with people who will treat them with love and they will live happy lives in freedom just like it should be.



The rabbits were in large numbers in a dark shed without any daylight coming in. The rabbits were kept in small wire cages, with eight rabbits in each. They had no space to stand up or to lay down in a normal way (if that would even be possible on a wire cage floor).

There was an overwhelming smell of urine and some of the rabbits had eaten each others fur due to stress and boredom. We also found a few dead rabbits (see photo) between the other rabbits.

The rabbits who will survive this hell will eventually die a cruel death in a slaughterhouse after 10 weeks.

The DBF will never accept this hidden animal cruelty and will keep on fighting for every animal that suffers for the cruel needs of humans.

A few facts about the suffering of rabbits raised for meat:

- Each year two million rabbits are killed for their meat which is mainly exported to France.
- The Netherlands has about 324,000 "meat" rabbits and 40,000 female rabbits used for breeding!
- The meat rabbits are slaughtered after 10 weeks; the female rabbits are killed after breeding for one year.



-The female rabbits give birth seven times a year, and 1 of 5 rabbits die early.

Dieren Bevrijdings Front

Note: We won't give the location where we went so we will be able to return and continue liberating animals.



Hi everyone

First of all, I'd like to say a big thanks to everybody who has written letters of support and sent stamps, POs, writing materials in - its really appreciated and has helped me 'settle in' to prison life.

One thing that sticks in my mind, as the CPS make up their lies and try to fabricate to prove themselves, is that there is a clear line between what is right and wrong and what the vivisectionists do, what the police, government and court try to defend is certainly in the wrong.

As they try to throw proverbial bricks at the Animal Rights movement, try to imprison us for our views and beliefs. One things they can not and will not accept is that, yes they may have 14 Uk activists in prison, but there are hundreds, thousands out there who are willing to pick up the megaphones, placards and leaflets and continue where we left off and fight for those that are restrained in laboratories and dying on cage floors.

The Animal Rights movement is global, with groups in every corner of the globe fighting for the same goal, of equality, compared to our opponents, run by NETCU based in Huntingdon Police

TRUCKS TORCHED AT SLAUGHTERHOUSE - NORWAY

During the night of March 1st, five chicken-transport trucks were set on fire outside "Norsk Kylling," a chicken slaughter-



house and processing plant in Støren. Unfortunately, many other trucks were removed from the area during the fire, or else the damage would have been larger.

Norsk Kylling has been in the media spotlight numerous times for serious breaches of animal welfare laws.

The police and the owner of the trucks believe it's arson, but no one has claimed responsibility for the action yet.

In September 2007 three trucks were destroyed by fire at the same place. No one claimed responsibility for that arson either.

POLICE SEIZE INDYMEDIA SERVER (AGAIN)

On 22 January 2009 an Indymedia server was seized by the Police in Manchester. This was related to postings about the recent Stop Huntingdon Animal Cruelty (SHAC) trial.

Kent Police had e-mailed imc-uk-contact in the morning requesting that personal information about the Judge from the recent SHAC trial in the UK be removed from the site. However this information had already been quickly removed in line with IMC UK policy. The e-mail also requested information relating to the poster be retained. Indymedia as an open posting news service does not log such information about its sources.

The machine was handed to the Police by the management of UK Grid, a Manchester based colocation facility, without a warrant being shown. It is believed that a warrant for this one server may exist and have been issued by a Chief Inspector. As the server was a mirror of the site, it can be concluded that the validity of the seizure wasn't checked, and the police attacked Indymedia infrastructure in the UK.

Other sites that have been affected as a result of this seizure includes London and global Indymedia, an anti-GM soya campaign, Transition Sheffield and an anti-Olympics campaign.

Station and who only care for one thing - money.

Whether its that blood soaked cash filling their pockets or those of animal abusers that is what they protect and I'm sure when I say if we had the money they'd be fighting on 'our side'? But no matter what is thrown at us, we will always prevail, always win because we have good on our side and evil is behind the barbed wire fences, razor wire and CCTV of labs and breeders in this country and across the globe.

And when I hear people saying we have impossible goals, I think of what has been achieved. Twenty years ago there were over 30 companies in the UK breeding animals to be tortured in experiments, now there are just four! We are winning outright, we are defending those beagles, monkeys, rabbits, rats, mice and other animals, set to be mutilated at the hands of thugs and that is why we are getting the reaction we are from the government and their lackies.

"First they ignore you, then they laugh at you, then they fight you and then you win!" - Ghandi

All the best and keep on fighting for what is right.

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POLICE STATION UNDER ATTACK IN MEXICO STATE

The Frente de Liberación Animal – Anti-speciesist México is responsible for the arson inside the Public Ministry of the judicial police in the municipality of Jaltenco in Mexico State. We did this as a response to the slaughter of dogs and cats perpetuated by police in that municipality on February 23. The filthy authorities hid the truth and said that the fire had been caused by a heater and that it had only burned some paper. They know more than anyone that important material was destroyed and that the losses were thousands of pesos.



The war will continue, the torturing police bastards will receive a radical response to the crime of the 23rd.

Jaltenco will burn!

F.L.A.M.A

On the evening of March 6 the Animal Liberation Front-México Anti-speciesist returned for the second time to the Public Ministry of the Judicial Police and painted in protest: 'The fire was not an accident!' and 'F.L.A.M.A..' Then, a few meters ahead in a health center belonging to the torturing government of Mexico State, while police were distracted, we painted on one of its white walls, 'Fire to the police for the massacre of defenseless animals on the 23rd!'

We return to Jaltenco to continue the war!

F.L.A.M.A



On March 10, the state and Jaltenco municipal police in Mexico State found on the outskirts of a state police station a bomb with a metal band, cables, batteries and a clock; in order to look at it they fenced off the area believing that the bomb would explode at any moment; in the end they found that it was a false alarm, and that it was accompanied by a message:

'We will burn down the Judicial MP, soon the fire will be for you'
'Vengeance for the animals murdered on the 23rd'
'F.L.A.M. '

ANIMAL LIBERATION FRONT
www.animalliberationfront.com

The perpetrators of the animal massacre of February 23 are receiving their punishment, with intimidation, threats, paranoia, and fire.

SUPPORT NICOLE SHAC PRISONER & GREEN ANARCHIST

Nicole Vosper was remanded on 19/3/09. Please show her your support by writing to her on the address below:

NICOLE VOSPER VM9385,
HMP Bronzefield,
Woodthorpe Road,
Ashford, Middx, UK.
TW15 3JZ

Nicole was arrested and bailed after 32 separate police raids, involving 700 police officers in the UK, The Netherlands and Belgium on May 1st 2007.

Nicole was charged with "conspiracy to blackmail" Huntingdon Life Sciences and remanded on 16/03/09 at Winchester Crown Court after pleading guilty for reasons she is unable to comment on at present. Nicole is due to be sentenced early next year.

Nicole is a green anarchist with an irrepressible love for the wild. She has been fighting for animal communities since she was a child, starting her first animal rights group at school aged 10. Nicole has been vegan since she was 14 years old to nourish her body, revitalize the land, rivers and forests and end the mass domestication and exploitation of animals of which modern-day meat eating is based upon.

www.myspace.com/vegannicole

ALF VS WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITY

WALLS TAGGED – “15,000 TORTURED EVERY YEAR”

In the night of January the 25th one of the headbuildings from the WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITEIT (NETHERLANDS) has been tagged by ALF members. [sic]

This was to make sure every last person within the university knows what is happening down there. 15.000 TORTURE DEATHS A YEAR! We left names of specifik animals being tortured at the WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITEIT and of course the number of 15.000 and some ALF tags.

NO ONE WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY OF WAGENINGEN CAN SAY THAT THEY DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THIS, THERE HAVE BEEN ENOUGH WARNINGS!!!!!!

We call on the help of every other ALF cell that is active in and around the Netherlands. HELP US, THIS HAS TO STOP NOW! FREE THE ANIMALS FROM THESE SICK FUCKERS WHO CALL THEMSELVES SCIENTISTS!!

Anonymous ALF cell

VEHICLES PAINTED AND TAGGED 'ALF'

In the early morning of february the 24th we went back to the Wageningen University in the Netherlands.

And again we were so forgiving. We vandalised 2 expensive Citroen Picasso's belonging to the Wageningen Unversity. (They had 'University of Wageningen' and their symbols painted all over it, so yeah we are sure) Because of problems we could only leave half a 'ALF' sign in spray-paint.

Let this be a message to everybody within the university. STOP YOUR TORTURING NOW, OR WE WILL MAKE YOU STOP! DO NOT LET YOUR PROPERTY BE THE NEXT VICTIM IN THIS WAR!

ALF NETHERLANDS

PARKING LOT BRICKS SMASH WINDOWS

Under a mystical blue sky we went out in the early morning of march the 9th. This time we paid a visit to the vivisection lab and congres-building of the WAGENINGEN UNIVERSITY.

You people shouldn't let so many loose bricks lay around on your parking lot. We smashed 2 windows with them. WE WANT TO SEE THE UNIVERSITY OF WAGENINGEN TAKE ACTION NOW! Do not wait for the BIG BOMB! We don't want to throw it, but you certainly don't want to receive it.

Have fun working in the cold SCUM.
Animal Liberation Front



MONKEYS FIGHT BACK AGAINST TRAINER - CHINA

Three angry monkeys turned on their cruel trainer and beat him with his own stick. One of the trio bit him and pulled out handfuls of his hair. When one of the monkeys refused to ride on a child's bicycle in a street performance in Sizhou, in eastern China, their owner beat it with a stick.

Although they were tied to the man with ropes attached to their collars, the monkeys appear to have decided to fight back. The two animals came to the defence of the third monkey, grabbing the stick from the man, pulling on his ear and biting his head. When he dropped his cane, one monkey snatched it up and began beating the trainer on the head until he broke the stick, witnesses said. The dazed trainer told his audience: "They were once wild and these performances don't always come naturally to them. They may have built up some feelings of hatred towards me." Local police are apparently investigating allegations of animal cruelty and may confiscate the monkeys from the man. Performances with monkeys are a common sight in markets and squares in China, but the treatment of the animals is frequently criticised by animal rights organisations.



STEVE PEARL & NETCU – WE KNOW WHERE YOU WORK



After some netcu related hilarity during the past few days demonstrations at Harlan, HLS Wooley and HLS Occuld we took PCs Bacon and the officer we know as "Dave" in to the main Cambridgeshire Police Headquarters. And a police officer dropped a real clanger.

Please address all complaints regarding NETCU policing policy not to the PO Box but to the actual geographical address which is now confirmed as:

Steven Pearl, Constabulary HQ, Hinchingsbrooke Park, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire. PE29 6NP

How do we know this? www.netcu.wordpress.com

TWO DAYS OF RIOTING AT BULLRING – MEXICO

Autonomous individuals for the abolition of tauricide claimed acts of sabotage and vandalism during the February 1st march at the 'monumental' Plaza de Toros México:

- The painting of a police van with the words Torturers!, at a checkpoint on the outskirts of the inquisitorial plaza.
- Muriatic acid bombs were thrown inside it, which shocked the accomplices of bullfighting.
- Bulbs of red paint and oil were thrown on the walls.
- Rotten fruit was thrown at people who were prepared to enjoy themselves at the cost of the humiliating death of an animal.
- And finally a couple of reporters from the mainstream media of misinformation were bathed in urine.

We hit the walls of the plazas de toros!

During the demonstration on February 5 (the date on which the bullfighters celebrate the anniversary of the largest bullring in Mexico) various direct action groups demonstrated that the radical movement for total liberation is growing day by day.

The riots began when police attempted to arrest one of the activists; after getting away from the police ring, the walls of the arena were stained with red, black, green and other colors of paint thrown in glass bottles; the windshields of bullfighter's cars were smashed by stones and sticks; 'Shitty speciesists!' was painted on one of the arena's great walls; the walls of the square shook with the roar of a large homemade bomb, excrement was hurled at a barbecue that was being held by animal torture sympathizers; one of those anthrocentric bastards was physically attacked; there was a small clash between activists and the repressive police force; much later in the bullfighting museum their 'beautiful' decorations were attacked, smelly rotten fruit was thrown into the building and stones were thrown at one of the imbeciles dominating the earth and its inhabitants.

At the conclusion of the demonstration, 13 activists had been arrested and deprived of their liberty, so it is because of this that in this communique we express our full solidarity and support.

Freedom to people arrested for animal liberation!

Fire to the police, the bullrings and the prisons, along with their jailers!



BITE BACK #14, MARCH 2009 – OUT NOW

Check out the new issue of Bite Back magazine featuring an essay by Will Potter about the making of an animal rights "terrorist" (the Fran Trutt story), a review of a Louisiana cockfighter's battle with his insurance company following an ALF arson, the story of the Hawkeye Mink Cooperative break-in, a look back at 2008, news, prisoner letters, action reports from around the world and more! 36 pages. See www.directaction.info/magazine.htm or email info@directaction.info to get yourself a copy.

SOLIDARITY WITH THE AETA 4 IN CALIFORNIA

On February 19th and 20th, the FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force arrested Adriana Stumpo, 23; Nathan Pope, 26; Joseph Buddenberg, 25; and Maryam Khajavi, 20 – 4 people it described as "terrorists". Their "terrorism" apparently consisted of writing with chalk on a sidewalk, wearing bandanas while protesting, and distributing flyers about animal research at UCSC. No, seriously.



From Sticks And Stones (www.sticksandstonesscz.blogspot.com):

The background of this farce includes years of expansion of police power under the rhetoric of combating a "terrorism" which has come to focus, not on Al-Qaeda or abortion clinic bombers, but on scapegoats connected to protests against war, the destruction of the earth and animal life, and other affects of modern capitalist civilization. In particular there has also been a heated campaign over the past few years against experimentation on live animals in the University of California system which has seen sabotage as well as demonstrations against vivisection. (The state response has already seen federal, local and UC police raid the Long Haul Infoshop in Berkeley as well as a private residence in Santa Cruz to steal computers and literature, and the FBI forcibly acquiring DNA samples. And if you think these kinds of powers will be used only against anti-vivisection activists, think again.)

But Nathan, Adriana, Maryam and Joseph are not charged with any destructive acts. They are the first people to be charged under the Animal Enterprise Terrorism Act of 2007, which basically makes bothering anyone who does anything with animals an act of "terrorism". The lengths to which the U.S government has gone to construct this spectacle are, indeed, spectacular - setting up surveillance cameras in a coffee shop, tracking the legal use of public internet terminals, even DNA testing bandanas while the same government says it doesn't have the money to help states use DNA testing in death penalty cases, possibly exonerating innocent people on death row! But there is money for DNA testing of activists' bandanas?!

On the one hand, it is the construction of a bogeyman or public enemy as the justification for expanding police control over every aspect of life. It also recuperates the prestige of police power which has so far been embarassingly unable to bring any suspects or evidence in the cases of the sabotage and arson - presumably causing some unease to the scientists and administrators of UC as well as their partners in the pharmaceutical industry. It was just time to arrest someone, no matter who - more visible activists are simply the easiest to strike at, regardless of their activities, much like the Haymarket martyrs. The fact that Kinko's as well as local business Cafe Pergolesi cooperated extensively with the police in this case shows how the business of cops and courts goes hand in hand with the business of business as usual. We can expect that as the economic depression continues to provoke dissatisfaction with the social order, we can see a mounting number of "terrorists", animal lovers or no, facing crushing punishments for daring to step out of line in any way. Of course, the mainstream press has heavily implied, along with the police, that these 4 people are "guilty until proven innocent" of the other recent acts against animal research in California.

See www.aeta4.org, www.greenisthenewred.com and www.indybay.org for news and updates.

On March 13, 2009, animal rights activist Jordan Halliday was found in contempt of court for refusing to testify before a grand jury (a secret proceeding where witnesses are not allowed to have attorneys present). He may be held until the grand jury closes in June.

Please send letters of support to: Jordan Halliday #324013, c/o Salt Lake County Metro Jail, 3415 S. 900 W. Salt Lake City, UT 84119. USA. See www.supportjordan.com for updates.

SUPPORT MEL – SENTENCED TO 10 YEARS FOR ‘CONSPIRACY’



Mel Broughton was sentenced to 10 years on February 13th 2009 in connection with the SPEAK campaign. Mel has been told he must serve at least five years before being eligible for release.

A jury cleared him of possessing explosive substances, but failed to reach a verdict on other charges. Following his retrial in 2009 he was convicted and sentenced to 10 years in prison for 'conspiracy to commit arson'.

Evidence against him was flimsy, including:

- His moral support for illegal direct action, which he was perfectly open about.
- His previous convictions for arson, which again is no secret.
- His speeches against the Oxford lab, which were perfectly legal
- Possession of some sparklers, which isn't illegal.
- Supposed DNA evidence on an match found on an incendiary device, which an expert claimed in court to be fatally flawed.

A spokesperson for SPEAK Campaigns vowed to continue the fight; "We are more determined than ever to continue the campaign against Oxford University's abuse of animals,"

Please send letters of support to:

Mel Broughton (TN9138), HMP Woodhill, Tattenhoe Street, Milton Keynes, Bucks. MK4 4DA.

SUPPORT BRYAN GRIFFITHS – CHARGED WITH MURDER OVER HUNT DEATH

Last week there was a terrible and tragic accident during whilst Hunt Monitors monitored a Fox Hunt to ensure they did not break the law. Two Hunt Monitors were in a privately owned Gyrocopter. The Gyrocopter landed for fuel and at least one of the hunt supporters went up to confront the Hunt Monitors. Sadly in doing so the hunt supporter was hit by the gyrocopter and died. Sam Butler, of the Warwickshire Hunt, said it was a "tragic but fatal accident".

However, despite the obvious facts this was an accident, the police decided to arrest the two people in the gyrocopter on suspicion of murder. As a result of that, Bryan Griffiths (the pilot of the gyrocopter) has now been formally charged with murder and has been remanded into custody.

This is such a blatant miscarriage of justice, please send urgent letters of support to:

Bryan Griffiths XW8892, HMP Hewell, Hewell Lane, Redditch, Worcestershire. B97 6QS

Please remember, when writing to Bryan that he is up on a very very very serious charge, so don't say anything like "the bastard deserved it" or anything like that. This was a tragic accident and Bryan never intended to even injure the hunt supporter, yet alone kill him.

Vegan Prisoners Support Group

www.vpsg.org
www.alfsa.org.uk

EARTH LIBERATION HIGHLIGHTS

EARTH DESTROYING MACHINE SABOTAGED - MEXICO

December 30:

The exploiters with their big machines lap up the earth leaving deforestation and environmental destruction, replacing the little nature that is left with pavement and monstrous constructions, but the resistance still exists, we have not stopped the wild ones from existing and while the abusers don't stop wanting to dominate the earth and its inhabitants, we the Frente de Liberación de la Tierra will continue hitting hard.

This time an urban construction machine was sabotaged with most of the cables cut, leaving it unusable and blocking the street until they moved it by other means.

Green anarchists for total liberation!

Wild and radical sabotage!

FLT - Mexico

TELMEX PHONE BOOTH SET ON FIRE - MEXICO

On January 1st we set fire to a phone booth of the disgusting Telmex company; the fire filled the booth and left it unusable.

This is a new year message to Telmex: We are going to burn you!

Frente de Liberación de la Tierra de México (FLTM)

ELVES SABOTAGE ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND – UK

Self-promoted as 'The Oil & Gas Bank' RBS fanatically finance dangerous oil and gas projects, accelerating climate change, forcing species into poverty, migration and wars as murderers continue to burn and exploit the planets natural 'resources'.

In 2006 alone the greedy bankers pumped \$10 billion into fossil fuels funding corporations demanding drilling rigs, pipelines, oil tankers and other tools destroying the Earth and its population.

It should come as no surprise that Elves sabotaged a RBS bank in the south west, gluing the doors closed in resistance to anthropocentric policies. This action was inspired by the ecoteur who shut down Kingsnorth power station, reducing UK climate change emissions by 2% and the eco-anarchist cell for direct attack.

For the collapse of civilization, the sabotage will continue.

- Earth Liberation Front

MEXICAN ACTIONS



07/01/2009 – 5 Telmex phone booths burned by the Earth Liberation Front.
08/01/2009 – 15 Telmex phones spray-painted on buttons and screens, handsets sabotaged. - ELF
12/01/2009 – 10 Telmex phone booths vandalized with spray-paint by the Luddites Against the Domestication of Wild Nature (LCDNS).
16/01/2009 – 20 Telmex phone vandalized. – ELF
22/01/2009 - 'Destroyers,' 'Murderers' and 'F.L.T.' spray-painted on machines for urban expansion, one of them set on fire. - ELF
08/02/2009 – 5 Telmex phones set on fire. - ELF
09/02/09 – 9 Telmex phones glued and cut. – LCDNS
19/02/009 – 10 Telmex phones super-glued. – ELF
24/02/2009 – 20 Telmex phones super-glued, glass advertisement, luxury car stained. – LCDNS
28/02/2009 – 8 Telmex phones spray-painted. – LCDNS
09/03/2009 – 5 Telmex phones sabotaged. – LCDNS
11/03/2009 – Graffiti in opposition to domestication on walls. – LCDNS
14/03/2009 – Several animal exploiting businesses glued, Telmex phones sabotaged. - LCDNS

RESERVE DESTROYING MACHINE TORCHED - MEXICO



An important ecological reserve located in Mexico City (D.F.) is being destroyed by people who consider the land their property; plants and many trees have been ripped up from the roots for the expansion of Civilization; because of this the ELF could not remain still.

On the night of January 29 we destroyed the window of one of their machines and we sprayed enough gasoline to leave the machine that destroys the earth completely unusable.

Damages are estimated to be several thousand pesos for those bastard dominators of the earth. The response will be like this, hard and to the point, if they continue the massacre!

FLT/ELF México

FULL COMMUNIQUE FROM UNI ACTION - MEXICO

Complete communique of the action of January 29:

In the early morning of January 29, the submissive firefighters in Mexico City (D.F.) quelled a fire within the premises of the College of Sciences and Humanities south campus (CCH Sur) of the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM). There a machine which destroys the Earth was left forever unusable, and the administration offices of the campus were burned.



The Frente de Liberación de la Tierra (ELF) claimed this attack through a contact; we were informed that the university had been destroying a large part of the ecological reserve where a so-called 'education' center is being built, several varieties of trees and diverse plants were cut down, considered to be in the way of their ability to expand their facilities, and their mastery over nature; the progress and education that they extol in their classrooms is always based on domination and anthropocentrism. In this act by the UNAM, it is more than clear that not only do they wish to dominate and mold the minds of students, they also seek to expand the same control over the land and the animals that inhabit her. That's why the destructive machine was burned, and why we also decided to set a fire on campus, now an indisputable part of the ecocide that education implements, which only wants to produce people who are submissive to authority and power; they create beings who are unable to think and act for themselves and are only educated to produce and consume.

The mass media of miscommunication, which hid the machine which had been burned, only now announced that part of the administrative offices had been burned, and that this had been

THE WHALE WARS



Indymedia UK report:

The flagship of the Sea Shepherd Conservation Society, the M/Y Steve Irwin, is heading back from the Antarctic Whale Sanctuary where it has been on patrol to enforce international conservation regulations in protection of the area's great whales. Since its departure from Brisbane, Australia on December 4th, the ship and its crew have been involved in various confrontations with a Japanese Whaling Fleet, which continues to operate a commercial whale hunt in the area illegally.

On December 26th, the Steve Irwin confronted the Japanese vessel Kaiko Maru. The ships collided and Sea Shepherd crew deployed butyric acid on its decks.

The Kaiko Maru had been undertaking a detour in the ice pack area after completing the day's research activities, according to the Institute Of Cetacean Research (ICA). The Steve Irwin pursued and came alongside the Kaiko Maru for anti-whaling activists to throw 10 bottles of butyric acid (rotten butter) and 15 bottles of a methyl cellulose and indelible dye mixture.

caused by Porro (shock groups); we want to make clear that the ELF/FLT is not composed of such people, who are sent by their bosses to do absurd and meaningless things; our reasons are clear, as we struggle for total liberation (animal, land and human), and if anything blocks us we will face it until its complete destruction and elimination.

We know that the estimated damage of this action was thousands of pesos, but still we are not satisfied with that, and we will continue making war on all that oppresses us and will not allow us all to be happy-- us, animals and the land.

This was just a little message, for those who profit at the expense of the destruction and domination of the ecosystem.

ELF/FLT México

FLAMING BARRICADE BLOCKS HIGHWAY - MEXICO

We have blocked a major highway in Mexico State with a barricade made by the Luddites Against Domestication of Wild Nature. The fire lit up the dark night of peace and tranquility for those people who carry in large trucks 'raw materials' extracted directly from the earth. The chaos was again before the eyes of the police who arrived on the scene to put out the incendiary fiesta.

We break their precious social order with our wild, insurgent and radical methods of struggle.

EARTH DESTROYING MACHINES TORCHED – MEXICO

Urban expansion is one of the biggest ecological problems, with roads being built over fertile land comes loads of consequences such as pollution, warming of the ground with excessive heat, massive felling of trees, etc. The expansion of civilization and its unnecessary technology leaves the world in the hands of the powerful who control the repressive state apparatus ready to stop any kind of resistance that is put in front of them to halt their run of destruction.

It is for this reason that on the night of February 22 we of the ELF decided to go out at night in Mexico State and set fire to a machine that destroys the earth and a truck owned by the dominators.

We say it once again, there will be no mercy until the abolition of all that oppresses us.

F.L.T/E.L.F

ECO-ANARCHIST CELL SABOTAGE THE CITY – MEXICO

Capitalism is the principal cause of the destruction of plant and animal life on this planet, the oppressor and murderer of wild life, exploiter of people, animals and the environment for the benefit of



From 1st February the whaling operation was shut down for 8 days straight as Sea Shepherd pursued the factory ship Nisshin Maru. On February 4th, Sea Shepherd reported that the three harpoon vessels of the fleet attacked the Steve Irwin. All three harpoon ships moved in to flank the Steve Irwin as the Sea Shepherd ship continued to chase the factory ship Nisshin Maru.

On February 6th, the Steve Irwin collided with a harpoon ship twice, when they tried to block it from offloading a dead whale onto the factory ship Nisshin Maru. No injuries occurred during the collision. The Japanese Whaling fleet decided to stop running from Sea Shepherd and recommenced whale slaughtering which has provoked confrontations between the whalers and Sea Shepherd activists.

According to Captain Paul Watson: "We told them to not continue their illegal whaling operations and that we would be blocking the stern slipway of the factory ship. They decided to test our resolve and apparently expected us to retreat when they charged in ahead of us to make the transfer."

www.seashepherd.org

the powerful and the corporations; in Mexico war is declared.



So many hectares of forests and jungles are cleared for the sole purpose of building centers for shopping and tourism, over the dead bodies of the trees and animals they build shopping malls, banks, golf courses, hunting lodges, hotels, all reserved for a small group of filthy capitalists so that they can enrich the base of exploitation.

They deceive the people, saying that this 'progress' will bring more

employment; some give in, others resist but in the end are murderers in the place where they were born, where they grew up, where they live.

It can not continue like this!

The powerful have to feel our fury at their properties, in their corporations, in their cars, and even in their own houses; we need to torment them, to remind them of the shit that they do day by day to this beautiful planet where we live, to remind them that while they are sleeping peacefully there are many people who are suffering and surviving the hardships of this system.

For these reasons and more we claim the following sabotages:

Tuesday, March 10, 2009:

- A harmless acid bomb was detonated in a well-to-do area in Mexico City.
- 8 windows at a K.F.C. were smashed.
- The windows and a security camera of a bank were smashed.

The video is called: '19 seconds of social war' and in it we try to show how much can be done in a few seconds of our lives to break with the reality of oppression and exploitation, for a few short seconds, to feel the adrenaline of abolition, for a few moments carrying out the fight against the state and capital.

Social war is not a joke or a fad, but a reality in constant development and growth.

Social war is inevitable.

Eco-anarchist cell for direct attack.
México d.f.



"Many less whales have been killed and more whaling profits lost. The whaling fleet will not meet its quota for the fourth year in a row."

With the Japanese Whaling Fleet using three harpoon boats, Sea Shepherd does not have the resources to prevent the harpooning of whales. Once harpooned, the whales need to be transferred to the rear slipway of the factory ship, the Nisshin Maru. Sea Shepherd have endeavored to block the transferring of dead whales by placing their boat, the Steve Irwin, right behind the Nisshin Maru. Both collisions occurred in this situation with the Japanese attempting to force Sea Shepherd from blocking access to the Nisshin Maru slipway, while pounding the activists with hire pressure water jets, Longe Range acoustic Devices (LRD) which can daze or confuse people within its range, and metal objects.

Sea Shepherd says they pursued the Japanese whaling fleet for over 2000 miles between December 18th and January 7th disrupting their whaling operations for 19 days. "The Steve Irwin returned and relocated the whaling fleet shutting down operations of the fleet for an additional 8 days. We can claim 27 days that we physically prevented the whalers from killing whales.



RIOTING IN LONDON – BATTLE OF KENSINGTON

Two weeks into Israel's latest war of aggression against the people of Palestine over 800 people are dead, over 257 of which are children. Around the world there have been militant protests and on the 10th January saw the second UK national demonstration since the invasion took place in London. Between 50,000 and 100,000 people took part in the march, which went from London's Hyde Park to the Israeli embassy. Other demonstrations and actions took place across the country over the whole weekend.

"Four shops in total had their windows put through, two Starbucks, one very posh opticians and for good measure a very posh clothes shop called Top Gun (wall to wall fur coats) so was good day for everyone. The police were extremely violent and willingly pushed large crowds of protesters into and over rows of upturned barriers, this is when many injuries occurred. At least four police helmets, 3 riot shields and some other filthy apparel was confiscated by the protesters who used it to defend themselves against the pressing riot cops. Fireworks were thrown at police and the bastards in uniform were made to dance as they went off." - ARA

EDO SMASHED – SOLIDARITY WITH THE PEOPLE OF GAZA

Anti-militarist activists entered the ITT/EDO MBM arms factory in Moultescombe, Brighton in the early hours of January 17th, where they caused extensive damage to the offices, amounting to over a quarter of a million pounds. This included equipment used to make arms, including the 'zero retention force arming units' and 'ejector release unit 151' which supply to the Israeli Air Force. A phone call from those inside the factory in the morning said that they were 'decommissioning' the factory in solidarity with the people of Gaza, who are currently at the receiving end of the factory's products.



Please write to two activists who are still remanded in prison:
 Robert Alford VP 7552, HMP Lewes, 1 Brighton Rd, Lewes, Sussex. BN7 1EA
 Elija Smith VP 7551, HMP Bristol, 19 Cambridge Rd, Horfield. BS7 8PS

See www.smashedo.org.uk for the Smash EDO campaign and www.decommissioners.wordpress.com to support the prisoners.

WHO ARE WE?



Antispeciesist Action is a collective of militant antispeciesists and animal liberationists committed to confronting animal abuse, suffering and exploitation of non-human beings through the use of direct action. We believe in the 'No Compromise' philosophy, veganism and actively support the Animal Liberation Front (ALF) and animal liberation prisoners. We are opposed to capitalism and the state, understanding that without both entities, the universal exploitation of animals would not be possible.

Until Every Cage Is Empty!

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BANK OF ENGLAND**

WWW.G-20MELTDOWN.ORG

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!

What a banker...



The Bankers are having a laugh - still - at our expense. They pocket \$650,000 a year pensions - for life! We get redundancies, closed shops, houses repossessed, the dole queue, no future for our kids.

Gordon Brown and Peter Mandelson are responsible for the credit crunch as much as their banker pals - pals shared with Cameron and Osborne's City slickers.

The pathetic TUC can only organise boring bog standard marches from A to B addressed by Labour has been - trying to keep a lid on our anger.

In every street there are empty woolworths which should be seized and turned into action centres or indoor car boot sales. Sacked workers should occupy factories and offices, home repossessions should be resisted.

We should kick the bankers and their political cronies out of the city and out of power.

This is really the beginning of the end...

**"IF YOU MUG A PENSIONER ON THE STREET YOU GET NICKED...
IF A BANKER ROBS SOMEONE'S PENSION HE GETS A YACHT"**

THREE DAYS TO FIGHT BACK!

The Spring Offensive

MARCH 28TH "PUT PEOPLE FIRST"
Embankment (11am) marching to Hyde Park Corner

APRIL 1ST "FINANCIAL FOOLS DAY"
Bank Of England (12pm noon)
Assemble Cannon Street, Moorgate, Liverpool Street or London Bridge 11am

APRIL 1ST "CLIMATE CAMP"
European Climate Exchange (12pm noon)
Haslwood House
62 Bishopsgate EC2N 4AW

APRIL 2ND "G20 MELTDOWN"
Excel Centre Canning Town (All day)

WWW.G-20MELTDOWN.ORG

WORLD DAY

FOR ANIMALS IN LABORATORIES

NATIONAL MARCH AND RALLY IN LONDON, 25 APRIL 2009

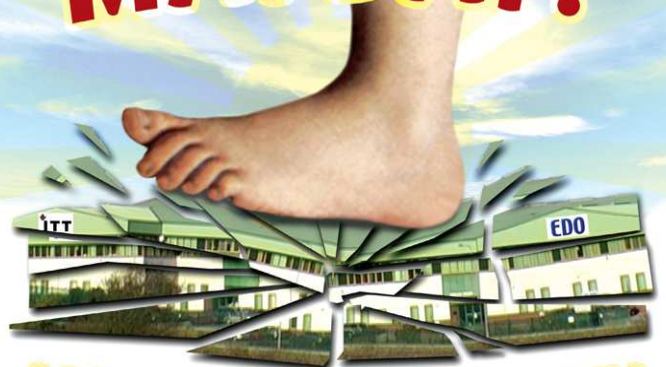
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