



Bayer Statement on the National Association of Black Farmers' Proposed Legal Filing

Racism has no place in our society or at Bayer. This threatened lawsuit is brought by two law firms that are holdouts in the Roundup product liability litigation and people should see this action for what it is – an attempt by plaintiffs' lawyers to use media and more litigation to further their own financial interests.

There is no basis in fact or law for the health claims in this suit, as Roundup has been assessed and approved by independent health regulators worldwide, including the EPA, which have found that Roundup can be used safely as directed. Farmers have many choices and select the seeds and chemistries that best meet their needs. Competition and choice are alive and well in agriculture and benefit farmers equally.