

Risk analysis – OX513A *Aedes aegypti* mosquito for potential release on the Cayman Islands (Grand Cayman), Prepared Oct 2009.

Corrigenda to the Risk Analysis

Page 10:

“The repressible lethality element is a self mitigating trait in the environment, as the progeny that inherit the genetic element will die...”

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Page 14:

*“The genetically sterile (homozygous) male *Aedes aegypti* mosquitoes which mate with wild females to produce (heterozygous) offspring that will all die as larvae or pupae in the absence of a food supplement (Phuc et al. 2007).”*

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“...due to the self-limiting genetic lethality i.e the progeny will die...”

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