

## TESTING - TGA - FIRE WATER PROJECT

Since the introduction of water fluoridation in the 1950s by the various State governments and Territories the added fluorine compounds have never been tested for safety or efficacy by the proper authorities.

The pretext for water fluoridation is to prevent and delay tooth decay. As fluorine compounds are added according to a formula to treat the consumer, not the water, courts have ruled they are medicines.

The Commonwealth Therapeutic Goods Agency (the TGA) is the government body responsible for determining the safety and efficacy of medicines in Australia. The TGA has never tested the fluorine compounds because it does not consider fluoridated water to be a therapeutic good. Furthermore, the TGA is aware these fluorine compounds are listed poisons and are for use other than human use. Nor does the TGA consider fluorine compounds to be permitted additives for water.

As approximately 99% of the fluoridated water is used for non-drinking purposes, most of this contaminated water finds its way into the environment. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in each State and Territory is responsible for protecting the waterways and other environment. But because of the water fluoridation law the EPA has no control over fluorine compounds being dumped into Council water supplies. The EPA will however prosecute for the dumping of these same chemical fluoride waste streams into our oceans.

The National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme - part of Dept Health and Ageing is another government department responsible for the control and destruction of chemical waste. Again this authority has no role in ensuring fluorine compounds are not disposed of through town water supplies.

The flowchart clearly shows how each of the authorities responsible for ensuring the safety of Australians' health and environment claim no responsibility for the dumping of toxic waste into Council water supplies. This is why the medical fraud has been able to continue in Australia for more than 50 years. It is not the same in other countries where the proper authorities have conducted the appropriate testing and banned water fluoridation.

The Fluorine compounds added to the public water supplies do not come from a natural source, as the Public Health Authorities would have the general public believe. Fluoride is any combination of fluorine with another element or chemical group of elements. Thus, the addition of fluorides to the drinking water can indicate the addition of a large number of chemical agents. These chemical agents include aluminium, lead, arsenic, cadmium and mercury, all of which are highly toxic heavy metals links to many serious diseases such as Alzheimer's, Dementia, cancers, Autism, Arthritis Down's Syndrome, to mention just a few.

The most commonly used fluorides for this purpose are sodium fluoride, NaF, and compounds that contain both fluorine and silicon. Such agents are collectively called "Fluorosilicates." They include fluorosilicic acid, fluorosilicate, hydrofluosilicic acid, and hexafluorosilicic acid, none of which have been tested by the proper authorities, for safety and efficacy.

The fluorine compounds come into existence in the production of aluminium and phosphate fertilizers. The fluorine gas, resulting from this production is captured by wet scrubbers and combines with other industrial waste such as aluminium, lead, copper, mercury, etc. The result is the fluoride that is then delivered to Councils as additives for water supplies. An example of the type of fluoride being added to water supplies is shown on the Orica Data Safety Sheet. Not only are these chemicals recommended for water fluoridation but also for industrial steel degassing, wood, adhesive preservative, electroplating, glass manufacture, and as a disinfectant. This type of fluoride is clearly industrial grade and not fit for human consumption.

The US EPA and National Health and Research Effects laboratory has not done any human scientific testing on the safety and efficacy of fluoride.

The many peer independent scientific testing conducted on fluorine compounds has found it nothing more than a poison. When ingested through drinking water it has been proven to cause serious harm to both humans and nature. This testing is consistent with the statements provided by the TGA that fluorine compounds are poisons, for use other than human use, and not permitted additives for water.

In those countries where fluoride is banned as an additive to water supplies, the proper authorities were able to test the safety and efficacy of fluoride. After proper testing these countries banned the use of fluoride in water supplies.