

**Quotes from the 1979 Report prepared for the Quebec Minister of the Environment
by the Advisory Committee on the artificial fluoridation of water supplies, titled
“Fluorides, Fluoridation and Environmental Quality”**

“Full-scale retrospective epidemiological studies whose scientific value has been demonstrated before the courts have revealed that there is a marked correlation between increased cancer mortality rates and the artificial fluoridation of public water supplies.” p. 3-4 (Bill 88 - A Quebec Bill to adopt drinking water fluoridation.)

“On the other hand, it has not yet been established with any certainty that water with the recommended level of fluoridation is effective in preventing tooth decay.” p. 128-129

“We must recognize that in this respect we are witnessing the most extensive toxicological study ever made on the human race , and that this study is being carried out without the consent of the people involved.” p. 129

“A number of studies, carried out under strict controls, have shown that there has been a substantial increase in fluorides in water, in food and in the atmosphere, and that those exposed perforce absorb a much higher amount daily than the 1 to 2 mg considered safe by the WHO. In the circumstances, the committee is of the opinion that an additional amount of fluorides would be not only useless but dangerous. In other words, we should be more concerned about possible intoxication than with deficiencies of fluorides.” p. 138-139

“The scientific value of studies on dental caries is being questioned because of the great number of variables , all of which can influence the research results in important ways and which are not controllable.” p. 254

“Fluorine is highly toxic for the human organism, and there is only a very thin line dividing the acceptable level from the toxic level.” p. 254

“Recent studies have shown that fluorides have mutagenic properties, and that even a low level of fluorides can cause changes in the genetic material of cells. These data are very significant because mutagenesis is a first evidence of carcinogenesis in the body.” p. 255

“Extensive retrospective epidemiological studies, embracing large population segments observed over a number of years, have shown significant correlation between the cancer mortality rate and artificial fluoridation of drinking water. The results of these studies are extremely important because they are closely related to the mutagenic properties of fluorides; this has been demonstrated by scientific experiments under the most rigid controls.” p. 255

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