

FW: libel by one of your employees

Bruce Biewald

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To: Frank Ackerman

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Frank,

FYI.

Bruce

From: Richard Tol [R.Tol@sussex.ac.uk]

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To: Bruce Biewald

Subject: libel by one of your employees

Dear Mr Biewald,

I draw your attention to the attached letter by an associate editor of Ecological Economics. In the letter, Professor Stern notes that a paper by Ackerman and Munitz contains statements that are false, and that the authors knew these statements were false at the time they submitted the final version of the paper.

I understand that Frank Ackerman recently joined your company.

You should know that Mr Ackerman submitted the same falsehoods in a chapter of an edited volume to be published by Oxford University Press, and in a book to be published by Routledge. I have asked the publishers to amend the texts before publication.

I urge you to remind your employee that libel is against the law.

Yours sincerely,

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