## letter to the Editor

## More on Cancer "Dating"

## To the Editor of Thammasart Med J

I have read the special article entitled "Dating" Cancers published in TMJ's April-June 2019 issue with much appreciation. However, besides the long list of cancers and risk factors mentioned in the text, more facts should be added. For example, glyphosate, a weed killer, recently was described by Dr. Michelle Schoffro Cook in the free e-newsletter World's Healthiest News (https://www.care2/greenliving/new-study-links-glyphostae-pesticided-to-advanced-liver disease.html; retrieved on 8/5/2019) as the cause of advanced liver diseases, cancers of the brain, breast, prostate and lung, and non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (designated by the World Health Organization (WHO) in 2015).

Worthy of note is that glyphosate has been the favorite weed killer used by Thai farmers, side by side with paraquat, a known cause of the severe neurological disorder, Parkinson's disease.

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