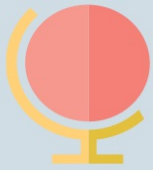


HOW WILL THE TPP AFFECT YOU?

The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) is a "free" trade deal between Canada, the United States, Mexico and nine other countries, representing 40% of the global economy.



diminished sovereignty

Corporations will have the right to sue governments for changes in policies that threaten profit.



gold-plated corporate rights

Corporations are accorded privileged legal rights not given to citizens or states.



unfair competition

Restrictions imposed on Crown corporations will not give them "preferential" treatment.



local jobs at risk

Foreign companies have the same rights as local companies to government contracts, erasing any buy local programs.



food insecurity

Our ability to protect our own production and markets will be significantly diminished.



higher drug costs

Pharmaceutical patents will be extended, which means that some cheaper generic drugs will be less available.



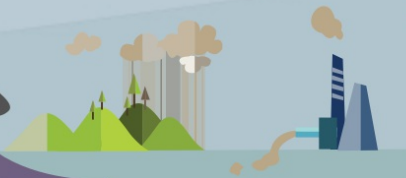
decreased wages

Corporations benefit from new rights while workers in all countries will see lower wages and job losses.



environmental risks

Corporate lawsuits are often used to challenge policies that protect the environment. In these disputes, corporations almost always win.



who benefits?

Studies show that trade deals like the TPP and their corporate lawsuits benefit very large corporations and wealthy individuals. Experts are now saying that the TPP will result in job losses and only minimal economic growth in Canada.

