

Scottish Salmon Watch, 25 October 2019

**[Beware the Nightmare of Scottish Salmon](#)
[- 'Frankenfish' protest at Mowi on Halloween](#)**



Protestors dressed as Frankenfish, zombies and skeletons will be raising hell on Halloween next week (31 October) outside [Mowi's noisy and stinky feed factory](#) on the Isle of Skye. Yesterday, Scottish Salmon Watch [published gruesome photos obtained from the Scottish Government via Freedom of Information](#) showing Scottish salmon afflicted with wounds, deformities, welfare problems and plagued by infectious diseases, parasites and nasty pathogens.



Photos: Scottish salmon from Mowi's Stulaigh Island farm in Loch Eynort

On Wednesday (30 October), [Mowi presents Q3 2019 financial results](#) which are [expected to report huge losses following mass mortalities and Infectious Salmon Anaemia in Canada](#).



Mowi changed their name from Marine Harvest in January 2019 ([despite objections from the Mowinckel family](#)) with CEO Alf Helge Aarskog [admitting that the re-brand was due to negative consumer perception](#).

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Alf-Helge Aarskog, CEO Mowi. Photo: Joar Grindheim

Negative perception of Marine Harvest behind switch to Mowi

Can a new name overcome the negativity? The company is determined to conquer the market with a concept that is "very hard to copy."

Don Staniford, [Director of Scottish Salmon Watch](#) (Tel: 07771 541826), said:

"Scottish salmon farming is an X-rated horror show. If anyone still has doubts how horrific conditions are inside a salmon farm then please look if you dare at the gruesome photos of Scottish salmon obtained via Freedom of Information and secret filming. Scottish salmon is the nightmare at Christmas which should be avoided like the plague. Please [take the pledge](#) not to eat farmed salmon even RSPCA Assured, 'responsibly sourced' and so-called 'organic' salmon. Make 2019 the year you boycott farmed and dangerous Scottish salmon."



John Robins of [Animal Concern](#) (Tel: 07721-605521) said:

"The Scottish Government is responsible for a real-life horror story involving dead and deaf seals, scared whales and dolphins and tens of millions of fish being eaten alive by disease and parasites. Salmon farming shames Scotland and desecrates our beautiful coastal waters and once pristine beaches. Instead of promoting salmon farming Nicola Sturgeon and her Ministers should be policing it and prosecuting the many farmers [breaching the Animal Health and Welfare Act](#) and polluting our seas and beaches."



Anna Liberadzki of [SumOfUs](#) said:

"Scotland's so-called 'sustainable' salmon is actually a welfare horror show. From many farms we've seen gruesome images of damaged and diseased salmon, with sea lice feeding on their open wounds. Marine Scotland has so far ignored the calls of [over 44,000 SumOfUs members](#) to conduct immediate, unannounced on-the-spot inspections of all Scottish salmon farms to assess fish welfare. While we're waiting for these vital investigations, the Scottish government must step in and halt all salmon farm expansion – right now."



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Download the poster and advert which appears in this week's West Highland Free Press [online here](#) (version with Fergus Ewing's head [online here](#); version with Alf Helge Aarskog head [online here](#))



Watch a [video report from Don Staniford of Scottish Salmon Watch](#) outside Mowi's [stinky and noisy feed factory](#) on the Isle of Skye:



Photos of Mowi's 'healthy' and [RSPCA Assured 'welfare friendly'](#) farmed salmon are available [online here](#)

 **Don Staniford**
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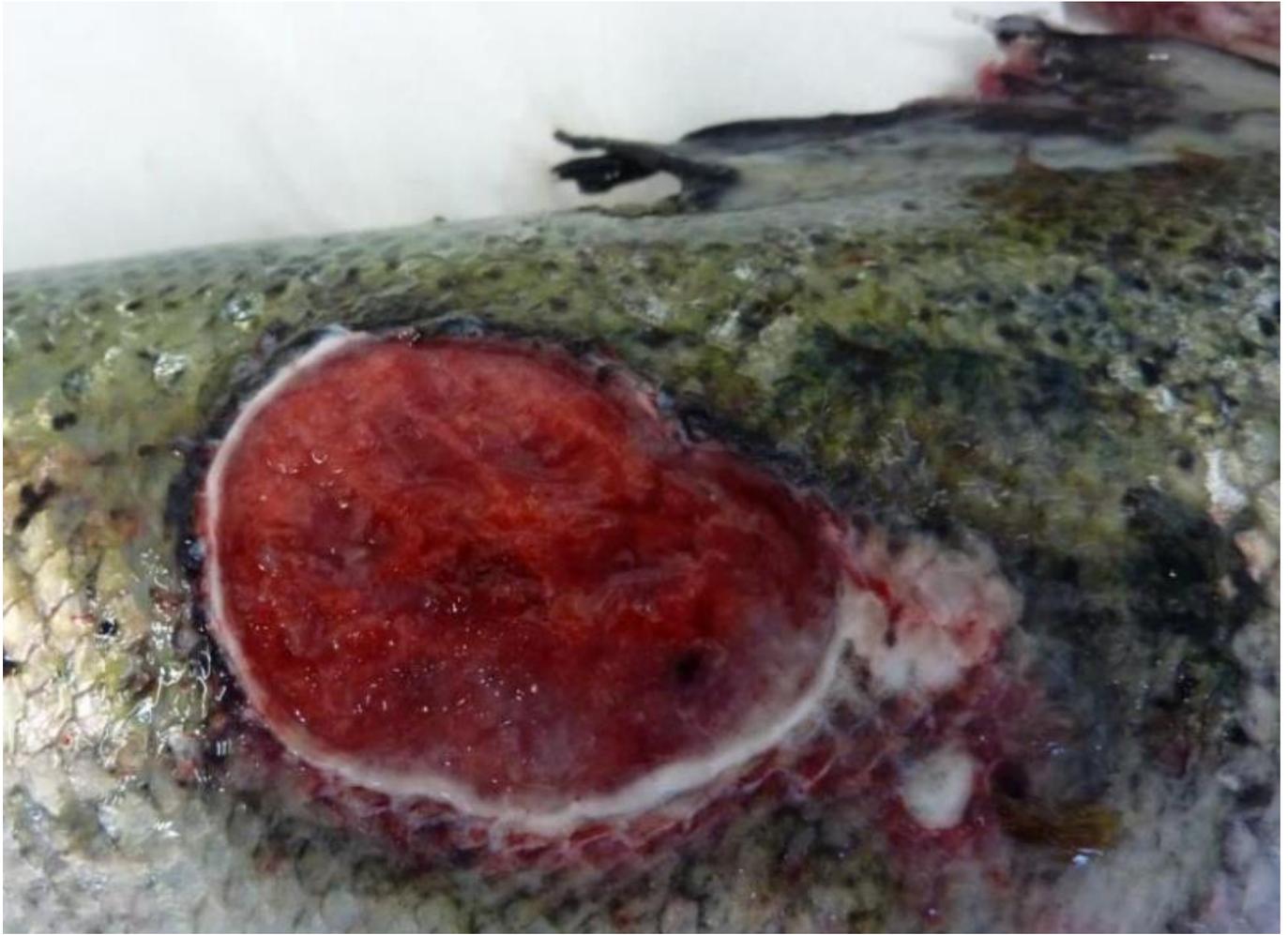
"We care passionately for the health & welfare of our fish," claim [@MowiScotlandLtd](#) If these poor salmon farmed by Mowi & certified via [@rspcaassured](#) could talk then I'm sure they would call bullshit tinyurl.com/yyf3ebqf [@marinescotland](#) [@SSPCA_Mike](#) [@onekindtweet](#) [@ciwf](#)



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More horrific photos of welfare abuse on Scottish salmon farms obtained from the Scottish Government via FOI are available [online here](#), [online here](#) and [online here](#)



Watch [video footage of diseased salmon at Mowi's salmon farm at Gorsten in Loch Linnhe in November 2018:](#)



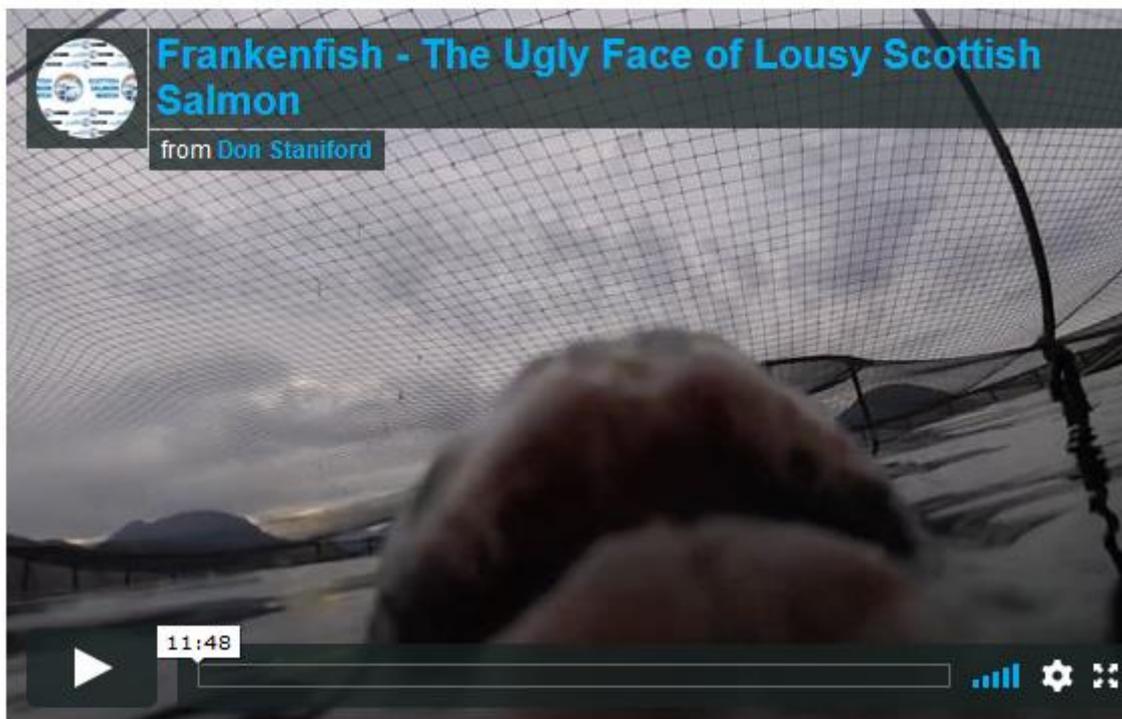
Watch [video footage shot at The Scottish Salmon Company's disease-ridden salmon farm at Strondoir Bay on Loch Fyne in May 2019.](#)



In November 2018, Scottish Salmon Watch [published shocking photos leaked by whistleblowers working at Mowi and The Scottish Salmon Company](#).



In June 2019, [STV News broadcast gruesome video footage shot by Scottish Salmon Watch at The Scottish Salmon Company's salmon farm in Loch Shiel](#).



Read more via:

['Frankenfish' Halloween Protest \(31 October\) - Beware of the Nightmare of Scottish Salmon!](#)

[Mowi "care passionately for the health and welfare of our fish" \(*cough* Bullshit! *cough*\)](#)

[The Ferret: "Scottish Government rejects industry pleas on sick salmon photos"](#)

[EXPOSED: Photo Disclosures Opens Floodgates to More Diseased & Deformed Scottish Salmon](#)

[Update: Mortalities & Disease Decimating Scottish Salmon](#)

[Revealed: Mowi's Nightmare in Loch Linnhe - 55% Mortality & Infectious Diseases](#)

[Maaey Day for The Scottish Salmon Company](#)

[The Go Pro Camera Never Lies \(Unlike Salmon Farmers\)](#)

[It's Like a Bad Mowi \(Deja Vu After Marine Harvest Horror Show\)!](#)

[Video Nasty: Mowi's Dead Salmon at 'Bay of the Dead Heads'](#)

[Solving Scottish Salmon's Multi-Million Mortality Problem](#)

[Mass Mortalities & Disease Ravage Scottish Salmon Farms \(& It's Going to Get Worse!\)](#)

[Welfare Abuse at Scottish Salmon Farms - Why No Legal Enforcement Or Prosecutions?](#)

[The Fish Pharm Menace - Mowi is Like a Bad Movie \(& Dick Dastardly\)!](#)

[Cardiac Disease Arrests Mowi in Kingairloch](#)

[Mowi's Welfare Nightmare on Rum - "blind", "physical damage", "anorexic" & over 40,000 dead fish!](#)

[Scottish Salmon's Mort Mountain Piles Ever Higher in 2019](#)

[Memo to MOWI - You Got to Move it, You Got to Move it Mowi!](#)

[Inspection call to stop 'surge of deaths' at salmon farms](#)

[Unnecessary Suffering & Cruel Operations at Mowi's at Bagh Dail nan Ceann salmon farm \(Sound of Jura\)](#)

[Mowi's Disease-Ridden Mortalities - 1.6 million+ in 101 incidents \(2017-2018\)](#)

[New Report - "The State of Scottish Salmon Farming in 2018"](#)

[X-Rated Mowi: Preview of Marine Harvest's Horror Show](#)

[Shocking Video Exposes Cruel Salmon Farming in Scotland](#)

[Scottish Salmon Farming Horror - Mass Graves Uncovered](#)

[Horror Photos of Farmed Salmon Spark Legal Threat](#)

