

Turkey in the Rain

Tune: Turkey in the Straw, Lyrics by Doleta Chapru

O-oh the **multicorporations** have a **lot** of human rights
They are **legal** persons, but don't **suffer** human plights
They can rocket to the moon and steal the gold that's buried there,
And **no** one can tell them that it's just not fair.

Chorus: Huge Corporations, rich CEOs
Running the planet under our nose
While congress and the president
Sit on their thumbs
They just do what they're ordered
And the money comes.

O-oh our lives are run by ALEC and the Koch brothers too
Trade can go where labor's cheapest and the home folks know
That their jobs have left the country, and their lives have gone to pot
But the corporation's happy living on its yacht.

I-i-f you want a drink of water do not stand out on the plain
With your mouth wide open like a turkey in the rain
Cause you'll get a bill from Pepsi or the Coca Cola crews
They've bought up every drop and you must pay your dues!

Chorus: Huge corporations, rich CEOs ...

You-u-u may ask yourself, as citizens, "Whatever can we do?"
Corporations are so powerful! And ruthless too!
We'll take away their personhood —
Grannies speak: "That'll really get their goat!"
And amend the constitution like we did with women's vote!
Yes! Amend the constitution like we did with women's vote!

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