

## DEBATING AZT REVIEWS

'You are justified in sounding a warning against the long-term therapeutic use of AZT, or its use in pregnant women, because of its demonstrated toxicity and side effects. Unfortunately, the devastating effects of AZT emerged only after the final level of experiments were well underway, that is, the experiments which consisted of giving AZT to large numbers of human patients over a long period of time. Your effort is a worthy one ... I hope you succeed in convincing your government not to make AZT available.' **Professor Richard Beltz, inventor of AZT in autumn 1961, email to Brink, 11 May 2000 (For Beltz's account of his first synthesis of AZT, as exclusively related to and recorded by Brink see 'Inventing AZT' in 'Quick links' at [tig.org.za](http://tig.org.za).)**

'[AZT and Heavenly Remedies' in *Debating AZT*] is superb, extremely well researched, analyzed, written ... I could not have done a better job ... Are you a scientist or do you collaborate with one? How could you survey so many scientific publications as an attorney? ... Could you publish your article or a variant of it in a medical/scientific journal? It would strengthen our case no end, if scientific papers of that quality would come from several sources, not only from Berkeley and Perth ... I still can't believe he wrote that. He's really a molecular biologist pretending to be a lawyer.' **Peter Duesberg PhD, Professor of Molecular Biology, University of California at Berkeley, USA**

'Anthony knows more about the science of this than all the other AIDS dissidents put together.' **Eleni Papadopulos-Eleopulos MSc, biophysicist, Department of Medical Physics, Royal Perth Hospital, Perth, Western Australia**

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'The focus on AIDS is in South Africa and Anthony knows more about this and the drugs used there than anybody else. ... What stands out about Anthony is that although he is not a scientist he has extensive scientific knowledge. ... As a result of his training, intellect, interest, hard work and burning desire to help his people Anthony was able, more than anybody else, to see the harm that Crowe has done to the dissident movement.' **The Perth Group: public statement dissociating from Crowe's Rethinking AIDS group, September 2009**