

## From the Editors

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In 2008, we received a request from the University of Oslo and the Norwegian University of Life Sciences to print an erratum for a *Mycorrhiza* publication entitled “Mycorrhizal plants of traditionally managed boreal grasslands in Norway” by M. Eriksen, K. E. Bjureke, and S. S. Dhillon (2002, 12:117–123). They deemed an erratum necessary because one author (S. S. Dhillon) was unable to provide some original data from the study to an investigative committee requisitioned by the two universities, and they concluded that he thus “violated good scientific practice.” The universities were informed that their request could

be printed as a letter to the editor but not as an erratum. They agreed that the scientist in question be given a chance to respond to their letter. S. S. Dhillon was duly informed and did respond. Below are the two letters on this matter.

The Managing Editors and *Mycorrhiza* remain neutral on this matter and leave readers to decide how to react to the findings of the publication in question.

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