**Ethical Consumerism and Boycotts**

Ethical Consumer.com has a list of active boycotts on certain products. Here is the website. <http://www.ethicalconsumer.org/boycotts/boycottslist.aspx>. There is an interactive alphabet jump menu. Pick two (2) letters and summarize the name of company and/or the product that the website wants us to boycott and why.

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| Product Company | Reasons for the Boycott |
| Ex: Starbuck’s  | The Industrial Workers of the World and the US Organic Consumer Association call for a boycott of Starbuck’s because of their unethical treatment of Ethiopian coffee farmers and because of their rampant tax evasion.  |
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Do you think that boycotts work? EXPLAIN!!

Have you made any consumer choices based on your ethical, religious, philosophical beliefs? Explain your choice. If you have not in the past, explain a consumer choice that YOU would make in the interest of ethical, religious or philosophical beliefs?