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**Gene Symbols**Clarification on the use of symbols *apu* and *pet*.

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**Cover.** Fig. 4 from Schroeder *et al* pp. 1-5 showing Greenfeast control plants (left) and plants of the T<sub>5</sub> generation of a transgenic pea line (right) carrying the bean  $\alpha$ -amylase inhibitor gene, *ai*. Development of the pea weevil (*Bruchus pisorum*), a major insect pest of pea crops in Australia, was totally inhibited by the  $\alpha$ AI protein present in the seeds of the transgenic plants. The seed specific *ai* gene has now been stably expressed in the transgenic seeds for six generations with no change in the level of  $\alpha$ AI expression. No morphological differences were found between the transformed and non-transformed peas.