

"INTERNATIONAL RIGHTS OF NATURE TRIBUNAL"

FRACKING

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European situation

- Active exploration: Poland, UK, Hungary, Denmark, Romania
- Licences: Spain, Lithuania, Belgium
- Little interest or poor geology: Italy, Czech Republic, Slovenia, Greece ...
- Moratorium: Netherlands, Ireland, Luxemburg
- Ban: France and Bulgaria

Zamosc, Poland

- Summer 2013 - 2014: 400 day occupation of land → Chevron leaves



Balcombe, UK

- Summer 2013: Block drilling rig



Pungesti, Romania

- Winter 2013: Occupy land



In Salah, Algeria

- Winter 2015: Large protests



Lancashire, UK

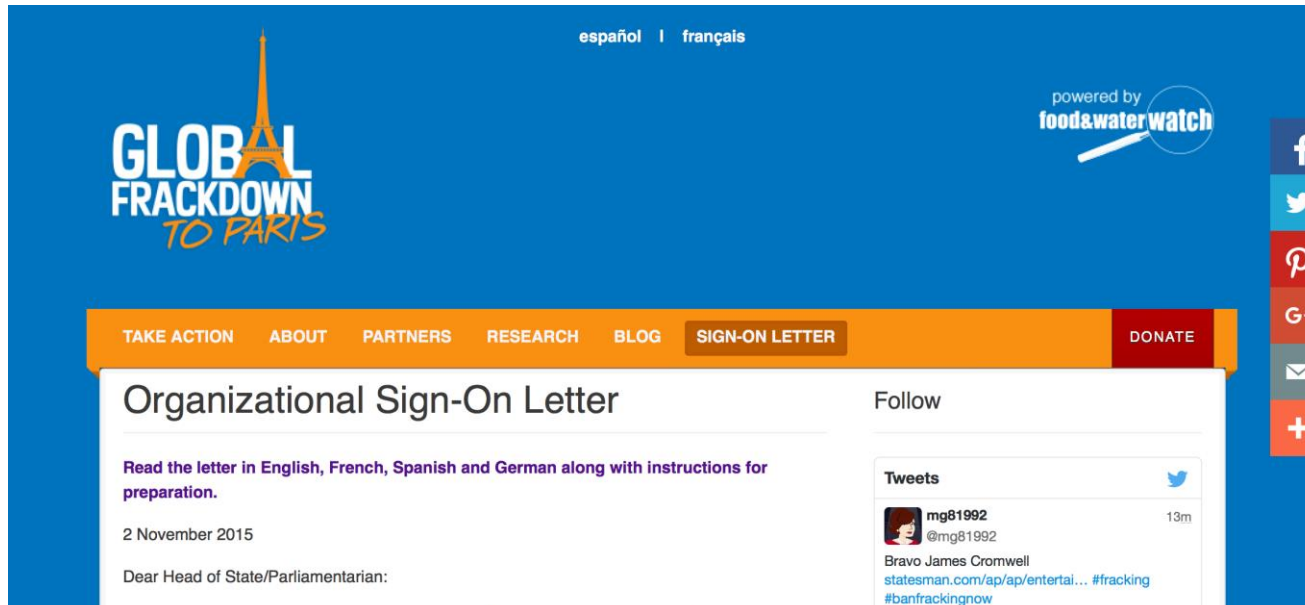
- Fall 2015: Local council rejects fracking
- Winter 2016: Local decision to be overruled by Westminster



Resistance

- 2015 Global Frackdown to Paris
- International day of action to ban fracking
- 1250 groups in 64 countries signed up

<http://www.globalfrackdown.org/>



The screenshot shows the website for 'GLOBAL FRACKDOWN TO PARIS'. The header is blue with the organization's logo on the left, which features a stylized Eiffel Tower. In the top right of the header, it says 'español | français' and 'powered by food&waterwatch' with a magnifying glass icon. Below the header is an orange navigation bar with links for 'TAKE ACTION', 'ABOUT', 'PARTNERS', 'RESEARCH', 'BLOG', 'SIGN-ON LETTER', and 'DONATE'. The main content area is white and titled 'Organizational Sign-On Letter'. It includes a sub-header 'Follow' and a 'Tweets' section. The tweet shown is from user 'mg81992' (@mg81992) dated 13m, with the text: 'Bravo James Cromwell statesman.com/ap/ap/entertai... #fracking #banfrackingnow'. The date '2 November 2015' and the text 'Dear Head of State/Parliamentarian:' are also visible. On the right side of the page, there is a vertical stack of social media sharing icons for Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, Google+, Email, and a plus sign for more options.