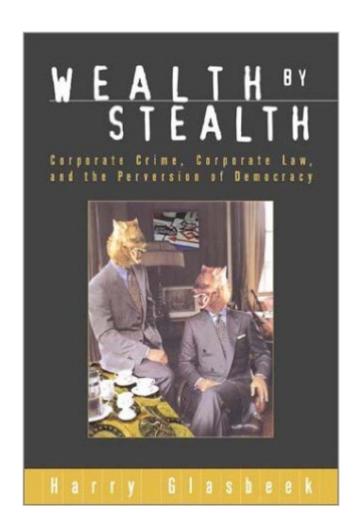
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Wealth By Stealth: Corporate Crime, Corporate Law, And The Perversion Of Democracy





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