

**Submission
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COMPANION ANIMAL BREEDING PRACTICES IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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I wish to submit my views pertaining to the NSW Inquiry into Companion Animal Breeding Practices.

As an animal lover I ask you to consider the following:

A breeder licensing system without exceptions.

A companion animals register to capture all information pertaining to all breeders without exception.

Compulsory micro chipping prior to the sale of any companion animal which contains the license information of the breeder.

I would add to that, compulsory de sexing as well to prevent any further unwanted puppies or kittens.

Stopping the sale of companion animals in pet stores to encourage the adoption of rescued animals.

All sellers should display the breeders license details and/or the micro chipping details of the animal so the purchaser can check the credentials of the breeder.

Thank you for considering this submission.

Maree Rogers.