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## PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS AMENDMENT (VIRTUAL STOCK FENCING) BILL 2024

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Dear Sir/Madam,

We fully support the introduction of virtual fencing for livestock. The system reduces the risk of injury from entanglement in current division fencing, reduces tracking and erosion along existing fence lines, and increases socialization through mob containment.

Pasture utilization is increased, weed species better controlled with less herbicide, carbon footprint reduced through more efficient pasture utilisation resulting in more kg beef produced over a shorter time frame.

Regards,

Bill Wheeler