



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Committee on Investment, Industry and Regional Development

Notice of public hearing

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Amendment (Virtual Stock Fencing) Bill 2024

5 July 2024, Macquarie Room, Parliament House, Sydney

The hearing will be broadcast live on the Parliament's [website](#).

Time	Witness and position	Organisation	Sub
09:30 AM	Dr Megan Verdon Research Fellow	Tasmanian Institute of Agriculture, University of Tasmania	25
	Dr Andrea Harvey Associate Professor in Small Animal Medicine	Sydney School of Veterinary Science, University of Sydney	56
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	Ms Louise Ward Programs Lead	FOUR PAWS Australia	39
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	Mrs Kylie Gilbert ACA Dog Representative		
10:45 AM	Mr Ken Powell Senior Solicitor	Animal Defenders Office	55
	Ms Tara Ward Managing Solicitor (volunteer)		
11:15 AM	BREAK		
11:30 AM	Ms Sarah Adams GM Strategy and New Ventures – Gallagher Animal Management	Gallagher eShepherd Pty Ltd	42
	Mr Charlie Baker Vice President of Growth	Halter	47
	Mr Frank Wooten Director of Marketing	MSD Animal Health	37

12:15 PM	Mr Robert McIntosh Chair – NSW Farmers Dairy and Animal Welfare Committee	NSW Farmers' Association	51
	Mr Ashley Cooper Policy Director - Agricultural Industries		
	Mr Phil Holland Senior Policy Advisor, Animal Welfare	Federated Farmers of New Zealand	45
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	Mr John McGoverne Policy Advisor	Sheep Producers Australia	41
01:15 PM	LUNCH		
02:00 PM	Ms Robyn Cooper Manager Health & Regulatory Services, Shire Futures	Wollondilly Shire Council	26
	Ms Donna Ausling Director Planning and Strategy	Narrabri Shire Council	21
02:30 PM	Dr Caroline Lee Senior Principal Research Scientist - Animal Behaviour and Welfare	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO)	N/A
03:00 PM	Ms Kate Lorimer-Ward Executive Director General Agriculture	NSW Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development	N/A
	Mr Sion Jones Director Extensive Livestock		
	Dr Kim Filmer Chief Animal Welfare Officer		
	Dr Helen Schaefer Team Leader Policy and Programs (Livestock)		
04:00 PM	FINISH		