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## **INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW**

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**From:** yashodhara mudalige  
**To:** greyhoundracing  
**Subject:** DEFEND THE DEFENCELESS

Dear Director,

I am a Sydney university student studying Animal and Veterinary Bioscience. We learn about grey hound racing and the conditions the dogs are treated in are absolutely appalling. The way the animals are treated are cruel and something has to be done to protect the animals. At uni, the breed of dog we investigate are greyhounds because there are hundreds of them being dumped at the RSPCA shelters because they were not fast enough to race. It breaks my heart how cruel people can be to animals and they should be treated equally. Writing this to you, is already making me cry, because learning about the state these animals are in should not be acceptable especially in a country like ours.

please save these animals from torture, they do not deserve to be treated like this at all.

Sincerely,

yashodhara mudalige