

Submission  
No 603

## INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW

**Name:** Name suppressed

**Date received:** 7/11/2013

---

Partially Confidential

I don't support the dog killing industry of greyhound racing.

As a veterinary student I witness first hand the 'wastage' seen by this industry and it breaks my heart to see the suffering that is caused to these most beautiful, gentle and harmless creatures. To breed sentient beings so we can race them, bet on them and kill them is barbaric in a civilized society.

In 1790 we developed the bill of rights for the common man and slavery was abolished in 1804. In 1889 children's rights were acknowledged, 1880-1920 women's right were finally championed, 1950-1990 we developed rights for ethnic minorities, 1970-2000 disabled and gay rights were acknowledged. It is time as a society to finally step up and recognise the rights of animals and the need to improve animal welfare !