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

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An initiative which would assist the longevity of greyhounds in NSW is a number of races which are age particular, Eg: races for greyhound 4 years and over. races for greyhound 5 years and over. If these greyhounds were to have races where they can still be competitive in their later years, these greyhound would be retained.

Currently as the majority of these greyhounds have vast race experience and normally a larger volume of wins, they are placed by the grading policy in harder races, generally against new young up and coming racers. However if they were placed in a race group of like type greyhounds, (age wise) where they all stand a winning chance, then this would most certainly open the door for these greyhounds to continue to race.

some greyhounds clubs do run an occassional race for greyhounds of a certain age, this should become a more permanent fixture on every clubs race agenda.