Submission No 920

INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW

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Dear Director,

As an owner of an ex racing greyhound and a foster carer for many ex racing greyhounds through the greyhound Adoption Program of Victoria I strongly support an objective thoughful inquiry into the industry. While it is understandable that people need to earn a living through this sport, it is not AND WILL NEVER be acceptable to drug, dope and abuse greyhounds. I would like to see the truth exposed and find out what really goes on without the media hype so a truthful and objective point of view can be observed and a sensible outcome is acheived for both greyhounds and greyhound owners and trainers. Having seen many greyhounds in my life through being a foster carer these dogs are very social, gentle and docile dogs and they deserve a voice. They deserve a happy life whether that be outside the racing industry or whilst still being associated with it.

Sincerely,

Renea Kaitler