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INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW

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Dear Director,

i am deeply concerned over the treatment to these beautiful animals my mother, my mother had taken on two of these animals when the owner was finished with them they were at the end of their racing and breeding career, but my mother gave them a loving home all they receiveved was love and friendship from my mother and this affection was returned ten fold they kept her company when my stepfather was diagnoised with a brain tumour when he was sent to hospital to have an operation to remove the tumour, so as you can see these dogs are loving and compassionate animals so why do people feel its their right to abuse, kill or even doing barbaric tests on these animals they are living beautiful dogs and deserve to live in peace as you have the right to your lifestyle, how would you feel if the roles were reversed put yourself into their shoes stand up for these and other animals into these industries they made these people rich beyond their beliefs but this is how they are repaid tossed to the scrap heap why when they have so much still to give, all they ask is to be loved as they love their people family, thats all and nothing more.

yours sincerely skye walker