

**Submission  
No 833**

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

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Dear Director,

Thank you for allowing the community to voice their concerns and opinions regarding greyhound racing.

The treatment of greyhounds that occurs in racing industry is cruel and unnecessary. The issues that I believe need to be addressed by the committee are the enforcement of standards for the treatment of animals in the industry in regards to the welfare of greyhounds, the need for prosecution in cases of animal cruelty, the management of breeding and selling greyhounds and a more transparency in the data collection in the industry, including injury rates and euthanasia rates.

Thank you for taking the time to consider these issues and concerns. I hope that this inquiry will lead to improved conditions for the dogs involved in the industry.

Sincerely,

Vanessa Lew