

**Submission
No 914**

INQUIRY INTO GREYHOUND RACING IN NSW

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Dear Director,

All animals deserve to be treated with dignity, respect and kindness, not used and abused for the sake of profit and sport.

Please ensure that the inquiry goes ahead so that stronger regulations can be enforced to protect these gentle dogs.

Like horse racing, this cruel sport will probably never go away because there is too much money to be made.

But at least by exposing the dark side of racing, those involved will need to be held accountable.

I grew up in the country, and had uncles that raced greyhounds- they loved their dogs and never mistreated them, and once the dogs retired they were lovingly cared for until their final day.

That was 35 years ago, and times have changed, and sadly for these animals, the racing industry has become a cruel place.

Please act to protect the right of all animals to live with dignity.

Sincerely,

Maxine Most