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**INQUIRY INTO USE OF BATTERY CAGES FOR HENS IN
THE EGG PRODUCTION INDUSTRY**

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I'm writhing to express my concerns for the welfare of caged hens. It's a out dated method, cruel and thier is no other reason for keeping them like this other than greed.Ive seen hens rescued from a battery farm. They were in such poor condition. Thier Becks had been cut back that hard and far back they needed help to eat properly most never grew back .its nothing but barbaric to treat them like that. I have girls of my own and they are wonderful birds, quite smart and each have a different personality Nothing deserves to live in a cage and made to over produce . Please stop this out dated, cruel and unnecessary ways of the egg industry. Thank you for taking the time to read this much appreciated. Jo Warner.