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

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I request an end to all battery hen farming. Australia can do much better in its animal welfare standards. Hens and their babies are one of the most abused creatures in the world. Hens have personalities and just because they have no words, does not make their suffering any less. As human beings of supposed higher intelligence, we are obligated to end the cruelty placed upon these animals through sheer greed. There is no excuse ever for animal cruelty and Governments who do nothing to end such suffering, are complicit in causing the agony of such animals. Please place a ban on all battery hen (including caged) farming, immediately.