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

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I am at a loss even to write something new here. The cruelty is so overwhelmingly obvious and the will of the majority of the community to ban hens in cages has still not been acknowledged. Indeed it is obvious your government has been trying to stifle any decent public input into any process to get these cages relegated to history for years. Through enquiry after enquiry. What does it take for you to even consider the will of the people? You make democracy a sick joke.

Ban battery cages for hens.