

**INQUIRY INTO PROVISIONS OF THE RIGHT TO FARM  
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I live on a farm since 25 Years and indeed grew up on a farm therefore have been involved with different types of farming a good part of my life.

I never have run any type of farming where I would have had to hide any part of my farming activity. In fact it was my policy that any institution can visit my property without previous announcement. I never had and still have nothing to hide.

It is disturbing to know that many farming enterprises are run with unacceptable conditions for the farmed animals where not even the most basic needs of these animals are met. Many animals are tortured und abused.

It is even more disturbing that people who publish these unacceptable actions are punished. The Law already has provisions for unlawful behaviour which makes it unnecessary to single out people who try to inform and uncover unacceptable conditions in the agricultural sector.

Implementing an AG GAG Law proves that many agricultural businesses have something or a lot to hide.

That politicians want to be compliant with that agricultural sector by implementing this unacceptable law is at least as disturbing as what these businesses have to hide.