## INQUIRY INTO EXHIBITION OF EXOTIC ANIMALS IN CIRCUSES AND EXHIBITION OF CETACEANS IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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Please stop animals from being used for entertainment, there is no talent in using cruel bribery and treatment to encourage an animal to behave unnaturally to please others. Animals belong in the wild, living peacefully, and not in a trailer being taken around the country by literal clowns. Please look at training techniques, incidents with animals and trainers as well as what animals require to live fulfilled lives. Ever since I was a child and saw how sad a tiger was at a circus, I have refused to go. Thirty years later and circuses still exist! Talent is something humans develop through long hours of training, not something we have the right to force on to animals.