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

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Animals have no place in circuses or dolphinariums.

They are confined, robbed of their natural behaviours and often mistreated.

I have personally seen the torment on their faces.

I have also been told by a former circus worker how the poor animals are "trained".

Cruelty abounds.

It's unacceptable in this day and age and the community expects animals to be treated with decency and respect.

To have whales and dolphins confined to tiny enclosures so someone can make money is a disgrace!

End their confinement and prove we are a civilised society.