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

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Exotic animals in entertainment have to face horrors on a daily basis - they are held captive, separated from their families and deprived of any natural behaviours. This cruelty must end.

Entertainment is not a valid excuse for physical and emotional torture. Being locked in a cage or tank and forced to perform tricks is not in the best interests of wild animals.

These practices must be phased out in Australia.