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

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Dear NSW parliament,

I'm sending this email regarding the animals in the circus discussion at the moment. I support animals in the circus as I have seen first hand how they are well cared for. Animals in the circus receive the best of everything; fresh food, water, shelter, safety and zero harm. The NSW parliament should not allow people who have never even been to a circus to experience the type of care that they receive an opinion. This debate should be decided by people who have experienced everything and have seen all that the circus does for their animals; not from people who have never even been to a circus, but are told lies. All I'm hoping is that circuses with animals don't become extinct as these are small families who are trying to make a living and aren't doing anything wrong. But unfortunately, uneducated people have had their opinion and could potentially hurt these families.

Thanks,
Memphis.