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**INQUIRY INTO HEALTH AND WELLBEING OF
KANGAROOS AND OTHER MACROPODS IN NEW SOUTH
WALES**

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I would like to see kangaroos protected and treated with respect. I have lived in Nyngan NSW and seen the horrific chasing down of these animals by vehicles spot lights and dogs horrifically named and or killed. Left to suffer. Of course when wild frightened animals are being chased they will push through farmers fences the best way they can do of course they will damage them. They go to roadsides for feed and green pick as the land has been cleared and overgrazed with hard footed animals which cause erosion especially with sandy soils and minimal grass can grow.

Urban development has caused loss of habitat seclusion feed and protection!

There is no nice way to kill animals.

These animals are good enough to be put on currency and promoted as part of our national symbol they should be protected and treated with respect