

Submission  
No 278

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

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We need a thorough enquiry into what is said to be 'humane' and find out what really is happening to our kangaroos. It is so cruel to be attacking kangaroos at night while they are most vulnerable and at rest - I don't believe shooters can surely get an accurate headshot or separate the females with joeys at foot in such circumstances - it is just sheer greed and cruelty that places our nation's icon under stress. I ask for more transparency and awareness of numbers - for example, the general public might experience damage to their cars by hitting one and think that this is because of overabundance however do they realise the alternative may be because their natural habitat is continually being depleted and kangaroos are forced into built-up areas. I urge you to make this enquiry count and consider all stakeholders opinions including the general public, first nations people and kangaroos. As a consumer, I will not be supporting any organisation that profits from kangaroo until I know the truth.