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INQUIRY INTO PUPPY FARMING IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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Please consider making puppy farms illegal in NSW. As prices for puppies skyrocket people are taking advantage and essentially breeding dogs to death. These dogs are kept in poor condition, they do not receive love, attention, enrichment or exercise - all essential to their wellbeing. They are exploited.

I have lived on a farm that borders a puppy farm and I have experienced first-hand the cruel practices these 'business' owners exercise over their dogs. When our local government area got involved due to the cruel nature of the farm, the owners simply packed the dogs and moved.

I believe if the individuals purchasing these puppies were informed and aware of the distressing environment their new puppy was born in they would be devastated.

Please end this cruelty.