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INQUIRY INTO PUPPY FARMING IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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I strongly urge the Parliament to outlaw Puppy Farms. I have seen first hand the impact these farms have on dogs. They are kept in squalid conditions. When they can no longer breed from the dog they are discarded, or worst killed. They are just breeding machines, living horrendous lives in horrendous conditions.

They are kept continually pregnant and their poor bodies do not have a chance to recuperate.

The puppies they produce have many physical, mental and behavioral issues. Ask any vet, just not one that runs a puppy farm.

They lie to prospective purchasers about the condition and histories of the mother. They always want to meet on the side of the road, they never allow people to come to see the puppies parents, or where the puppies were born. This tells so much about this industry.

I CANNOT SUGGEST STRONGLY ENOUGH THAT PUPPY FARMS SHOULD BE MADE ILLIGAL IN NSW AND AUSTRALIA. PLEASE vote to help these poor animals.