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**INQUIRY INTO ANIMAL WELFARE POLICY IN NEW
SOUTH WALES**

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New South Wales animal welfare laws are in serious need of an overhaul. The laws are out of date and as a result farm and companion animals throughout the state are not getting the protection they deserve.

The Perottet Government has proposed a new animal welfare bill to the NSW parliament. It has some positives but overall, but it falls well short of community expectations and, if passed in its current form, will fail our state's animals.