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INQUIRY INTO PUPPY FARMING IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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On my deathbed one day, I truly fear that my greatest regret will be not doing enough to get animals out of cages, especially dogs and cats. Factory farming of these energetic, sociable, intelligent, affectionate animals who sometimes save human lives for heaven's sake !! is a truly unbearable disgrace and a deep shame to many enlightened Australians, a disgrace that one day I hope we will not have to bear. So much prolonged suffering and absolute neglect of the animals most basic needs, for the result of inbred unwell but cute fluffy kittens and puppies, and so much ignorance surrounding their disgusting breeding conditions. I will never recover from seeing photos of lines of beautiful golden retrievers sitting forlornly in lines of concrete based cages- please, please, we HAVE to stop this. Please call me, interview me, tie me to a tree if it would help at all to move towards legislation to ban breeding cages in Australia. This is NOT DIFFICULT. Thank you to registered loving family dog and cat breeders who care and invest in small numbers of happy cared for dog parents and puppies. Thank you rescue operators who work so hard to give a chance of an adopted family to take the ridiculously, shamefully high numbers of unwanted overflow of innocent animals. The cruelty of the breeding cages industry must stop. I will vote for any party who actively stops this and that's why I voted for the Animal Justice party in spite of not agreeing with all their views. Please be brave and interview the amazing Lynne White or any of the wonderful people at Animals Australia who I will support until my last breath, for their measured, intelligent, inspiring courageous devotion to a better world for animals. Then let me get on with dreaming about the end of horse racing and all exploitation of animals. I literally cannot believe we are so stupid to let this go on. Yours most sincerely, Jo Morgan