Supplementary Submission No 7a

INQUIRY INTO PROPOSED AERIAL SHOOTING OF BRUMBIES IN KOSCIUSZKO NATIONAL PARK

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My family arrived in Australia 1796-horses have always been apart of our lives transport working on farms in mines going to war our country would not be without our horses-most horses where let go in our bush by our men going to war to have food and water many of our soldiers died and never made it home to pick them up thus we called them brumbies least we forget--The lies told about these horses is complete fabrication fraud hang your heads in shame Brumbies form family groups and this horrific slaughter killing our stallions mares-mares in foal--foals at foot -mares aborting their foals while dying is unforgivable for any race of people -To see the suffering the unnecessary murder and pain on there faces is disgusting especially when they have lived there many years the bush was in pristine condition with healthy animals and clean waterways the farmers getting their cattle out would put a cold fire through our bush for fresh grass next year and to stop bush fires destroying everything was safe but national parks and no wildlife stopped all these proven ways and set us up for death no one can put fire balls out--these people running our bush have no idea all they want is to take money of people to use our crown land at the expense of our heritage our history-i have been physically sick seeing this callous and painful death should never happen in Australia the wild horse plan says 3000 horses now they nearly wiped out less then 500 left national parks breaking the law when they all gone they say we made a mistake that's not good enough .Penny Sharp has refused to get a proper count done when she is ready ignoring all advice not fit to be environmental minister horses don't harm anything even the rare eco systems still there after 250 years --national parks stopped starving cattle to go in the bush in the drought would have kept them alive and they would have reduced the fire build up by 70% these people are not working for the good of our bush our animals our wildlife something very wrong in Australia--i do not feel like i am Australian anymore very strange not the country i was born in please stop all killing until a proper count done and stop this cruelty heart-breaking 400 thousand horses many where brumbies died in two great wars LEST WE FORGET MANY HAVE FORGOT