
Inquiry Name: Inquiry into the Impact of Animal Rights Activism on Victorian Agriculture

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I am deeply concerned by the proposed new laws, Please urge the committee to enact laws not to punish those who capture evidence of cruelty, but those who perpetrate that cruelty, and for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act to be updated to remove the exemption for "livestock" animals. Farmers are putting our country at risk by destroying our international reputation, our environment and contributing to spread of disease and antibiotic resistance by over crowding animals and keeping them in poor conditions. Animal rescuers are exposing inherent cruelty to animals that is standard practise within the industry, for example castration with out anesthetic, mulesing, debeaking, sow stalls and cutting off dairy cows nipples, as a animal lover I feel that these practises are absolutly disgusting and there is no justification for such cruelty in a modern society. We must not erode our important Human Rights ~ rights to protest, to expose injustices within our society and big businesses or our rights to freedom of press.

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