

Stephanie Hesford

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Sent: Friday, 12 June 2015 2:59 PM
To: Stephanie Hesford
Subject: Greyhound Racing

Dear Stephanie Hesford,

Thank you for the opportunity to register my opinion of grey hound racing.

In short I think it is an obscenity and a public outrage that should be made illegal and would be if it didn't bring in so much revenue to Government.

As to that my opinion is that Government should focus on the fact that supporting or even condoning this, "industry", makes them complicit in it and that means complicit in what everyone without an interest in it would consider cruel and unconscionable behaviour.

It is obvious that participants in this industry have no regard for the lives or well being of animals or for their reputation with the general public and will engage in any cruelty imaginable so long as it is making money.

The choice before you is quite simple. Either you condone extreme cruelty in the interests of profit takings or you don't. As a point of reference I would ask you, do you condone cock fighting?

The law does not yet the cruelty and immorality of this, "sport", pales into insignificance beside that of greyhound racing.

Sincerely,

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