Stephanie Hesford

From:

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Sent:

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To:

Stephanie Hesford

Subject:

Greyhound Racing

Dear Stephanie Hesford,

I moved from Victoria to Tasmania two years ago and I noticed a million amazing things about Tassie. First, Pit Bull Terriers are allowed to live their lives with their families in peace, secondly, that wildlife safety was taken very seriously here, and thirdly, Tasmanians seem to love their animals more than anyone in any other state in Australia.

So it would make sense that the state I see as the most caring towards animals would take action against the cruelty that goes on behind the scenes of the Greyhound Racing Industry. To be blunt, this sport is extremely barbaric and there is no excuse for the live baiting, the torture and needless killing, this is something that needs to be stopped. If fast food giant (and often seen as a "corporate bad guy"), McDonalds can see the cruelty in this industry and withdraw sponsorship, surely you can do your part to put an end to this disgusting sport.

Sincerely,

Kate Gerdtz

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