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It is quiet unbelievable that puppy farms are still allowed to operate. We have millions of dogs and cats put down per year because people love puppies but don't take responsibility for the life span of a dog or cat.

Puppy farms should not be allowed at all any more until all shelters in Australia are empty of dogs and cats. It is purely a money making machine and there is no compassion for the animals. The government should take on the responsibility not to let breeders get away with their irresponsible behaviour. Councils complain about feral dogs and cats, well, where do they come from, from people dumping their animals in the bush. So please, stop puppy farms and be a leading example of kindness towards animals.

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