Inquiry into the Animal Care and Protection Amendment Bill 2022

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I would like to recommend the following points for consideration:- Ban calf roping on the grounds of it being an act of cruelty in the name of entertainment as well as further investigation into other animal related entertainment events such as greyhound racing and horse racing. Risking the welfare of these animals, using them for entertainment leading to large 'wastage' of these animals in these brutal industries is cruel by nature.

- Consider the conditions of 'livestock' on feedlots and in transport to slaughter. (Shade & shelter, water, food, disease, fatigue etc) - Consideration of all animals as sentient beings who have the ability to feel pain and suffering as much as they have an ability to feel happiness and joy. Consider how the unnecessary killing and suffering of these animals for the purpose of fashion, entertainment, taste etc is inherently cruel and unnecessary in the society we live in today. So I please ask that you have this present in your minds when considering the amendment to this bill. Kind regards, Tara