

Inquiry into the Animal Care and Protection Amendment Bill 2022

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Glue traps are an immensely cruel tool to use for animal control. Regardless of whether they are 'only designed for trapping insects', a broad range of sentient creatures can be trapped by them. They die a drawn-out death involving great suffering. Humans can do better than this. There are enough humane methods for dealing with creatures that we don't want to find in certain places (our houses, our sheds, our animal feed); we need to draw on humane methods that minimise suffering rather than extremely cruel ones such as glue traps. I look forward to seeing glue traps banned in Queensland, in the hope that this will lead to them being banned throughout Australia and internationally.