

Petition Calling for an **End to Live Animal Exports**

To the Honourable the President and Members of the Legislative Council of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

The undersigned residents of Western Australia are concerned at the continuation of the live animal trade for the following reasons:

- (i) Annually around 3 million animals are exported from Fremantle. These animals endure considerable suffering during shipment.
- (ii) The animals exported from Fremantle are slaughtered in a cruel manner which would be illegal in Australia.
- (iii) Legislation covering road transportation and loading of animals is not being adequately policed.
- (iv) The live animal trade is undermining the more lucrative, job creating, processed meat trade.

Your petitioners request that the Legislative Council will investigate this trade with a view to recommending a timeframe within which it can be permanently discontinued.

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