

PETITION: BAN THE TETHERING OF DOGS



To the Honourable President and Members of the Legislative Council of New South Wales

This petition of citizens of New South Wales draws to the attention of the House that:

1. It is cruel and inhumane to routinely keep dogs tethered for the purposes of confinement.
2. That the House call on the government to amend the *Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act* to prohibit the tethering of dogs except for short, temporary periods necessary for the dog's safety and well-being, and that landholders must provide secure fencing or large pens to ensure that dogs in their charge or under their control can move freely and exercise.

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*REQUIRED INFORMATION | Please return the original completed petition to **The Hon Mark Pearson MLC, Parliament House, Macquarie Street, Sydney NSW 2000.**

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