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## **INQUIRY INTO ANIMAL WELFARE POLICY IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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I have had furry fluffy and feathered friends my whole  
Life.

For anyone to say they do not feel,  
Think or have intelligence is not only ignorant but insulting.

I have witnessed grief at the loss of a family member both human and other. I have seen them  
cry. I have watched on in awe as they try to work out how things work.

If animals are not sentient neither are humans. To be treated any other way is is abhorrent and  
unforgivable. When push come to shove humans are also animals.

Animals speak, learn create

And develop of the years like homo sapiens do.