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Animal Health Australia

Via email: publicconspoultry@animalhealthaustralia.com.au

To whom it may concern

Community support for phase out of conventional cages

In addition to our formal submission lodged earlier today, we would like to submit the details of **21,318 individuals** who signed-on to add their voice to our call for:

A nationwide legislative phase-out of battery cages.

Please find **enclosed** an excel spreadsheet listing the names, email addresses, postcodes, and individual comments. These sign ups were made prior to and during the public consultation period.

Please note, this number is in addition to those who have made a submission either directly, or through the RSPCA's submission form.

Therefore, we request that you accept this list as a further 21,318 individual submissions calling for a legislative phase-out of battery cages for layer hens.

Please note, in order to comply with privacy legislation, the individual details - including any identifying or contact information - are strictly confidential. They should not be published or publicly released, and should not be contacted by Animal Health Australia or any of its stakeholders, except through RSPCA Australia.

If you require any further information, please contact RSPCA Australia Senior Policy Officer Dr Jed Goodfellow on (02) 6282 8300 or jgoodfellow@rspca.org.au.

Yours sincerely,

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