

- I hate live exports, they are cruel and unnecessary. I have witnessed the heat exhaustion of sheep in road trains while travelling the outback – broke my heart, and they haven't even arrived at the ship
- Australians want certainty that this trade will end. That the phase-out be legislated and commences in this term of parliament. And that it begins and ends as soon as possible. We have taught our children this is wrong and this generation is a much kinder, compassionate generation who will make change.
- If the government does not make this change, Australians will change the government.
- As a person who grew up in farmland, I support farmers and their dedication and sacrifice for all of us – however, I want this practice to be done in a kinder way – kinder to animals and kinder to the environment. I want government support to help them to transition to a more sustainable farming method. If we did this, we could lead the world in best practice.
- Australia's international reputation needs to be as a fair and compassionate nation like New Zealand. The governments continual defence of this trade undermines public trust in our agricultural sector – talk to anyone under 60 and they scoff at the reputation of this department.
- I supported Labor last election because of this policy.
- This trade is inherently cruel – and even when all regulations are followed, sheep still suffer heat stress at sea and painful un-stunned slaughter overseas.
- The liberals were ousted because they had no heart, for animals, people, immigrants. I have voted Liberal for as long as I can remember, but this time I voted Labor because we need kindness and ethics back in leadership. Please make Australia an amazing country that we are all proud of, that inspires others to follow our lead.