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Petitioning last resort for Egg Industry

Having to make a formal request through a petition is a last resort. Egg Farmers of Australia are concerned that egg producers in Western Australia have had to take the action of calling on the State Parliament to consider a petition in order for the industry in Western Australia to be sustainable.

Egg Farmers of Australia CEO, Melinda Hashimoto said that Commercial Egg Producers WA had no option but to place a spotlight on the impacts that are ruining their livelihoods.

“Egg producers are having a tough time with no end in sight to grain prices increasing and low returns. It will take many years for egg farmers to return to a situation where they can invest on farm”.

The petition focuses on egg shortages, pricing issues, flexibility of contracts, auditing and traceability and expansion of the egg industry.

Everyone eats and almost everyone enjoys eating eggs. If you enjoy quiche, frittata or are planning to whip up eggnog or Pavlova for Christmas, please sign the petition to support your egg farmers, without them and their wonderful hens you will not be able to enjoy the treats that are so special during the festive season or worse still eggs could be in short supply come Easter if people don't stand up with egg producers.

The petition can be signed up until Friday the 7th of February at the online link below;

www.nationalswa.com/petitions

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