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Pelos Animais

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Iditarod - Pelo fim da crueldade contra os cães

Fonte: Sled Dog Action Coalition, <http://www.helpsleddogs.org>

Por favor enviem cartas de protesto.

Como são muitos emails, estão em grupos de 4 blocos.

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Dear Iditarod Supporter:

For the dogs, the Iditarod dog sled race is a bottomless pit of suffering. Please end your organization's support of this event. What happens to dogs during the Iditarod includes death, bloody diarrhea, paralysis, frostbite (where it hurts the most!), bleeding ulcers, lung damage, pneumonia, ruptured discs, viral diseases, kennel cough, broken bones, torn muscles and extreme stress. At least 142 dogs have died in the race, including two dogs who froze to death in the brutally cold winds. For more facts, visit the Sled Dog Action Coalition website, <http://www.helpsleddogs.org> .

Veterinary care during the Iditarod is poor. Here's just one example: Veterinarians have allowed dogs with kennel cough race in the Iditarod even though dogs with this disease should be kept warm and given lots of rest. It's dangerous for the dogs with this disease to exercise with any intensity. Strenuous exercise can cause lung damage, pneumonia and even death. Kennel cough is a highly contagious disease that normally lasts from 10 to 21 days.

Iditarod dogs are beaten into submission. Jane Stevens, a former Iditarod dog handler, describes a dog beating in her letter published by the Whitehorse Star (Feb. 23, 2011). She wrote: "I witnessed the extremely violent beating of an Iditarod racing dog by one of the racing industry's most high-profile top 10 mushers. Be assured the beating was clearly not within an 'acceptable range' of 'discipline'. Indeed, the scene left me appalled, sick and shocked. After viewing an individual sled dog repeatedly booted with full force, the male

person doing the beating jumping back and forth like a pendulum with his full body weight to gain full momentum and impact. He then alternated his beating technique with full-ranging, hard and fast, closed-fist punches like a piston to the dog as it was held by its harness splayed onto the ground. He then staggeringly lifted the dog by the harness with two arms above waist height, then slammed the dog into the ground with full force, again repeatedly, all of this repeatedly."

During the 2007 race, eyewitnesses reported that musher Ramy Brooks kicked, punched and beat his dogs with a ski pole and a chain. Jon Saraceno wrote in his column in USA Today, "He [Colonel Tom Classen] confirmed dog beatings and far worse. Like starving dogs to maintain their most advantageous racing weight. Skinning them to make mittens. Or dragging them to their death."

Jim Welch says in his book Speed Mushing Manual, "Nagging a dog team is cruel and ineffective...A training device such as a whip is not cruel at all but is effective." He also said, "It is a common training device in use among dog mushers..." Former Iditarod dog handler Mike Cranford wrote in Alaska's Bush Blade Newspaper: "Dogs are clubbed with baseball bats and if they don't pull are dragged to death in harnesses....."

Iditarod dog kennels are puppy mills. Most mushers have more than 50 dogs. Some have more than 100. Mushers breed large numbers of dogs and routinely kill unwanted ones, including puppies. Many dogs who are permanently disabled in the Iditarod, or who are unwanted for any reason, including those who have outlived their usefulness or have no economic value, are killed with a shot to the head, dragged, drowned or clubbed to death.

Please end your organization's association with this horrific race.

Sincerely,

Nome/País

FRANÇA

Peçam á Air France-KLM que pare de transportar animais para laboratórios

Fonte:<http://www.gatewaytohell.net>

Por favor enviem emails de protesto para:

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Dear Air France-KLM Cargo representative,

I'm writing to you today to express my disappointment and displeasure at the fact that your company continues to transport animals to laboratories, despite overwhelming public and scientific opinion that animal experimentation is both unacceptable and unnecessary.

Animals in laboratories endure extreme suffering in cruel and scientifically pointless experiments, including being forced to inhale noxious gasses, being force-fed chemicals and injected with poisons, before being left to suffer and die with minimal care or consideration for their needs.

I ask that you use your influence within Air France-KLM to bring your company in line with the majority of air cargo transporters who refuse to transport animals destined for the vivisection industry.

Sincerely,
Nome/País

MÉXICO

Protestem contra o "Paseo del Buey" em Queretaro

Fonte: Animanaturalis

Esta cruel celebração é dedicada á Virgem e tem lugar todos os anos a 5 de Fevereiro na Villa Corregidora, Queretaro, e é organizada por monges franciscanos.

O "Passeio do boi" consiste em passear dois bois através da cidade, os bois estão enfeitados com flores, vegetais e frutas, o problema é que as pessoas atiram-lhes bombinhas, queimam-nos com cigarros, puxam-lhes as caudas e orelhas, bem como puxam pelo anel implantado no nariz, como se tal não fosse suficientemente cruel ainda lhes partem as patas.

No final os bois são enviados para o matadouro para que seja preparado a famosa "sopa de boi" que será consumida no dia seguinte pelos participantes da dita celebração.

Por favor envíem emails para:
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Lic. José Carmen Mendieta Olvera, Presidente Municipal de Corregidora, Querétaro

Santuario de Nuestra Señora de El Pueblito

PRESENTES

Respetuosamente me dirijo a usted para manifestar mi total inconformidad ante el cruel festejo religioso denominado "El Paseo del Buey" dedicado a la Virgen de El Pueblito, en el municipio de Corregidora, Querétaro, y organizado por los frailes franciscanos, mismo que se llevará a cabo de nueva cuenta este año.

Pido que detenga esta cruel tradición por ser violenta con los animales; ya que los bueyes utilizados en esta práctica son obligados a hacer largos recorridos, presas del miedo que les ocasiona ese ambiente lleno de gente, el sonido de la tambora y los cuetes. Padecen tal nivel de estrés al grado de no querer caminar más, en el trayecto estos animales sufren lesiones y caídas al ser constantemente hostigados y jalados por los aficionados a esta práctica, al mismo tiempo que la muchedumbre los tironean y atacan continuamente hasta que estos animales son llevados a su destino final para ser asesinados.

Por tal motivo, manifiesto mi completo rechazo a cualquier tipo de violencia hacia seres inocentes, por lo que no deben seguir permitiendo la realización de cualquier acto público o privado que contemple el castigo, tortura, vejación, maltrato o asesinato de cualquier ser vivo; mucho menos si se trata de un evento con un marco religioso como "El Paseo del Buey". Los franciscanos, por medio de su portal definen esta fiesta tradicional de El Pueblito y asumen que "...es del pueblo católico local, entendiendo por tal al grupo que dentro de la colectividad de los habitantes de El Pueblito mantiene una especial relación étnico-cultural y es sensible a ella. Como tal tiene su propio saber (Folk-lore), su propia cultura (territorio, signos, instituciones, costumbres, creencias...), es un pueblo, no una masa, no un conglomerado o multitud, sino una entidad real y organizada, con espíritu, con conciencia propia, con identidad." Es por la definición anterior, que apelamos a ese espíritu y conciencia propia, para que se termine de una vez por todas esta tortura en nombre de la religión, y más aún cuando se trata de una flagrante violación al marco jurídico queretano, toda vez que "El

Paseo del Buey" atenta distintas normas y leyes de protección a los animales como la Ley Estatal de Querétaro y las Normas Oficiales Mexicanas (NOM) 033 y 051 sobre sacrificio y movilización humanitarios, respectivamente.

Exigimos que se respeten los derechos de los animales en el estado de Querétaro y que se prohíba "El Paseo del Buey", festejo que lleva ya varios años y que no por ello debe prevalecer ni seguirse fomentando.

Atentamente
Nome/País

MÉXICO

Protestem contra o "Embalse de Toros"

Fonte: FAACE

Uma vez mais até 9 de Fevereiro, 12 touros serão torturados durante a "Festa da Virgem da Candelária", na cidade de Tlacotalpan, Estado de Veracruz.

Vídeo Embalse de toros
<http://www.iwab.org/otherspor.html>

Por favor envíem a carta abaixo para os seguintes emails:

Governador
<http://www.veracruz.gob.mx/consulta-tramites-y-servicios/informacion-y-servicios-a-la-ciudadania/escribele-al-secretario/>

Para:
tlacotalpan_rc@segobver.gob.mx

Estimados Señores,

me refiero a la tortura y la matanza de seis toros en el "embalse de toros" en el marco de la "Fiesta de la Candelaria", que se llevará a cabo el próximo 1 de febrero en Tlacotalpan, estado Veracruz. Tal comportamiento no es digno de una sede del patrimonio mundial.

Le ruego que prohíba el uso de los animales en la fiesta. Por favor intervenga con las autoridades locales para que se acabe con esta horrible tradición para siempre y para que se siga adelante con la fiesta sin animales.

Atentamente
Nome/País

Não nos responsabilizamos pelas incorrecções de emails, erros, omissões, etc, publicados neste Boletim que nos são enviados por diversas pessoas em todo o mundo. Limitamo-nos tão somente a passar as informações e campanhas em prol dos animais.

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