

Farmers and ranchers are “targeted,” by animal rights activists because there are multiple incidences of animal abuse on farms. Will the committee be discussing animal abuse?

Biosecurity on farms is not legally regulated, how would it be fair to punish activists for something farmers are not even legally beholden to?

Artificial insemination is similar to rape. It is the reason the Canadian Criminal Code doesn't have a good bestiality law.

It seems the justifications given for this bill, in the debate and the comments by Minister John Barlow, has nothing to do with biosecurity. Unless he plans to discuss evidence of animal rights activists ever spreading disease to farms.

According to Canadian biosecurity codes, the main risks for disease spread on farms is not protesters.

Also the farm/ home analogy is way off. Barns are full of animals that are going to be killed, one would assume a home is not full of animals waiting to be killed.

Animal rights activists are highly aware of biosecurity, as we are investigating zoonotic diseases caused by animal agriculture.

Will the committee be explaining to the public the biosecurity risks that are inherent to farming regardless of activists?