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Subject:	[EXTERNAL] Contacting you from Europe about: Breed specific legislation
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Dear Sir and Madam,

I am alarmed by your intention to introduce a Breed Specific Legislation against pit bull type of dog.

I do hope you'll reconsider this decision and won't make it happen in your area.

Being a dog lover and an owner of 3 pit bulls I want to assure you that banning them from society is a very harmful and unfair treatment.

The tragic misjudgement will take a place if you introduce this legislation. Pit bulls don't deserve it however I would suggest to introduce Specific Dog Owner Legislation

which would lead to prosecution of **irresponsible dog owners** whenever their pets (**any type of dog**) would cause a problem. Pls believe me pit bulls are victims of human behaviour and not the opposite.

I will be awaiting the results of your Tuesday vote in this case.

I believe you'll change your mind and won't allow a mass killing of innocent dogs and personal tragedies of their owners. Pit bulls are very popular in Malta, are loved here and there is no evidence to eliminate them from our country. We don't have guns in our homes and we love our dogs. We don't kill our neighbours or colleagues only because we can get a semiautomatic gun in the nearby shop. We don't kill our dogs only because some unfounded hysteria of a group of individuals can influence the majority. I don't know if you even know where Malta is - its a very small island down south from Italy. It's worth to follow our love to pit bulls. it really is.

Your sincerely

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