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Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals  
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*Joint Seminar*

**Integrated and Inclusive Regulatory Management of  
Animal Welfare in New Zealand**

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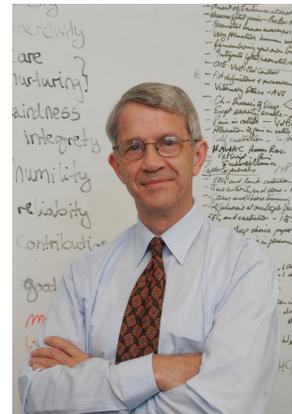
**31 October 2008 (Friday), 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Council Chamber, 8/F Meng Wah Complex, University of Hong Kong**

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Development of New Zealand’s comprehensive animal welfare infrastructure; integration of the components of the legal and regulatory framework for animal welfare management; roles of ministerial advisory committees and their membership; roles of and support for NZ animal welfare science research capability; the significance of codes of welfare and participation in their formulation by parties having diverse interests in animal welfare; liaison groups fostering inclusiveness.

**Professor David Mellor** is currently Professor of Applied Physiology and Bioethics, Professor of Animal Welfare Science and Co-Director of the Animal Welfare Science and Bioethics Centre at Massey University in New Zealand, positions he has held since 1998. Professor Mellor's research and scholarly interests include: fetal and neonatal physiology, stress physiology, pain assessment and management, and bioethics as it applies to animal welfare. He has more than 415 publications in these areas, at least 230 of which are significant works of scholarship, including 4 books. He has made sustained contributions to animal welfare science and bioethical thinking throughout the last 28 years. Recently he was the lead coordinating editor of an OIE (World Organisation for Animal Health) Technical Series volume entitled “Scientific assessment and management of animal pain” (OIE Technical Series 10, 1-210). With colleagues E Patterson-Kane and KJ Stafford he has just completed a book entitled “Sciences of Animal Welfare” (publication by Wiley-Blackwell anticipated in 2009).



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