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### THAT'S WHAT YOU CAN DO

- Boycott companies that sell fur and don't buy fur products
- Fight against any kind of animal exploitation and become vegan
- Join protests and other actions against Escada and animal exploitation
- Complain about Escada's and other companies` fur policy on social media like Facebook
- Write letters and emails to Escada and other fur selling companies, call them and ask them to stop it

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