

**Department of Fiscal Services**  
Maryland General Assembly

**FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 122 (Delegate Owings, et al.)  
Judiciary

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**Crimes - Animals as Prizes, Inducements, or Incentives - Prohibition**

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This bill repeals the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture to approve requests to give away live animals as prizes, inducements, or incentives.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None. The Department of Agriculture only receives about 20 such requests each year.

**Local Effect:** None.

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