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BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1145

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike "Domesticated Dog or Cat - Compensatory and Punitive" and substitute "Pet -"; and strike in their entirety lines 4 through 22, inclusive, and substitute:

"FOR the purpose of establishing that a person who tortiously causes an injury to or death of a pet is liable to the owner of the pet for certain compensatory damages of not more than a certain amount; defining a certain term; providing for the application of this Act; and generally relating to civil liability for injuring or causing the death of a pet under certain circumstances."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 11, after "(3)" insert "(II)"; in lines 11 and 13, in each instance, strike the brackets; strike beginning with "DOG" in line 11 down through "AGENT" in line 12; and in line 13, strike "(2)" and substitute "(III)".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, in line 17, strike "NEGLIGENTLY INJURES OR CAUSES THE DEATH" and substitute "TORTIOUSLY CAUSES AN INJURY TO OR DEATH"; in line 21, strike "\$5,000" and substitute "\$10,000"; and strike in their entirety lines 22 through 35, inclusive.