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AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 831

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 7, after "County;" insert "authorizing the owner or lessee of property in Montgomery County to have a private contractor use, set, place, or maintain a trap on the owner's or lessee's property under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 12, strike "**IN**" and substitute "**EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, IN**"; and after line 17, insert:

"(3) (I) THE OWNER OR LESSEE OF PROPERTY IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY MAY HAVE A PRIVATE CONTRACTOR USE, SET, PLACE, OR MAINTAIN A TRAP ON THE OWNER'S OR LESSEE'S PROPERTY IN THE COUNTY IF:

1. THE OWNER OR LESSEE REQUESTS THAT THE DEPARTMENT SET A TRAP ON THE OWNER'S OR LESSEE'S PROPERTY IN THE COUNTY; AND

2. THE DEPARTMENT FAILS TO SET A TRAP ON THE PROPERTY WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE THE REQUEST IS MADE.

(II) 1. A TRAP SET ON PROPERTY BY A PRIVATE CONTRACTOR UNDER THIS SECTION MAY ONLY REMAIN IN PLACE FOR A PERIOD OF 11 MONTHS.

(Over)

2. AT THE EXPIRATION OF THE 11 MONTH PERIOD UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, THE OWNER OR LESSEE MAY MAKE A NEW REQUEST TO THE DEPARTMENT TO HAVE A TRAP SET."