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BY: Environment and Transportation Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 146

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 2 and 3, strike “**Fee on Commercial Feed**” and substitute “**Report**”; strike beginning with “altering” in line 4 down through “manner” in line 5 and substitute “requiring the Department of Agriculture to report, on or before a certain date, to the General Assembly on the Spay/Neuter Fund”; in line 7, strike the first “Spay/Neuter”; in line 10, after “2–1602” insert “and 2–1603”; and strike in their entirety lines 13 through 17, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4 in lines 23 and 24, in each instance, strike the brackets; strike beginning with “**FROM**” in line 24 down through “**INCLUSIVE**” in line 25; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 25 down through “**\$150**” in line 28.

On page 5, after line 11, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, on or before October 1, 2021, the Department of Agriculture shall report to the General Assembly, in accordance with § 2–1257 of the State Government Article, on the Spay/Neuter Fund, including:

(1) spay and neuter programs that are not receiving funding from the Spay/Neuter Fund;

(2) the market capacity for increasing the fees assessed on each brand name or product name of commercial feed under § 2–1603 of the Agriculture Article;
and

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(3) a proposed fee structure that can be implemented over the next 5 to 10 years to enhance the revenue generated from the fees assessed under § 2-1603 of the Agriculture Article.”;

in line 12, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”; and in line 13, strike “October” and substitute “June”.