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AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 535

(Third Reading File Bill)

On page 2, in line 5, after “**(3)**” insert “**(1)**”; strike beginning with the colon in line 6 down through “**SOUNDS**” in line 10 and substitute “**DO WORK OR PERFORM TASKS FOR THE BENEFIT OF AN INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY.**”

(II) “SERVICE DOG” DOES NOT INCLUDE A DOG THAT:

1. AS A RESULT OF THE ANIMAL’S PRESENCE, IS MEANT TO DETER CRIME; OR

2. PROVIDES ONLY EMOTIONAL SUPPORT, WELL-BEING, COMFORT, OR COMPANIONSHIP TO AN INDIVIDUAL”.

On page 4, in lines 10 and 12, after “**THE**” insert “**INDIVIDUAL’S SERVICE DOG OR FORMER SERVICE**”; in line 10, after “**DOG;**” insert:

“(3) MAY KEEP THE INDIVIDUAL’S FORMER SERVICE DOG IN THE DWELLING FOR THE LIFE OF THE SERVICE DOG AFTER ITS RETIREMENT FROM SERVICE;”;

and in line 11, strike “**(3)**” and substitute “**(4)**”.