

## Sen. Linda Holmes

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| 1  | AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2356                                   |
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| 2  | AMENDMENT NO Amend Senate Bill 2356, AS AMENDED,                |
| 3  | with reference to page and line numbers of Senate Amendment No. |
| 4  | 3, as follows:  |
| 5  | on page 3, immediately below line 8, by inserting the           |
| 6  | following:  |
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| 7  | "Section 15. Annual report.                                     |
| 8  | (a) Research facilities that are institutions of higher         |
| 9  | education shall submit an annual report to the Governor and the |
| 10 | General Assembly regarding:                                     |
| 11 | (1) an identification of the species and the                    |
| 12 | approximate number of dogs or cats to be used;                  |
| 13 | (2) a rationale for involving dogs or cats and the              |
| 14 | appropriateness of the species and numbers of dogs or cats      |
| 15 | to be used;   |
| 16 | (3) a complete description of the proposed use of the           |

dogs or cats;

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- (4) a description of procedures designed to assure that discomfort and pain to the dogs or cats will be limited to that which is unavoidable for the conduct of scientifically valuable research, including a provision for the use of analgesic, anesthetic, and tranquilizing drugs when indicated and appropriate to minimize discomfort and pain to the dogs or cats;
  - (5) a description of any euthanasia method to be used;
- (6) financial information related to the research projects, including the identities of any external funding source and funding amounts; and
- (7) recommendations for legislative action by the General Assembly.
- (b) Each annual report required by this Section shall be filed on or before March 1 of the calendar year, beginning with calendar year 2017, and shall cover the previous calendar year. The annual report shall be made available to the public and a copy shall be posted on the research facility's Internet website.
- (c) If a research facility that is an institution of higher education fails to submit an annual report as required by this Section, a penalty shall be imposed of \$100 per day that shall remain delinquent until the annual report is filed. Any funds collected under this subsection shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.".