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AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to prohibiting the sale of dogs born on puppy mills by pet dealers

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section 753-f to read as follows:

S 753-F. RESTRICTION ON SALE OF DOGS BORN ON PUPPY MILLS. 1. FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION "PUPPY MILL" SHALL MEAN ANY BUSINESS WHICH BREEDS DOGS FOR SALE TO PET DEALERS AND SELLS OR TRANSFERS MORE THAN SEVENTY-FIVE DOGS FOR THE PURPOSE OF RESALE TO OTHERS.

2. A PET DEALER OR OTHER PERSON SHALL NOT SELL, PURCHASE OR RECEIVE ANY PUPPY BRED, SOLD OR TRANSFERRED BY A PUPPY MILL.

S 2. This act shall take effect on the sixtieth day after it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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