

Amendment to SB 535

1 Amend RSA 466:6, I as inserted by section 2 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 I. The owner or keeper of 5 or more dogs shall annually by April 30 pay the required fee and  
4 obtain a license authorizing the owner or keeper to keep the dogs upon the premises described in the  
5 license, or off the premises while under such owner's or keeper's control. Such owner or keeper shall  
6 not be required to obtain a [~~commercial kennel~~] **"pet vendor"** license under RSA 466:4, III unless  
7 such person [~~has a commercial kennel~~] **is a pet vendor** as defined under [~~RSA 466:4, III~~] **RSA**  
8 **437:1, IV**.

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10 Amend RSA 466:4, III as inserted by section 3 of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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12 III. Fees for dogs licensed [~~in a commercial kennel~~] **as a pet vendor** shall be based on the  
13 numbers of dogs licensed, as in RSA 466:6 for group licenses. For purposes of this paragraph,  
14 [~~commercial kennel~~] **"pet vendor" shall have the same meaning as RSA 437:1, IV** [~~means the~~  
15 ~~establishment or domicile of any person who sells dogs at wholesale or retail; and, if retail, who sells~~  
16 ~~or transfers 10 or more litters per year, or sells or transfers 50 or more puppies per year; or who~~  
17 ~~derives 40 percent or more of gross annual income from the sale or transfer of dogs~~]. The owner or  
18 keeper of any dog licensed under this paragraph shall not be assessed a companion animal  
19 population control fee.