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Enrolled Bill Amendment to SB 475

The Committee on Enrolled Bills to which was referred SB 475

AN ACT relative to pet vendor foster homes, defining pet vendor foster facility, and relative to cruelty to livestock.

Having considered the same, report the same with the following amendment, and the recommendation that the bill as amended ought to pass.

FOR THE COMMITTEE

Explanation to Enrolled Bill Amendment to SB 475

This enrolled bill amendment makes technical corrections to the bill and inserts a renumbering contingency to avoid conflict with SB 535 of the 2026 regular legislative session.

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Amend RSA 644:8, IV-b(a) as inserted by section 5 of the bill by replacing line 1 with the following:

IV-b.(a) Any person charged with cruelty to animals under paragraph III or III-a

Amend RSA 644:8, IV-b(b) as inserted by section 5 of the bill by replacing line 2 with the following:

charged with cruelty to animals under paragraph III or III-a, concerning livestock. The

Amend RSA 644:8, IV-c(b) as inserted by section 5 of the bill by replacing line 1 with the following:

(b) For purposes of subparagraph (a), the investigating officer for livestock, as defined in

Amend RSA 644:8, IV-c(d) as inserted by section 5 of the bill by replacing line 2 with the following:

government agency with jurisdiction to investigate violations of this section, and who is conducting

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Amend the bill by inserting after section 8 the following and renumbering the original section 9 to read as 10:

9 Renumbering Contingency. If SB 535 of the 2026 regular legislative session becomes law, RSA 437:1, VI and VII as inserted by section 1 of this act shall be renumbered as RSA 437:1, VIII and IX.