

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

March 7, 2022

Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, & Water.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB22-1235 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Finance with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 6, strike line 23 and substitute "OR
- 2 "CREDENTIALING ORGANIZATION" MEANS:
- 3 (a) A VETERINARY TECHNICIAN".

- 4 Page 6, strike line 26 and substitute "STATE; OR
- 5 (b) THE BOARD IF, PURSUANT TO SECTION 12-315-201 (2), NO
- 6 CREDENTIALING ORGANIZATION IS APPROVED."

- 7 Page 8, line 25, strike "JANUARY" and substitute "MARCH".

- 8 Page 11, line 17, before "(1)(p)," insert "(1)(a),".

- 9 Page 11, after line 24 insert:
- 10 "(a) Violation of any ~~provisions~~ PROVISION of this article 315, an
- 11 applicable provision of article 20 or 30 of this title 12, or any ~~rules~~ RULE
- 12 OR ORDER of the board;"

- 13 Page 15, line 3, strike "**veterinary professional assistance program -**".

- 14 Page 17, line 25, strike "(3)" and substitute "(2)".

- 15 Page 18, strike lines 8 through 27.

- 16 Page 19, strike lines 1 through 22.

- 17 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.

- 18 Page 19, line 24, strike "PROGRAM" and substitute "PROGRAM."

1 Page 19, strike line 25 and substitute "THE".

2 Page 21, strike line 4 and substitute "ASSISTANCE".

3 Page 21, lines 8 and 9, strike "OR VETERINARY PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANCE
4 PROGRAM".

5 Page 21, lines 11 and 12, strike "PROGRAM OR VETERINARY PROFESSIONAL
6 ASSISTANCE".

7 Page 23, after line 13 insert:

8 "(2) IF THE BOARD DOES NOT APPROVE A CREDENTIALING
9 ORGANIZATION FOR PURPOSES OF CREDENTIALING VETERINARY
10 TECHNICIANS IN THIS STATE PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (1)(a) OF THIS
11 SECTION BECAUSE THERE IS NO CREDENTIALING ORGANIZATION THAT
12 MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN SUBSECTIONS (1)(a)(I) TO
13 (1)(a)(IV) OF THIS SECTION OR FOR ANY OTHER REASON, THE BOARD
14 SHALL ESTABLISH BY RULE AND ADMINISTER A CREDENTIALING PROCESS
15 FOR VETERINARY TECHNICIAN REGISTRATION PURSUANT TO THIS PART 2."

16 Page 34, after line 7 insert:

17 "SECTION 22. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-112,
18 **amend** (1)(q) as follows:

19 **12-280-112. Fees.** (1) The director shall determine, and the board
20 shall collect, fees pursuant to section 12-20-105 for the following
21 licenses, certifications, and registrations:

22 (q) For the initial and renewal registration of humane societies,
23 **and** animal control agencies, AND ANIMAL SHELTERS pursuant to section
24 12-280-119 (12);

25 **SECTION 23.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-119, **add**
26 (12)(b.5) as follows:

27 **12-280-119. Registration of facilities - rules.** (12) (b.5) THE
28 BOARD MAY ISSUE A LIMITED LICENSE TO A HUMANE SOCIETY, ANIMAL
29 CONTROL AGENCY, OR ANIMAL SHELTER TO PERFORM THE ACTIVITIES
30 DESCRIBED IN SECTION 12-280-120 (17)(c).

31 **SECTION 24.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-280-120, **add**
32 (17)(c) as follows:

33 **12-280-120. Compounding - dispensing - sale of drugs and**
34 **devices - rules - definition.** (17) (c) A HUMANE SOCIETY, ANIMAL
35 CONTROL AGENCY, OR ANIMAL SHELTER THAT IS REGISTERED WITH THE
36 BOARD PURSUANT TO SECTION 12-280-119 (12) IS AUTHORIZED TO

1 PURCHASE AND POSSESS VACCINES AND ADMINISTER VACCINES IN
2 ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS."

3 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

4 Page 1, lines 106 and 107, strike "CREATING A VETERINARY
5 PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM,".

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