February 7, 2007

Department of Agriculture Bureau of Dog Law Enforcement Attn: Mary Bender 2301 North Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17110-9408

RE: PUPPY Mills

Dear Ms. Bender:

Last December, changes were suggested to improve the outdated kennel regulations used to inspect commercial breeding operations in Pennsylvania. Pennsylvanians are now able to shape the future of puppy mills in Pennsylvania by sharing their thoughts on those suggested improvements. Please provide legislation that regulates puppy mills. Please outlaw puppy mills. They are inhumane. At least, if the proposed regulations are approved, dogs in Pennsylvania puppy mills will be provided with more space, will have better protection from the elements and will have time outside of their cages for exercise.

Please feel free to contact me at 215-575-2630. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Denise Gnidhart

cc:

Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman Independent Regulatory Review Commission