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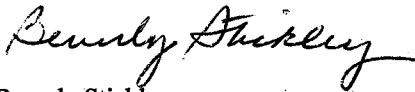
Dear Ms. Bender:

For too long, Pennsylvania has been known as the puppy mill capital of the East. For years Pennsylvania residents have called upon their legislators and regulators to clean up the cruel puppy mills that brutalize dogs and tarnish the state's image.

Last December, changes were suggested to improve the outdated kennel regulations used to inspect commercial breeding operations in Pennsylvania. Please put into place rules and regulations that require humane treatment for these animals such as more space, better protection from the elements and outside cages for exercise.

Please help the tens of thousands of dogs who suffer in Pennsylvania puppy mills.

Sincerely,



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cc: Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman, Independent Regulatory Review Commission