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Ms. Mary Bender  
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Dear Ms. Bender,

Regarding the proposed changes to the Dog Law regulations:

You have undoubtedly received many letters in support of the proposed changes, and also in support of the ASPCA's proposed additions. I would like to add my support for the changes to the regulations and to the ASPCA's additions, with one addition of my own:

The proposed regulations state that "each dog shall receive 20 minutes of exercise per day." Even with the proposed increases in enclosure sizes, I consider such a small amount of exercise time inadequate and inhumane. I would urge you to increase this to "at least 20 minutes of exercise three times per day, or at least 30 minutes of exercise twice per day" or something similar.

Sincerely,

