

Bender, Mary

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Sent: Sunday, March 11, 2007 8:21 PM
To: Mary Bender
Subject: Pennsylvania Proposed Changes to Kennel Regulations

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Mary Bender
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Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture
2301 North Cameron Street
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Dear Mary Bender:

As a dog owner, I object to the proposed changes in kennel regulations. Many of the new requirements do not provide for the best dog care and are not based on scientific research.

Here are just some of the faults of the proposed regulations:

~ Requiring dogs to be kept off of grass. This is often the safest place to exercise. ~ Separating dogs out by size alone during exercise makes no sense. ~ Requiring male and female dogs to be exercised separately unless both are neutered does not make sense. ~ Setting temperature requirements for all dog without consideration for housing or breed of dogs. It is unfair and irresponsible to apply one standard to all dogs and all dog breeders.

I am a dog musher and gladly spend an inordinate amount of time and money to provide the best for my dogs. The proposed regulations would prevent me from being able to continue provide highest the level of care to which my dogs are accustomed.

Please do not support these changes in the kennel regulations.

Sincerely, Mary Beth

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