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THE BEST FRIENDS ANIMAL SOCIETY IS OFFERING HELP TO MAKE THIS EFFORT SUCCESSFUL FOR EVERYONE!! I HAVE BEEN A LONG TIME CONTRIBUTOR TO THE BEST FRIENDS ANIMAL SOCIETY'S NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION AND HAVE SEEN FIRST HAND HOW EXTRAORDINARILY SUCCESSFUL, DISCIPLINED AND ORGANIZED THEIR EFFORTS ARE. PLEASE, PLEASE CONSIDER THEIR HELP IN MAKING THE NEW DOG LAW REGULATIONS HELPFUL SO THAT THE ANIMALS COME OUT THE WINNERS. THIS ORGANIZATION WILL DO WHATEVER IT TAKES TO BRING ABOUT THE CHANGES NECESSARY TO PROTECT THOSE WHO ARE ALREADY HELPING AND THEY WILL ALSO HELP PUT AN END TO THOSE ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE DETRIMENTAL TO THE WELFARE OF THE ANIMALS. THEIR WFSITE CAN BE VIEWED AT: WWW.BESTFRIENDS.ORG
THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION AND HELP WITH THE SERIOUS PROBLEM OF PENNSYLVANIA'S PUPPY MILLS.

1. The Dog Law regulations as applied to kennels should exempt all non-profit animal welfare and rescue organizations, especially non-kennel-based rescues and fosters. These life-saving groups are organized specifically to save and care for the dogs who are given up by their new families because of sickness and genetic disorders caused by bad breeding practices. .
2. Representatives from non-profit animal welfare and rescue groups should be included on the Dog Law Advisory Board to better represent the interests of animals in forming these regulations.

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