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Message = I support the regulatory changes to the commercial dog regulations submitted by the Coalition Against Misery. The draft regulations that were recently released by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture do not adequately address the issues of temperature control, cage conditions and humane breeding practices.

Every kennel must be required to have a visible, safe source of heat and air-conditioning. Additionally, the regulations should limit the number of dogs that can be kept in one cage. And finally, we ask that you include breeding regulations consistent with those established by reputable breed clubs.

Please take steps to ensure that the new regulations provide humane conditions for the dogs.

These mills are a disgraceful lack of human compassion and we am disgusted that they are allowed to treat dogs in such a manner. Thousands of dogs are killed every day in shelters! Please do what you can to ensure that at least the proper regulations are made law and maintained.

Thank you Drs. Paul & Rebecca Amato 1211 NE 140th St. Seattle, WA 98125