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Good afternoon,

As a tax-paying resident of the state of Pennsylvania, I am writing to express my dissatisfaction and outrage about the efforts being taken to undermine the State's one-time animal-friendly stance.

By attempting to circumvent our new laws, you are condemning millions of dogs to lives of untold suffering. I personally have adopted two dogs from a local rescue, one was a victim of Lancaster, PA puppy-mills. She came to me with swollen teats from having 8 litters in just 3 years. She did not know how to use stairs and was unresponsive to crate training since she was forced to live in her own filth for so long. She is a Labrador Retriever - she still does not play - she never learned, she has difficulty dealing with extreme weather - b/c she was forced to live in such harsh conditions. There is no positive outcome that can come from forcing innocent animals to live and breed in these inhumane conditions. Enough is enough - they need to enforce our new laws as written.

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