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Subject:

FW: I support Act 119 (Pennsylvania's new "Dog Law")

From: MedievalKn1ght@aol.com [mailto:MedievalKn1ght@aol.com]

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To: AG, CHBcomments

Subject: I support Act 119 (Pennsylvania's new "Dog Law")

TO: Pennsylvania Canine Health Board

In the spirit of Act 119 and the power it grants to the Canine Health Board, I wish to voice my support of the CHB's recommended regulations pertaining to lighting, temperature control, ventilation, control of humidity and ammonia levels and exercise. The regulation of each of these environmental factors will significantly impact the health and welfare of the breeder dogs kept in Pennsylvania's large scale commercial breeding facilities in a positive way and serves to finalize the Act and the work of the General Assembly.

As someone who strongly believes in adoption but has obtained dogs from private breeders, commends those who are taking the legal action to restrain wrongful treatment of animals for profit or personal gain. I believe that those who seek to look after the well being of animals in kennels or breeding facilities should treat such animals as though they had human qualities and not like mere beasts with no emotional value.

Take from what we learned about the welfare of animals that were mistreated by the actions of Michael Vick, and use this to discontinue the abuse that is happening right here in our own communities. Let this stand as a justice to those who do wrong against those so desperately what was is best for not only their dog, but all dogs looking to be adopted by someone who will love them unconditionally.

Please do not further delay the relief the dogs have waited so long to receive, and expedite the passage of these regulations as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Montoro