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HOUSE BILL NO. 1061

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on
on _____)

(Patron Prior to Substitute--Delegate Shin)

A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding a section numbered 3.2-6592.1, relating to breeding dogs or cats for foreign animal testing facility prohibited.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding a section numbered 3.2-6592.1 as follows:

§ 3.2-6592.1. Breeding dogs or cats for foreign animal testing facility prohibited.

No person shall breed or raise a dog or a cat for the purpose of selling or transferring the dog or cat, or its offspring, for sale and transfer to a manufacturer, institution of higher education, or contract testing facility that conducts research using an animal testing method that is located in a country outside of the United States that lacks laws or regulation governing such practices that are similar to the applicability of United States federal law and regulations governing such practices.

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