

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: To provide for a report on the importation of live dogs.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—115th Cong., 2d Sess.

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To provide for the reform and continuation of agricultural and other programs of the Department of Agriculture through fiscal year 2023, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. PERDUE

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1 At the end of subtitle E of title XII, add the fol-
 2 lowing:
 3 **SEC. _____. REPORT ON THE IMPORTATION OF LIVE DOGS.**
 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
 5 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary, in consulta-
 6 tion with the Secretary of Commerce, the Secretary of
 7 Health and Human Services, and the Secretary of Home-
 8 land Security, shall submit to the Committee on Agri-
 9 culture of the House of Representatives and the Com-
 10 mittee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry of the Sen-

1 ate a report on the importation of live dogs into the United
2 States.

3 (b) CONTENTS.—The Secretaries described in sub-
4 section (a) shall provide relevant data to complete the re-
5 port submitted under subsection (a), which shall include,
6 with respect to the importation of live dogs into the United
7 States:

8 (1) An estimate of the number of live dogs im-
9 ported annually, excluding personal pets.

10 (2) An estimate of the number of live dogs im-
11 ported for resale annually.

12 (3) An estimate of the number of dogs during
13 the period covered by the report for which a request
14 for the importation of live dogs for resale was denied
15 because the proposed importation failed to meet the
16 requirements of section 18 of the Animal Welfare
17 Act (7 U.S.C. 2148).

18 (4) Any recommendations of the Secretary for
19 any modifications to Federal law relating to the im-
20 portation of live dogs for resale that the Secretary
21 determines to be necessary to meet the requirements
22 of section 18 of the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C.
23 2148).