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Cc: House Judiciary Committee
Subject: House Bill No. 7174

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Dear Chair McEntee, First Vice Chair Knight, Second Vice Chair Dawson, and Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I am writing to provide you with my comments regarding House Bill No. H7194 to amend Sections 15-15-1 and 15-15-3 of the General Laws in Chapter 15-15 entitled "Domestic Abuse Prevention" such that it adds clauses to address (1) Unnecessary cruelty to an animal owned or cared for by a household member, (2) Malicious injury to or killing of an animal owned or cared for by a household member, and (3) Abandonment of an animal owned or cared for by a household member.

My name is David Brunetti, from Burrillville, RI and I support House Bill No. 7194.

Such amending is long overdue and, therefore, I urge you to vote in favor of this bill.

Sincerely,

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