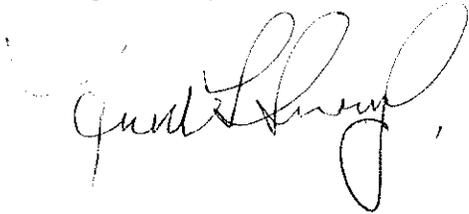


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I wish to add my name in support of House Bills 5801 and 5804.

It comes to mind that a great leader in India once said "The greatness of a nation and its moral progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated." "I hold that the more helpless a creature, the more entitled it is to protection by man from the cruelty of man." Gandhi

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Fred L. Service, Jr.", written in black ink.

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