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**"AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES
CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND
FAMILIES."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2010*) (a) Not later than October
4 1, 2011, and annually thereafter, the Commissioner of Children and
5 Families shall, within available appropriations, develop and
6 implement training for employees of the Department of Children and
7 Families regarding the identification of harm to, neglect of and cruelty
8 toward animals and its relationship to child welfare case practice.

9 (b) The Commissioner of Children and Families shall, within
10 available appropriations, make available to all animal control officers
11 training regarding the accurate and prompt identification and

12 reporting of child abuse and neglect."