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**To:** Jud Testimony  
**Subject:** Support of HB 6690 AN ACT CONCERNING COURT PROCEEDINGS AND THE PROTECTION OF ANIMALS

I am a registered voter in Stratford, CT, and an Animal Advocate. I care deeply about animals and how they are treated or too often, mistreated. I believe, and there are studies that support this, that animal abuse is just the beginning of worse things to come, like abuse to human beings.

There is an ongoing case now in New Haven, CT for a dog named Desmond. Regrettably, he did not make it. After months of neglect and torture (severe torture) he was murdered. A Facebook page was started and supporters show up to every single court date to show support and be there to remind the court system and those in attendance that these innocent animals do matter, and justice should be served.

It makes me sick that horribly abused animals are denied adequate representation and justice in the court system. We as humans are their voice. They deserve a chance.

I do hope you will strongly support this important piece of legislation.

Thank you,

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