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sHB-5386

AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OR TRANSFER OF DOGS, CATS  
AND RABBITS AT PET SHOPS THAT ARE NOT FROM ANIMAL  
WELFARE ORGANIZATIONS.

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### ***OFA Fiscal Note***

***State Impact:*** None

***Municipal Impact:*** None

### ***Explanation***

The bill requires the Department of Agriculture (DoAg) to review and assess California's requirement that dogs, cats, or rabbits sold in that state's pet shops be sourced from municipal animal shelters or animal rescue organizations. DoAg must report to the Environment Committee by January 1, 2020 on recommendations for implementation for these requirements in Connecticut.

This has no fiscal impact as DoAg currently has the expertise to perform the review, assessment, and make legislative recommendations.

### ***The Out Years***

***State Impact:*** None

***Municipal Impact:*** None