



General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 10487



Offered by:
REP. CANDELORA, 86th Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 5386

File No. 553

Cal. No. 335

(As Amended)

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

1 Strike subsection (d) and insert the following in lieu thereof:

2 (d) Any person who possesses, owns, buys, sells, transfers or
3 manufactures animal fighting paraphernalia with the intent to engage
4 in, wager upon, promote, facilitate or further an exhibition of animal
5 fighting shall be guilty of a class E felony. For purposes of this section,
6 "animal fighting paraphernalia" means any equipment, product,
7 implement or material of any kind that is used, intended for use or
8 designed for use in the training, preparation, conditioning or
9 furtherance of animal fighting, including, but not limited to, breaking
10 sticks, cat mills, jennies, treadmills, fighting pits, spring poles, jump
11 poles, flirt poles, unprescribed veterinary medicine, gaffs or slashers or
12 heels, or any other sharp implement designed to be attached in place
13 of the natural spur of a cock or game fowl. "Animal fighting

- 14 paraphernalia" does not include any Halloween costume, including,
15 but not limited to, any XMEN or Marvel Avengers costume."