

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2024**  
**Raised H.B. No. 5257**

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**Introducer(s):**  
Judiciary Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY CAUSED BY A DOG.

**Statement of Purpose:** To provide that the owner or keeper of a dog shall be jointly and severally liable for any dog causing damage to the person or property of another person.

**Bill History:**

02-22-2024 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee  
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03-26-2024 JOINT FAVORABLE  
03-27-2024 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04-05-2024 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/10/24-5:00 PM  
04-11-2024 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04-11-2024 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE  
04-11-2024 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 283  
04-11-2024 FILE NUMBER 438  
04-23-2024 HOUSE ADOPTED HOUSE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A:LCO-4340  
04-23-2024 HOUSE PASSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A  
04-25-2024 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
04-25-2024 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 362  
04-25-2024 FILE NUMBER 615

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