

Dear Chairwoman Grad,

My colleague Joyce Cameron is on vacation this week and I am sending this on her behalf. As the current Chair of the ACIAB Board I am equally in support of this legislation.

Sincerely, Jessica Danyow

Dear Chairwoman Grad,

On behalf of the Vermont Humane Federation and the Vermont Animal Cruelty Advisory Board, I want to express our strong support for a provision the Senate has included in H.729, the miscellaneous judicial issues bill. In short, the section calls for a report on the best way to coordinate animal welfare issues across all state agencies. The section was passed previously in S.155 which does not appear to be moving forward because of timing this year. The amendment was crafted with the Commissioner of Public Safety, and enjoys the unanimous support of the wide range of entities that make up the Animal Cruelty Investigation Board and the Vermont Humane Federation. It had unanimous support in the Senate, and I suspect it will be uncontroversial on the House side as well.

Please let me know if I can be helpful in any way.

Thank you!

Joyce Cameron (she, her, hers)
President & CEO
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