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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1639

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 1639, AS AMENDED,  
3 in Section 5, Sec. 3.15, by replacing subsections (m) and (n)  
4 with the following:

5 "(m) If a pet shop offers its own warranty on a pet, a  
6 customer may choose to waive the remedies provided under  
7 subsection (f) of this Section in favor of choosing the  
8 warranty provided by the pet shop. If a customer waives the  
9 rights provided by subsection (f), the only remedies available  
10 to the customer are those provided by the pet shop's warranty.  
11 For the statement to be an effective waiver of the customer's  
12 right to refund or exchange the animal under subsection (f),  
13 the pet shop must provide, in writing, a statement of the  
14 remedy under subsection (f) that the customer is waiving as  
15 well as a written copy of the pet shop's warranty. For the  
16 statement to be an effective waiver of the customer's right to  
17 refund or exchange the animal under subsection (f), it shall be  
18 substantially similar to the following language:

1           "I have agreed to accept the warranty provided by the  
2           pet shop in lieu of the remedies under subsection (f) of  
3           Section 3.15 of the Animal Welfare Act. I have received a  
4           copy of the pet shop's warranty and a statement of the  
5           remedies provided under subsection (f) of Section 3.15 of  
6           the Animal Welfare Act. This is a waiver pursuant to  
7           subsection (m) of Section 3.15 of the Animal Welfare Act  
8           whereby I, the customer, relinquish any and all right to  
9           return the animal for congenital and hereditary disorders  
10           provided by subsection (f) of Section 3.15 of the Animal  
11           Welfare Act. I agree that my exclusive remedy is the  
12           warranty provided by the pet shop at the time of sale."