

Subject Prohibition on retail sale of dogs and cats

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Summary

Section	Description
1	325F.79 Definitions. Defines “pet shop.”
2	[325F.7915] Sale of dogs and cats prohibited. Prohibits a pet shop from selling, offering to sell, or otherwise transferring ownership of a dog or cat. Allows a pet shop to provide space to nonprofit humane societies and other re-homing organizations to offer dogs and cats to the public. Prohibits a pet shop from having an ownership interest in a dog or cat being rehomed or receiving a fee for providing space to have a dog or cat rehomed.
3	Civil Penalty. Provides that a pet shop who violates section 2 is subject of a civil fine of up to \$1,000 per dog or cat transferred.