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## "AN ACT CONCERNING THE HEALTH AND WELFARE OF ANIMALS SOLD AT PET STORES."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the 2 following in lieu thereof:

"Section 1. (Effective from passage) The University of Connecticut shall 3 4 study the health and welfare of animals sold at pet stores, including, but 5 not limited to, the most frequent places of origin of all animals sold by 6 pet shops and a model standard for pet shops that will maintain a 7 healthy environment for such animals. Not later than July 1, 2025, The 8 University of Connecticut shall submit a report on its findings and 9 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General 10 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to the environment, in 11 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes."

 This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

 Section 1
 from passage

 New section