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From: Sent: To: Subject: Tuesday, October 15, 2013 1:19 PM CTPS pet stores in CT

Selling puppies in Connecticut should not be banned. As an employee of a Connecticut pet store that sells puppies i can give a different point of view than a typical outsider. Here are some key points.

-If you make selling puppies illegal there will be more criminals. If you make something illegal it doesn't stop people from doing it illegally...there would be a black market for puppies and no one would be able to control or regulate the treatment of these animals.

-My job would be lost. I absolutely love working hard at my job and without it I would probably just go on unemployment and collect from the government...what a waste, right?

-If you dont want puppies coming from puppy mills, go to the source and stop puppy mills. Please do not put us out of business because someone else is doing something wrong.

...Please take these ideas into consideration before stopping the sale of puppies in Connecticut.

Thank you,

A pet store employee.