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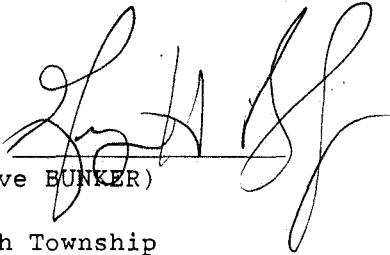
HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 982, L.D. 1362, Bill, "An Act to Improve the Administration of Animal Welfare Law"

Amend the bill in section 89 in subsection 3 by striking out all of the first paragraph (page 27, lines 16 to 23 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'3. **Penalty.** Cruelty to animals is a Class D crime. In addition to any other penalty authorized by law, the court shall impose a fine of not less than \$100 for each violation of this section. The court may order the defendant to pay the costs of the care, housing and veterinary medical treatment for the animal.

SUMMARY

This amendment corrects language in a penalty section in the bill.

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