
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment to
Original House Bill No. 662 by Representative Geymann

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, insert "to provide for exceptions;"

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4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 2, line 10, after "A." and before "Notwithstanding" insert "(1)"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 2, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

8 "(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, if
9 reports of animal cruelty or other exigent circumstances are present such that the
10 employee, officer, or agent believes it is necessary to remove the sick, injured, or
11 orphaned wildlife to preserve the life of the wildlife, that wildlife shall be taken to
12 a wildlife rehabilitator permitted pursuant to LAC 76:V.131. Any cruel or exigent
13 circumstances necessitating the immediate removal of the wildlife shall be
14 documented with photographic evidence of the conditions necessitating the removal
15 of the wildlife. No wildlife removed pursuant to the provisions of this Paragraph
16 shall be euthanized without an order of the court as provided for in this Section."