2015 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 358

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHRODER

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

VETERINARIANS: Authorizes the state veterinarian to quarantine any animal until certain inspections are completed

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:2094(2), relative to the state veterinarian's authority to quarantine; to provide authorization for the state veterinarian to quarantine any animal until certain inspections are completed; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 3:2094(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2094. Powers of the state veterinarian

The state veterinarian may:

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(2) Place any ~~livestock~~ animal in quarantine until the necessary inspections, ~~or~~ tests, or epidemiological investigations have been completed.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Authorizes the state veterinarian to place any animal in quarantine until the necessary inspections, tests, or epidemiological investigations have been completed.

Present law authorizes the state veterinarian to place livestock in quarantine until the necessary inspections, tests, or epidemiological investigations have been completed. Proposed law expands the authority to quarantine in present law to any animal.

(Amends R.S. 3:2094(2))

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