Mr. President:

Your PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred HOUSE BILL 415

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it DO PASS, amended as follows:

1. On page 4, line 8, strike "statewide dog and cat spay and neuter" and insert in lieu thereof "dog and cat sterilization assistance".

2. On page 6, line 20, strike "and" and "implement" and after "a", insert "voluntary".

3. On page 6, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following new subsection:

"U. develop criteria for individuals, groups, animal shelters and euthanasia agencies to receive assistance for dog and cat sterilization from the animal care and facility fund;".

4. Reletter the succeeding subsections accordingly.

5. On page 6, line 25, after "fund", insert "to qualifying individuals, groups, animal shelters and euthanasia agencies".
Respectfully submitted,

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Gerald Ortiz y Pino, Chairman

Adopted_______________________ Not Adopted_______________________
(Chief Clerk)                          (Chief Clerk)

Date ________________________

The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against
Yes: 8
No: 0
Excused: None
Absent: None