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**A B I L L**

To amend sections 109.73, 317.08, 959.131, 1717.01, 1717.04, 1717.06, and 1717.09 of the Revised Code to require an individual to file proof of successful completion of training with the county recorder prior to being appointed as a humane society agent and to require the revocation or suspension of an appointment under certain circumstances.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That sections 109.73, 317.08, 959.131, 1717.01, 1717.04, 1717.06, and 1717.09 of the Revised Code be amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 109.73.** (A) The Ohio peace officer training commission shall recommend rules to the attorney general with respect to all of the following:

(1) The approval, or revocation of approval, of peace officer training schools administered by the state, counties, municipal corporations, public school districts, technical college districts, and the department of natural resources;

(2) Minimum courses of study, attendance requirements, and 19  
equipment and facilities to be required at approved state, county, 20  
municipal, and department of natural resources peace officer 21  
training schools; 22

(3) Minimum qualifications for instructors at approved state, 23  
county, municipal, and department of natural resources peace 24  
officer training schools; 25

(4) The requirements of minimum basic training that peace 26  
officers appointed to probationary terms shall complete before 27  
being eligible for permanent appointment, which requirements shall 28  
include training in the handling of the offense of domestic 29  
violence, other types of domestic violence-related offenses and 30  
incidents, and protection orders and consent agreements issued or 31  
approved under section 2919.26 or 3113.31 of the Revised Code; 32  
crisis intervention training; and training in the handling of 33  
missing children and child abuse and neglect cases; and training 34  
in handling violations of section 2905.32 of the Revised Code; and 35  
the time within which such basic training shall be completed 36  
following appointment to a probationary term; 37

(5) The requirements of minimum basic training that peace 38  
officers not appointed for probationary terms but appointed on 39  
other than a permanent basis shall complete in order to be 40  
eligible for continued employment or permanent appointment, which 41  
requirements shall include training in the handling of the offense 42  
of domestic violence, other types of domestic violence-related 43  
offenses and incidents, and protection orders and consent 44  
agreements issued or approved under section 2919.26 or 3113.31 of 45  
the Revised Code, crisis intervention training, and training in 46  
the handling of missing children and child abuse and neglect 47  
cases, and training in handling violations of section 2905.32 of 48  
the Revised Code, and the time within which such basic training 49  
shall be completed following appointment on other than a permanent 50

basis;	51
(6) Categories or classifications of advanced in-service training programs for peace officers, including programs in the handling of the offense of domestic violence, other types of domestic violence-related offenses and incidents, and protection orders and consent agreements issued or approved under section 2919.26 or 3113.31 of the Revised Code, in crisis intervention, and in the handling of missing children and child abuse and neglect cases, and in handling violations of section 2905.32 of the Revised Code, and minimum courses of study and attendance requirements with respect to such categories or classifications;	52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61
(7) Permitting persons, who are employed as members of a campus police department appointed under section 1713.50 of the Revised Code; who are employed as police officers by a qualified nonprofit corporation police department pursuant to section 1702.80 of the Revised Code; who are appointed and commissioned as bank, savings and loan association, savings bank, credit union, or association of banks, savings and loan associations, savings banks, or credit unions police officers, as railroad police officers, or as hospital police officers pursuant to sections 4973.17 to 4973.22 of the Revised Code; or who are appointed and commissioned as amusement park police officers pursuant to section 4973.17 of the Revised Code, to attend approved peace officer training schools, including the Ohio peace officer training academy, and to receive certificates of satisfactory completion of basic training programs, if the private college or university that established the campus police department; qualified nonprofit corporation police department; bank, savings and loan association, savings bank, credit union, or association of banks, savings and loan associations, savings banks, or credit unions; railroad company; hospital; or amusement park sponsoring the police officers pays the entire cost of the training and certification	62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82

and if trainee vacancies are available;	83
(8) Permitting undercover drug agents to attend approved	84
peace officer training schools, other than the Ohio peace officer	85
training academy, and to receive certificates of satisfactory	86
completion of basic training programs, if, for each undercover	87
drug agent, the county, township, or municipal corporation that	88
employs that undercover drug agent pays the entire cost of the	89
training and certification;	90
(9)(a) The requirements for basic training programs for	91
bailiffs and deputy bailiffs of courts of record of this state and	92
for criminal investigators employed by the state public defender	93
that those persons shall complete before they may carry a firearm	94
while on duty;	95
(b) The requirements for any training received by a bailiff	96
or deputy bailiff of a court of record of this state or by a	97
criminal investigator employed by the state public defender prior	98
to June 6, 1986, that is to be considered equivalent to the	99
training described in division (A)(9)(a) of this section.	100
(10) Establishing minimum qualifications and requirements for	101
certification for dogs utilized by law enforcement agencies;	102
(11) Establishing minimum requirements for certification of	103
persons who are employed as correction officers in a full-service	104
jail, five-day facility, or eight-hour holding facility or who	105
provide correction services in such a jail or facility;	106
(12) Establishing requirements for the training of agents of	107
a county humane society under section 1717.06 of the Revised Code,	108
including, without limitation, a requirement that the agents	109
receive instruction on traditional animal husbandry methods and	110
training techniques, including customary owner-performed	111
practices.	112
(B) The commission shall appoint an executive director, with	113

the approval of the attorney general, who shall hold office during 114  
the pleasure of the commission. The executive director shall 115  
perform such duties assigned by the commission. The executive 116  
director shall receive a salary fixed pursuant to Chapter 124. of 117  
the Revised Code and reimbursement for expenses within the amounts 118  
available by appropriation. The executive director may appoint 119  
officers, employees, agents, and consultants as the executive 120  
director considers necessary, prescribe their duties, and provide 121  
for reimbursement of their expenses within the amounts available 122  
for reimbursement by appropriation and with the approval of the 123  
commission. 124

(C) The commission may do all of the following: 125

(1) Recommend studies, surveys, and reports to be made by the 126  
executive director regarding the carrying out of the objectives 127  
and purposes of sections 109.71 to 109.77 of the Revised Code; 128

(2) Visit and inspect any peace officer training school that 129  
has been approved by the executive director or for which 130  
application for approval has been made; 131

(3) Make recommendations, from time to time, to the executive 132  
director, the attorney general, and the general assembly regarding 133  
the carrying out of the purposes of sections 109.71 to 109.77 of 134  
the Revised Code; 135

(4) Report to the attorney general from time to time, and to 136  
the governor and the general assembly at least annually, 137  
concerning the activities of the commission; 138

(5) Establish fees for the services the commission offers 139  
under sections 109.71 to 109.79 of the Revised Code, including, 140  
but not limited to, fees for training, certification, and testing; 141

(6) Perform such other acts as are necessary or appropriate 142  
to carry out the powers and duties of the commission as set forth 143  
in sections 109.71 to 109.77 of the Revised Code. 144

(D) In establishing the requirements, under division (A)(12) 145  
of this section, the commission may consider any portions of the 146  
curriculum for instruction on the topic of animal husbandry 147  
practices, if any, of the Ohio state university college of 148  
veterinary medicine and the standards of care of livestock adopted 149  
by the Ohio livestock care standards board. No person or entity 150  
that fails to provide instruction on traditional animal husbandry 151  
methods and training techniques, including customary 152  
owner-performed practices, shall qualify to train a humane society 153  
agent for appointment under section 1717.06 of the Revised Code. 154

**Sec. 317.08.** (A) Except as provided in divisions (C) and (D) 155  
of this section, the county recorder shall keep ~~six~~ seven separate 156  
sets of records as follows: 157

(1) A record of deeds, in which shall be recorded all deeds 158  
and other instruments of writing for the absolute and 159  
unconditional sale or conveyance of lands, tenements, and 160  
hereditaments; all notices as provided in sections 5301.47 to 161  
5301.56 of the Revised Code; all judgments or decrees in actions 162  
brought under section 5303.01 of the Revised Code; all 163  
declarations and bylaws, and all amendments to declarations and 164  
bylaws, as provided in Chapter 5311. of the Revised Code; 165  
affidavits as provided in sections 5301.252 and 5301.56 of the 166  
Revised Code; all certificates as provided in section 5311.17 of 167  
the Revised Code; all articles dedicating archaeological preserves 168  
accepted by the director of the Ohio historical society under 169  
section 149.52 of the Revised Code; all articles dedicating nature 170  
preserves accepted by the director of natural resources under 171  
section 1517.05 of the Revised Code; all agreements for the 172  
registration of lands as archaeological or historic landmarks 173  
under section 149.51 or 149.55 of the Revised Code; all 174  
conveyances of conservation easements and agricultural easements 175  
under section 5301.68 of the Revised Code; all instruments 176

extinguishing agricultural easements under section 901.21 or 177  
5301.691 of the Revised Code or pursuant to terms of such an 178  
easement granted to a charitable organization under section 179  
5301.68 of the Revised Code; all instruments or orders described 180  
in division (B)(2)(b) of section 5301.56 of the Revised Code; all 181  
no further action letters issued under section 122.654 or 3746.11 182  
of the Revised Code; all covenants not to sue issued under section 183  
3746.12 of the Revised Code, including all covenants not to sue 184  
issued pursuant to section 122.654 of the Revised Code; any 185  
restrictions on the use of property contained in a no further 186  
action letter issued under section 122.654 of the Revised Code, 187  
any restrictions on the use of property identified pursuant to 188  
division (C)(3)(a) of section 3746.10 of the Revised Code, and any 189  
restrictions on the use of property contained in a deed or other 190  
instrument as provided in division (E) or (F) of section 3737.882 191  
of the Revised Code; any easement executed or granted under 192  
section 3734.22, 3734.24, 3734.25, or 3734.26 of the Revised Code; 193  
any environmental covenant entered into in accordance with 194  
sections 5301.80 to 5301.92 of the Revised Code; all memoranda of 195  
trust, as described in division (A) of section 5301.255 of the 196  
Revised Code, that describe specific real property; and all 197  
agreements entered into under division (A) of section 1506.44 of 198  
the Revised Code; 199

(2) A record of mortgages, in which shall be recorded all of 200  
the following: 201

(a) All mortgages, including amendments, supplements, 202  
modifications, and extensions of mortgages, or other instruments 203  
of writing by which lands, tenements, or hereditaments are or may 204  
be mortgaged or otherwise conditionally sold, conveyed, affected, 205  
or encumbered; 206

(b) All executory installment contracts for the sale of land 207  
executed after September 29, 1961, that by their terms are not 208

required to be fully performed by one or more of the parties to	209
them within one year of the date of the contracts;	210
(c) All options to purchase real estate, including	211
supplements, modifications, and amendments of the options, but no	212
option of that nature shall be recorded if it does not state a	213
specific day and year of expiration of its validity;	214
(d) Any tax certificate sold under section 5721.33 of the	215
Revised Code, or memorandum of it, that is presented for filing of	216
record.	217
(3) A record of powers of attorney, including all memoranda	218
of trust, as described in division (A) of section 5301.255 of the	219
Revised Code, that do not describe specific real property;	220
(4) A record of plats, in which shall be recorded all plats	221
and maps of town lots, of the subdivision of town lots, and of	222
other divisions or surveys of lands, any center line survey of a	223
highway located within the county, the plat of which shall be	224
furnished by the director of transportation or county engineer,	225
and all drawings and amendments to drawings, as provided in	226
Chapter 5311. of the Revised Code;	227
(5) A record of leases, in which shall be recorded all	228
leases, memoranda of leases, and supplements, modifications, and	229
amendments of leases and memoranda of leases;	230
(6) A record of declarations executed pursuant to section	231
2133.02 of the Revised Code and durable powers of attorney for	232
health care executed pursuant to section 1337.12 of the Revised	233
Code;	234
<u>(7) Proof of successful completion of training by humane</u>	235
<u>society agents as required in section 1717.06 of the Revised Code.</u>	236
(B) All instruments or memoranda of instruments entitled to	237
record shall be recorded in the proper record in the order in	238



which they are presented for record. The recorder may index, keep, 239  
and record in one volume unemployment compensation liens, internal 240  
revenue tax liens and other liens in favor of the United States as 241  
described in division (A) of section 317.09 of the Revised Code, 242  
personal tax liens, mechanic's liens, agricultural product liens, 243  
notices of liens, certificates of satisfaction or partial release 244  
of estate tax liens, discharges of recognizances, excise and 245  
franchise tax liens on corporations, broker's liens, and liens 246  
provided for in sections 1513.33, 1513.37, 3752.13, 5111.022, and 247  
5311.18 of the Revised Code. 248

The recording of an option to purchase real estate, including 249  
any supplement, modification, and amendment of the option, under 250  
this section shall serve as notice to any purchaser of an interest 251  
in the real estate covered by the option only during the period of 252  
the validity of the option as stated in the option. 253

(C) In lieu of keeping the ~~six~~ seven separate sets of records 254  
required in divisions (A)(1) to ~~(6)~~(7) of this section and the 255  
records required in division (D) of this section, a county 256  
recorder may record all the instruments required to be recorded by 257  
this section in two separate sets of record books. One set shall 258  
be called the "official records" and shall contain the instruments 259  
listed in divisions (A)(1), (2), (3), (5), (6), and ~~(6)~~(7) and (D) 260  
of this section. The second set of records shall contain the 261  
instruments listed in division (A)(4) of this section. 262

(D) Except as provided in division (C) of this section, the 263  
county recorder shall keep a separate set of records containing 264  
all corrupt activity lien notices filed with the recorder pursuant 265  
to section 2923.36 of the Revised Code and a separate set of 266  
records containing all medicaid fraud lien notices filed with the 267  
recorder pursuant to section 2933.75 of the Revised Code. 268

**Sec. 959.131.** (A) As used in this section: 269

(1) "Companion animal" means any animal that is kept inside a residential dwelling and any dog or cat regardless of where it is kept. "Companion animal" does not include livestock or any wild animal.

(2) "Cruelty," "torment," and "torture" have the same meanings as in section 1717.01 of the Revised Code.

(3) "Residential dwelling" means a structure or shelter or the portion of a structure or shelter that is used by one or more humans for the purpose of a habitation.

(4) "Practice of veterinary medicine" has the same meaning as in section 4741.01 of the Revised Code.

(5) "Wild animal" has the same meaning as in section 1531.01 of the Revised Code.

(6) "Federal animal welfare act" means the "Laboratory Animal Act of 1966," Pub. L. No. 89-544, 80 Stat. 350 (1966), 7 U.S.C.A. 2131 et seq., as amended by the "Animal Welfare Act of 1970," Pub. L. No. 91-579, 84 Stat. 1560 (1970), the "Animal Welfare Act Amendments of 1976," Pub. L. No. 94-279, 90 Stat. 417 (1976), and the "Food Security Act of 1985," Pub. L. No. 99-198, 99 Stat. 1354 (1985), and as it may be subsequently amended.

(B) No person shall knowingly torture, torment, needlessly mutilate or maim, cruelly beat, poison, needlessly kill, or commit an act of cruelty against a companion animal.

(C) No person who confines or who is the custodian or caretaker of a companion animal shall negligently do any of the following:

(1) Torture, torment, needlessly mutilate or maim, cruelly beat, poison, needlessly kill, or commit an act of cruelty against the companion animal;

(2) Deprive the companion animal of necessary sustenance,

confine the companion animal without supplying it during the 300  
confinement with sufficient quantities of good, wholesome food and 301  
water, or impound or confine the companion animal without 302  
affording it, during the impoundment or confinement, with access 303  
to shelter from heat, cold, wind, rain, snow, or excessive direct 304  
sunlight, if it can reasonably be expected that the companion 305  
animal would become sick or suffer in any other way as a result of 306  
or due to the deprivation, confinement, or impoundment or 307  
confinement in any of those specified manners. 308

(D) Divisions (B) and (C) of this section do not apply to any 309  
of the following: 310

(1) A companion animal used in scientific research conducted 311  
by an institution in accordance with the federal animal welfare 312  
act and related regulations; 313

(2) The lawful practice of veterinary medicine by a person 314  
who has been issued a license, temporary permit, or registration 315  
certificate to do so under Chapter 4741. of the Revised Code; 316

(3) Dogs being used or intended for use for hunting or field 317  
trial purposes, provided that the dogs are being treated in 318  
accordance with usual and commonly accepted practices for the care 319  
of hunting dogs; 320

(4) The use of common training devices, if the companion 321  
animal is being treated in accordance with usual and commonly 322  
accepted practices for the training of animals; 323

(5) The administering of medicine to a companion animal that 324  
was properly prescribed by a person who has been issued a license, 325  
temporary permit, or registration certificate under Chapter 4741. 326  
of the Revised Code. 327

(E) Notwithstanding any section of the Revised Code that 328  
otherwise provides for the distribution of fine moneys, the clerk 329  
of court shall forward all fines the clerk collects that are so 330

imposed for any violation of this section to the treasurer of the 331  
political subdivision or the state, whose county humane society or 332  
law enforcement agency is to be paid the fine money as determined 333  
under this division. The treasurer to whom the fines are forwarded 334  
shall pay the fine moneys to the county humane society or the 335  
county, township, municipal corporation, or state law enforcement 336  
agency in this state that primarily was responsible for or 337  
involved in the investigation and prosecution of the violation. If 338  
a county humane society receives any fine moneys under this 339  
division, the county humane society shall use the fine moneys to 340  
provide the training that is required for humane society agents 341  
under section 1717.06 of the Revised Code. 342

**Sec. 1717.01.** As used in ~~sections 1717.01 to 1717.14,~~ 343  
~~inclusive, of the Revised Code,~~ this chapter and in every law 344  
relating to animals: 345

(A) "Animal" includes every living dumb creature~~+~~. 346

(B) "Cruelty," "torment," and "torture" include every act, 347  
omission, or neglect by which unnecessary or unjustifiable pain or 348  
suffering is caused, permitted, or allowed to continue, when there 349  
is a reasonable remedy or relief~~+~~. 350

(C) "Humane society agent" or "agent" means an individual who 351  
complies with, and is appointed by a county humane society under, 352  
section 1717.06 of the Revised Code for the purpose of 353  
investigating any person who is accused of an act of cruelty to 354  
animals regardless of the title that is given to the individual. 355

(D) "Owner" and "person" include corporations. For the 356  
purpose of this section the knowledge and acts of the agents and 357  
employees of a corporation, in regard to animals transported, 358  
owned, or employed by, or in the custody of, such agents and 359  
employees, are the knowledge and acts of the corporation. 360

**Sec. 1717.04.** The Ohio humane society may appoint agents, in 361  
any county where no active county humane society exists under 362  
section 1717.05 of the Revised Code, to represent it and to 363  
receive and account for all funds coming to it from fines or 364  
otherwise, and may also appoint agents at large to prosecute its 365  
work throughout the state. Such agents may arrest any person found 366  
violating any law for the protection of ~~persons or~~ animals, or the 367  
prevention of cruelty thereto. Upon making ~~such an~~ an arrest, the 368  
agent forthwith shall convey the person arrested before some court 369  
or magistrate having jurisdiction of the offense, and there make 370  
complaint against ~~him~~ the person. 371

Such agents shall not make such arrests within a municipal 372  
corporation unless their appointment has been approved by the 373  
mayor of the municipal corporation, or within a county beyond the 374  
limits of a municipal corporation unless their appointment has 375  
been approved by the probate judge of the county. ~~Such~~ The mayor 376  
or probate judge shall keep a record of such appointments. 377

**Sec. 1717.06.** (A)(1) A county humane society organized under 378  
section 1717.05 of the Revised Code may appoint agents, who are 379  
residents of the county or municipal corporation for which the 380  
appointment is made, ~~for the purpose of prosecuting any person~~ 381  
~~guilty of an act of cruelty to persons or animals.~~ Such agents may 382  
arrest any person found violating this chapter or any other law 383  
for protecting ~~persons or~~ animals or preventing acts of cruelty 384  
thereto. Upon making an arrest, the agent forthwith shall convey 385  
the person arrested before some court or magistrate having 386  
jurisdiction of the offense, and there make complaint against the 387  
person on oath or affirmation of the offense. 388

(2) All appointments of agents under this section shall be 389  
approved by the mayor of the municipal corporation for which they 390  
are made. If the society exists outside a municipal corporation, 391

such appointments shall be approved by the probate judge of the 392  
county for which they are made. The mayor or probate judge shall 393  
keep a record of such ~~appointments~~ approvals. 394

(B) In order to qualify for appointment as a humane society 395  
agent under this section, ~~a person first shall successfully an~~ 396  
individual shall do all of the following: 397

(1) Successfully complete a minimum of twenty hours of 398  
training on issues relating to the investigation and prosecution 399  
of cruelty to and neglect of animals. The training shall comply 400  
with rules recommended by the peace officer training commission 401  
under section 109.73 of the Revised Code and shall include, 402  
without limitation, instruction regarding animal husbandry 403  
practices as described in division (A)(12) of that section. A 404  
~~person~~ Proof of successful completion of training shall be signed 405  
by the chief executive officer of the organization or entity that 406  
provided the training and by the chief officer of the county 407  
humane society appointing the agent. An individual who has been 408  
appointed as a humane society agent under this section prior to 409  
~~the effective date of this amendment~~ April 9, 2003, may continue 410  
to act as a humane society agent for a period of time on and after 411  
~~the effective date of this amendment~~ April 9, 2003, without 412  
completing the training. However, on or before December 31, 2004, 413  
~~a person~~ an individual who has been appointed as a humane society 414  
agent under this section prior to ~~the effective date of this~~ 415  
~~amendment~~ April 9, 2003, shall successfully complete the training 416  
described in this ~~paragraph~~ division and submit proof of its 417  
successful completion to the appropriate ~~appointing~~ mayor or 418  
probate judge who approved the appointment in order to continue to 419  
act as a humane society agent after December 31, 2004. 420

(2) Present proof of successful completion of training that 421  
is signed as required by division (B)(1) of this section to the 422  
appropriate mayor or probate judge for approval. Proof of 423

successful completion of training shall be signed by the 424  
appropriate mayor or probate judge before the proof is filed under 425  
division (B)(3) of this section. 426

(3) File proof of successful completion of training that is 427  
signed as required by divisions (B)(1) and (2) of this section 428  
with the county recorder in accordance with section 317.08 of the 429  
Revised Code. 430

An appointment is not final until the day on which proof of 431  
successful completion of training is filed with the county 432  
recorder under this division. The fee charged by the county 433  
recorder for filing proof of successful completion of training 434  
shall be paid by the county humane society appointing the agent. 435

(C) An individual who is serving as a humane society agent on 436  
the effective date of this amendment shall file proof of 437  
successful completion of training, including the required 438  
signatures, with the county recorder not later than six months 439  
after the effective date of this amendment. If that individual has 440  
not filed the required proof of successful completion of training 441  
with the county recorder as required in this section, the 442  
individual is suspended as a humane society agent by operation of 443  
law until such proof is on file with the county recorder. 444

(D) An individual who suspects that a humane society agent 445  
has not successfully completed the training that is required in 446  
this section or that an agent's proof of successful completion of 447  
training contains false or misleading information may file a 448  
complaint with the mayor or probate judge who approved the 449  
appointment. The mayor or probate judge shall investigate the 450  
complaint. If the mayor or probate judge finds that the agent has 451  
not successfully completed the required training or that the proof 452  
of successful completion contains false or misleading information, 453  
the mayor or probate judge shall rescind the approval of the 454  
appointment and order the applicable humane society to revoke the 455

appointment. The applicable county humane society shall file 456  
written notice with the county recorder of the revocation under 457  
this division of a humane society agent's appointment. Revocation 458  
of the appointment shall be duly noted and recorded in the records 459  
kept under section 317.08 of the Revised Code, and the county 460  
humane society shall pay the fee for that filing. 461

(E) An agent of a county humane society only has the specific 462  
authority granted to the agent under this section and section 463  
1717.08 of the Revised Code. 464

**Sec. 1717.09.** A member of the Ohio humane society or of a 465  
county humane society may require the sheriff of any county, the 466  
constable of any township, the marshal or a ~~policeman~~ police 467  
officer of any municipal corporation, or any agent of such a 468  
society, to arrest any person found violating the laws in relation 469  
to cruelty to ~~persons~~ or animals, and to take possession of any 470  
animal cruelly treated in their respective counties or municipal 471  
corporations, and deliver ~~such~~ the animal to the proper officers 472  
of the society. 473

**Section 2.** That existing sections 109.73, 317.08, 959.131, 474  
1717.01, 1717.04, 1717.06, and 1717.09 of the Revised Code are 475  
hereby repealed. 476