Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection Secretary-designee Randy Romanski

DATE: July 23, 2019

TO: Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

FROM: Randy Romanski, Secretary-designee

Darlene Konkle, DVM, MS, DACVIM, Administrator, Division of Animal Health

SUBJECT: ATCP 16, Dog Sellers and Dog Facility Operators

PRESENTED BY: Darlene Konkle, DVM, MS, DACVIM, Administrator, Division of Animal Health

REQUESTED ACTION:

At the July 23, 2020, Board meeting, the Department will request approval of a preliminary hearing and comment period for the attached scope statement, regarding ch. ATCP 16 (Dog Sellers and Dog Facility Operators).

SUMMARY:

The objective of the proposed rule is to evaluate whether to change fee amounts for dog sellers and dog facility operators. These fees include license fees and reinspection fees. The department would form an advisory group to assist in writing the proposed rule, pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 173.41 (14).

The Governor approved the scope statement on July 1, 2020. The Department anticipates that the Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules will direct DATCP to hold a preliminary public hearing and comment period, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.136 (1).

State of Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMENT PERIOD FOR SS [# Pending]

Permanent Rule Regarding Licensing, Practice Scope, and Standards of Practice for Veterinarians and Veterinary Technicians

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (Department) announces that, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.136 (1), it has been ordered by the Joint Committee for the Review of Administrative Rules to hold a preliminary public hearing and comment period on its proposed revised statement of scope pertaining to Wis. Admin. Code ch. ATCP 16 regarding dog sellers and dog facility operators.

The Department will hold the public hearing at the time and place shown below. The Department invites the public to attend the public hearing on the proposed statement of scope or to provide comments on the proposed statement of scope no later than Thursday, August 27, 2020. Written public comments may be sent to the Division of Animal Health, Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, WI 53708-8911 or by e-mail to Angela.Fisher1@wisconsin.gov.

Hearing Date and Location:

Wednesday, August 20, 2020 Commencing at 10:00 AM

Teleconference Line: 1-888-327-8914, Passcode 9548 531 #

You may obtain a copy of the Statement of Scope for this proposed rule by contacting the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Office of the Secretary, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8911. You may also obtain a copy by contacting the division policy analyst, Angela Fisher, at Angela.Fisher1@wisconsin.gov or by calling (608) 224-4890. To view the statement of scope online, go to: https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/register/2020 and select the 775A2 Register (7/13/2020).

Hearing-impaired persons may request accommodation for this hearing. Please make reservations by August 18, 2020, by writing, calling, or emailing the analyst, Angela Fisher.

Dated thisday of July, 2020	STATE OF WISCONSIN, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, TRADE AND CONSUMER PROTECTION
	By
	Randy Romanski, Secretary-designee