DIGEST

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Willmott HB No. 470

Abstract: Prohibits dogs from being transported in the back of pickup trucks or utility trailers on interstate highways unless properly crated or secured.

<u>Proposed law</u> prohibits drivers from transporting dogs of all breeds in the back of pickup trucks or utility trailers on interstate highways within this state.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for exceptions relative to dogs enclosed in a crate, container, or cage which is ventilated and safely secured to the motor vehicle or utility trailer.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the penalty for the violation of transporting one dog in violation of <u>proposed law</u> is a fine of not more than \$150.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that an additional fine of \$50 per dog shall be imposed for each additional dog transported at the same time in violation of <u>proposed law</u>.

(Adds R.S. 32:284.1)