

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1424**

Chapter 76, Laws of 2021

67th Legislature  
2021 Regular Session

RETAIL PET STORES—SALE OF DOGS AND CATS

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 25, 2021

Passed by the House March 7, 2021  
Yeas 68 Nays 30

LAURIE JINKINS

**Speaker of the House of  
Representatives**

Passed by the Senate April 5, 2021  
Yeas 31 Nays 18

DENNY HECK

**President of the Senate**

Approved April 16, 2021 10:31 AM

JAY INSLEE

**Governor of the State of Washington**

CERTIFICATE

I, Bernard Dean, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1424** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BERNARD DEAN

**Chief Clerk**

FILED

April 16, 2021

**Secretary of State  
State of Washington**

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**By** House Consumer Protection & Business (originally sponsored by Representatives Walen, Ybarra, Springer, Simmons, Ramel, and Berg)

READ FIRST TIME 02/15/21.

1       AN ACT Relating to consumer protection with respect to the sale  
2 of dogs and cats; and adding a new section to chapter 16.52 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4       NEW SECTION.   **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 16.52  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6       (1) Except as provided in this section, a retail pet store may  
7 not sell or offer for sale any dog or cat.

8       (2) A retail pet store that sold or offered for sale any dog  
9 prior to the effective date of this section may sell or offer for  
10 sale a dog.

Passed by the House March 7, 2021.

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Filed in Office of Secretary of State April 16, 2021.

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