

COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Corrections, Criminal and Civil Procedures, to which was referred House Bill No. 1223, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Page 1, line 12, strike "tortures,".
- 2 Page 1, line 12, after "beats" delete ",",
- 3 Page 1, line 12, after "beats," strike "or".
- 4 Page 1, line 13, strike "mutilates".
- 5 Page 1, line 17, delete "torture, beating, or mutilation results in the
- 6 death of" and insert "**person knowingly or intentionally tortures or**
- 7 **mutilates a vertebrate animal.**".
- 8 Page 2, delete line 1.
(Reference is to HB 1223 as printed February 1, 2002.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

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Chairperson