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2 By Representative Schoesler

3 On page 9, beginning on line 15, after "knowingly" strike  
4 everything through "animal" on line 16 and insert "or recklessly  
5 inflicts unnecessary or unjustifiable bodily harm upon an animal  
6 accompanied by substantial pain that extends for a period  
7 sufficient to cause considerable suffering"

EFFECT: The elements of animal cruelty in the second degree are changed. A person must act knowingly or recklessly not just with criminal negligence to be charged. The person must inflict bodily harm that is accompanied by substantial pain that extends for a period sufficient to cause considerable suffering.