
HOUSE BILL 1162

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By Representatives Barlean and Kessler

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1 AN ACT Relating to killing a domestic animal; and adding a new
2 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 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 A person who kills a domestic animal belonging to another person
7 without the owner's permission or other legal justification is liable
8 for damages in a minimum amount of one thousand five hundred dollars
9 plus reasonable attorneys' fees as granted by the court.

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