SHB 1627 - H AMD 914
    By Representative Short

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1   On page 3, after line 35, insert the following:

2   "If the board increases the total area of a proposed city or town
3 annexation, property owners residing in the increased area may, after
4 annexation, continue to own and possess pets and livestock lawfully in
5 their possession at the time of the annexation. For purposes of this
6 section, "pets" means domesticated or tamed animals that are not owned
7 for commercial, breeding, or business purposes.

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9   NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 35.13 RCW
10 to read as follows:

11   If a boundary review board increases the total area of a proposed
12 city or town annexation, property owners residing in the increased
13 area may, after annexation, continue to own and possess pets and
14 livestock lawfully in their possession at the time of the annexation.
15 For purposes of this section, "pets" means domesticated or tamed
16 animals that are not owned for commercial, breeding, or business
17 purposes.

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19   NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 35A.14 RCW
20 to read as follows:

21   If a boundary review board increases the total area of a proposed
22 code city annexation, property owners residing in the increased area
23 may, after annexation, continue to own and possess pets and livestock
24 lawfully in their possession at the time of the annexation. For
25 purposes of this section, "pets" means domesticated or tamed animals
26 that are not owned for commercial, breeding, or business purposes."

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1   Correct the title.

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EFFECT: Specifies that if a Boundary Review Board increases
the total area of a city or town annexation, property owners in the
increased area may, after the annexation, continue to own and
possess pets and livestock lawfully in their possession at the time
of the annexation. Defines "pets" as domesticated or tamed animals
that are not owned for commercial, breeding, or business purposes.

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