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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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House

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The Committee on Commerce and Tourism (Albritton) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 2119 and 2120

insert:

Section 71. Subsection (5) is added to section 823.15, Florida Statutes, to read:

823.15 Dogs and cats released from animal shelters or animal control agencies; sterilization requirement.—

(5) Employees, agents, or contractors of a public or private animal shelter, a humane organization, or an animal



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11 control agency operated by a humane organization or by a county,  
12 municipality, or other incorporated political subdivision may  
13 implant dogs and cats with radio frequency identification  
14 microchips as part of their work with such public or private  
15 animal shelter, humane organization, or animal control agency.

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17 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

18 And the title is amended as follows:

19       Between lines 198 and 199

20 insert:

21       amending s. 823.15, F.S.; authorizing certain persons  
22       to implant dogs and cats with specified microchips  
23       under certain circumstances;