

By Senator Martin

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to fees; amending s. 585.713, F.S.;
3 requiring dog breeders to pay registration and renewal
4 fees in amounts to be determined by the Department of
5 Agriculture and Consumer Services; providing a limit
6 on such fees; requiring the department to notify a
7 certificateholder of the annual renewal fee by a
8 specified date; providing a contingent effective date.

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10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12 Section 1. Subsections (1), (2), and (3) of section
13 585.713, Florida Statutes, as created by SB 1830, 2025 Regular
14 Session, is amended to read:

15 585.713 Certificate of registration and inspection.—

16 (1) Each dog breeder within this state must apply to the
17 department, on forms supplied by the department, for a
18 certificate of registration. Each application for a certificate
19 of registration must be accompanied by a registration fee in an
20 amount determined by the department, not to exceed \$500.

21 (2) The certificate of registration, the structure of which
22 shall be determined by the department, must be renewed annually
23 on its anniversary date upon satisfactory showing that the
24 applicant has complied with this part and the rules of the
25 department and has paid the annual renewal fee in an amount
26 determined by the department, not to exceed \$500.

27 (3) The department shall provide to each dog breeder
28 subject to this section a written notice and renewal form 60
29 days before the annual renewal date, informing the dog breeder

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30 of the certificate of registration renewal date and the
31 applicable fee.

32 Section 2. This act shall take effect on the same date that
33 SB 1830 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation
34 is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension
35 thereof and becomes a law.