

Public Law 112–261  
112th Congress

An Act

Jan. 10, 2013

[S. 3666]

To amend the Animal Welfare Act to modify the definition of “exhibitor”.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of  
the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1. ANIMAL WELFARE.**

Section 2(h) of the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. 2132(h)) is amended by adding “an owner of a common, domesticated household pet who derives less than a substantial portion of income from a nonprimary source (as determined by the Secretary) for exhibiting an animal that exclusively resides at the residence of the pet owner,” after “stores,”.

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—S. 3666:**

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Dec. 6, considered and passed Senate.

Dec. 31, considered and passed House.

