

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 25, 2026
Date

Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB26-1198 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation and with a recommendation that it be placed on the consent calendar:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 3, line 23, strike "**animal shelters -**".

2 Page 3, after line 26 insert:

3 "(a) (I) "COMPOUNDED" MEANS THE PREPARATION, MIXING,
4 ASSEMBLING, PACKAGING, OR LABELING OF A DRUG OR DEVICE:

5 (A) AS A RESULT OF A VETERINARIAN'S PRESCRIPTION DRUG
6 ORDER, CHART ORDER, OR INITIATIVE, BASED ON THE RELATIONSHIP
7 BETWEEN THE VETERINARIAN, PATIENT, AND PHARMACIST IN THE COURSE
8 OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE; OR

9 (B) FOR THE PURPOSE OF, OR AS AN INCIDENT TO, RESEARCH,
10 TEACHING, OR CHEMICAL ANALYSIS AND NOT FOR SALE OR DISPENSING.

11 (II) "COMPOUNDED" ALSO INCLUDES THE PREPARATION OF DRUGS
12 OR DEVICES IN ANTICIPATION OF PRESCRIPTION DRUG ORDERS BASED ON
13 ROUTINE, REGULARLY OBSERVED PRESCRIBING PATTERNS.

14 (b) "DRUG" HAS THE MEANING SET FORTH IN SECTION 12-280-103
15 (16).".

16 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

17 Page 4, strike lines 6 through 11 and substitute "~~pursuant to subsection (1)~~
18 ~~of this section only~~ if

19 ~~(†) the compounded drug is necessary for the treatment of an~~
20 ~~animal~~ A patient's emergency condition. ~~and~~

21 ~~(H) As determined by the veterinarian, the veterinarian cannot~~
22 ~~access, in a timely manner, the compounded drug through a registered~~
23 ~~prescription drug outlet."~~

1 Page 4, strike lines 22 through 27.

2 Page 5, strike lines 1 through 13 and substitute:

3 "(4) A VETERINARIAN MAY COMPOUND AND DISPENSE
4 COMPOUNDED DRUGS FOR ANY PATIENT FOR WHICH THE VETERINARIAN
5 HAS A VETERINARIAN-CLIENT-PATIENT RELATIONSHIP AND THE
6 VETERINARIAN DETERMINES THAT IT IS DESIRABLE OR NECESSARY FOR THE
7 TREATMENT OF THE PATIENT'S CONDITION."

8 Page 5, line 17, strike "12-280-120 (17) and".

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