

exception, no such license shall be issued until the standards of the Zoning Ordinance have been complied with and/or the special exception has been obtained.

SEC. 5. Section 76-60, Chapter 76, title "Animals and Fowl," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

76-60. Same—Denial, revocation or suspension—Generally.

The Director of the Department of Inspection and Licenses may refuse to issue or renew a license or may revoke or suspend any license issued under this Article if he finds that the applicant or licensee has wilfully withheld a falsified any information required for a license. A license issued under this Article may be revoked or suspended upon a finding that the licensee is in violation of any provision of this Chapter or has engaged in fraud or wilful misrepresentation in connection with the sale of animals. Any revocation, suspension or failure to renew shall be by written notice to the licensee served upon the licensee personally or by certified mail. Before any license may be revoked or suspended, the Director shall afford the licensee an opportunity to appear at a hearing before the Director or his designee and show cause why such license should not be revoked or suspended.

SEC. 6. Subsection (b) of Section 76-62, Chapter 76, title "Animals and Fowl," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, new subsection (d) is hereby added to said Section 76-62, existing subsection (d) is hereby repealed and re-enacted and subsections (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j) and (k), are redesignated, all to read as follows:

76-62. Minimum standards for the housing and care of animals.

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(b) Cages—All cages are to be constructed of a nonabsorbent, nonporous material. All cages, except bird cages, shall have floors of either solid construction or woven wire mesh construction or any combination thereof. Cages having woven or wire mesh floors may be used to confine or display animals provided that the spaces between the wire mesh or weave are smaller than the pads of the feet of the animals confined therein. Cages having wire construction shall be constructed of wire which is of sufficient thickness so as to preclude injury to the animals confined therein. Cages constructed of wire having barbs or other rough surfaces are prohibited. All cages shall be of sufficient height to permit every animal confined therein to stand normally to its full height and to turn.

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(d) Disease or illness. Any animal which exhibits symptoms of disease or illness shall be separated to the greatest extent possible