

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66C, §434 of the Code. The reference to hogs is proposed for deletion because hogs are domestic animals. The last clause is proposed for deletion in light of the uniform penalty provision of this Article. The only other changes made are in style.

SEC. 3-110. EXPOSURE OF HEALTHY ANIMALS TO INFECTED ANIMALS PROHIBITED.

A PERSON MAY NOT KNOWINGLY EXPOSE ~~[[INTENTIONALLY]]~~ ANY ANIMAL TO AN ANIMAL INFECTED WITH A CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTIOUS DISEASE, OR PLACE OR CAUSE TO BE PLACED ANY HEALTHY OR UNEXPOSED ANIMAL OF THE SAME SPECIES ON ANY PREMISES DECLARED TO BE INFECTED, UNTIL THE INFECTED ANIMAL IS DECLARED FREE FROM INFECTION BY THE SECRETARY OR AGENT. IN ADDITION TO ANY PENALTY PROVIDED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE, ANY ANIMAL INTRODUCED INTO ANY INFECTED LOCATION THAT HAS BEEN DECLARED INFECTED, SHALL BE SLAUGHTERED BY THE SECRETARY OR HIS AGENT, OR UPON ORDER OF THE SECRETARY, WITHOUT APPRAISEMENT OR COMPENSATION FROM THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66C, §428 of the Code. The present reference to an "intentional" act is proposed for deletion and a reference to a "knowing" act is substituted because the legislature intended this to be a malum in se offense. The reference to animals "affected" with a contagious or infectious disease is proposed for deletion because the proper word is "infected". The reference to "his agent" is added since this phrase is being used throughout this subtitle. New language is added to the last sentence to permit the slaughter of animals upon the order of the Secretary. This revision is made because occasionally so many animals are infected that it is not feasible for the Department to slaughter all of them and it must order others to do so. The only other changes made are in style.

SEC. 3-111. SALE OF INFECTED ANIMALS; INOCULATION OF ANIMALS PROHIBITED.