

**S.B. 190**  
**ANIMAL CRUELTY OFFENSES**

Senator **Gene Davis** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Line 24*

*Senate Committee Amendments*

*2-5-2007:*

24 possession of animals for a specified period;

- ▶ provides an exemption regarding torture if the animals are used for agricultural purposes;

2. *Page 2, Lines 52 through 54:*

52 (A)(I) animals { ~~kept or~~ } owned , kept, managed, or used for agricultural purposes and cared  
for in accordance with

53 accepted { ~~§~~ local ~~§~~ } husbandry practices :

54 (B) animals used for rodeo purposes and cared for in accordance with accepted { ~~§~~ local ~~§~~ }

3. *Page 3, Line 63*

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63 for in accordance with accepted { ~~§~~ local ~~§~~ } husbandry practices.

4. *Page 4, Line 106:*

(c) This Subsection (6) does not apply to an animal owned, kept, managed, or used for agricultural purposes, if the actor owns the animal or has lawful authority to keep, manage, or use the animal.

106 [(5)] (7) It is a defense to prosecution under this section that the conduct of the actor