1st Sub. H.B. 145 VETERINARY TELEHEALTH AMENDMENTS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

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Representative **Stephanie Gricius** proposes the following amendments:

1. Page 5, Lines 128 through 144: 128 (1) "Unprofessional conduct" includes, in addition to the definitions in Section 129 58-1-501: 130 (a) applying unsanitary methods or procedures in the treatment of any animal, contrary 131 to rules adopted by the board and approved by the division; 132 (b) procuring any fee or recompense on the assurance that a manifestly incurable 133 diseased condition of the body of an animal can be permanently cured; 134 (c) selling any biologics containing living or dead organisms or products or such 135 organisms, except in a manner which will prevent indiscriminate use of such biologics; 136 (d) swearing falsely in any testimony or affidavit, relating to, or in the course of, the 137 practice of veterinary medicine, surgery, or dentistry; (e) willful failure to report any dangerous, infectious, or contagious disease, as required 138 139 by law; 140 (f) willful failure to report the results of any medical tests, as required by law, or rule 141 adopted pursuant to law; 142 (g) violating Chapter 37, Utah Controlled Substances Act; 143 (h) { delegating tasks to unlicensed assistive personnel in violation of standards of the 144 profession and in violation of Subsection (2) delegating to unlicensed assistive personnel: (i) a task that violates the standards of the profession or Subsection (2); or (ii) the administration of anesthesia or sedation if the delegating veterinarian is not providing direct supervision of the administration ; and 2. Page 6, Lines 170 through 171: 170 (b) The delegation of tasks permitted under Subsections (2)(a)(i) through $\{v\}$ does not (iv) 171 include: Page 6, Lines 176 through 177: 176 (3) Notwithstanding any provision of this section, a veterinarian [licensed under this 177 chapter] is not prohibited from engaging in a discussion described in Subsection

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