



**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU
Governor

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BY HIS EXCELLENCY
CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR**

Executive Order 2017-05

An order amending Executive Order 2017-04

WHEREAS, the Governor's Commission on the Humane Treatment of Animals was reestablished by Executive Order 2017-04 on August 17, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has received overwhelming interest from New Hampshire citizens, who have expressed interest in serving on the Commission and have provided valuable feedback on the Commission's activities and mission.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, by the authority vested in me by Part II, Article 41 of the New Hampshire Constitution, do hereby order that:

1. Section 1(a)(4) of Executive Order 2017-04 is amended to read as follows:

- 4) suggested legislation as necessary to ensure the safety and welfare of domestic animals and New Hampshire citizens.

2. Section 2 of Executive Order 2017-04 is amended to read as follows:

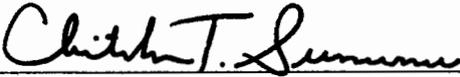
2. The Commission shall consist of the following members who shall be nominated by the organization listed for appointment by, and to serve at the pleasure of, the Governor:

- a) Six New Hampshire citizens who are informed and concerned about animal abuse prevention;
- b) A cruelty investigator employed by a licensed humane society;
- c) A representative from a national humane organization who is a resident of New Hampshire;
- d) A member of the Animal Control Officers Association of New Hampshire;
- e) A representative of the New Hampshire Police Chiefs Association;
- f) A representative of the New Hampshire Federation of Humane Organizations;
- g) A representative of the New Hampshire Sheriff's Association;
- h) The New Hampshire State Veterinarian or designee;

- i) A representative of the New Hampshire Veterinary Medical Association;
- j) A representative of the New Hampshire Farm Bureau Association;
- k) A representative of sportsmen interests;
- l) A member of a New Hampshire equine association or organization;
- m) A member representing canine owner interests, nominated jointly by the New Hampshire musher's association and the Dog Owners of the Granite State;
- n) A representative of the New Hampshire Veterinary Technician Association;
- o) A representative from the UNH Cooperative Extension;
- p) A state representative recommended by the Speaker of the House;
- q) A state senator recommended by the Senate President.

3. All other provisions of Executive Order 2017-04 remain in full force and effect.

Given under my hand and seal at the Executive Chambers in Concord, this 14th day of September, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand and seventeen, and the independence of the United States of America, two hundred and forty-one.



GOVERNOR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE