State of Texas	\$	Court Order
Collin County	§	2021-439-05-03
Commissioners Court	<b>§</b>	

## An order of the Collin County Commissioners Court supporting proposed legislation.

The Collin County Commissioners Court hereby supports the floor amendment to HB 652 as attached, and requests that it be further amended to include stores, breeders, and entities that house animals.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried by a majority of the court members in attendance during a regular session on Monday, May 3, 2021.

Chris Hill, County Judge

Susan Fletcher, Commissioner, Pct 1

Cheryl Whiams, Commissioner, Pct 2

Darrell Hale, Commissioner, Pct 3

Juncan Webb, Commissioner, Pct 4

ATTEST: Stacey Kemp, County Clerk

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO.\_\_\_\_

19 from the shelter.

BY:

x: Buckley

1	Amend H.B. No. 652 on third reading by striking added Section
2	823.004, Health and Safety Code (page 1, lines 7 through 19), and
3	substituting the following:
4	Sec. 823.004. NOTICE OF CERTAIN COMMUNICABLE OR INFECTIOUS
5	DISEASES. (a) The department, in consultation with the State
6	Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, shall develop and the
7	department and board shall each post on the agency's Internet
8	website a model electronic or written notice regarding an animal's
9	possible exposure to a communicable or infectious disease while
10	the animal is in an animal shelter. At a minimum the notice must:
11	(1) warn a person who adopts an animal from a shelter
12	about the animal's possible exposure to common communicable or
13	infectious diseases, the incubation period for those diseases, and
14	the need to monitor the animal for two weeks; and
15	(2) encourage the person to have a veterinarian examine
16	the adopted animal after adoption.
17	(b) An animal shelter may provide the notice developed under
18	Subsection (a) to a person at the time the person adopts an animal