



## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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**HB4162**

by Rep. JoAnn D. Osmond - Patricia R. Bellock

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

510 ILCS 70/7.2 new

Amends the Humane Care for Animals Act. Provides that no person may transport any equidae in a vehicle or trailer containing 2 or more levels of equidae, one on top of the other. Sets out penalties for the illegal transport of equidae. Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning animals.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Humane Care for Animals Act is amended by  
5 adding Section 7.2 as follows:

6 (510 ILCS 70/7.2 new)

7 Sec. 7.2. Transport of horses.

8 (a) No person may transport any equidae in a vehicle or  
9 trailer containing 2 or more levels of equidae, one on top of  
10 the other.

11 (b) Any person that violates this Section shall be guilty  
12 of (i) a petty offense, subject to a fine of at least \$500, per  
13 animal, for a first offense and (ii) a Class C misdemeanor,  
14 subject to a fine of at least \$1,000, per animal, for all  
15 second or subsequent offenses.

16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
17 becoming law.