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Having reviewed the bill and listened to testimony, the language of the bill is far too ambiguous and needs to be tabled or rewritten with very, very specific exemptions. In the AG world, many are raising heritage breed livestock animals. I have grave concerns with regards to the use of hybrid with no clarity on what this means with regards to the livestock world. Additionally, I have serious concerns with the exemption list and the allowable time frame of 12-24 off site of their permanent housing. The public pays money to attend horse fairs, livestock shows and rodeos to watch a young person in Rodeo, 4H and FFA "perform" in a showing ring, where they display the confirmation qualities of the animal they raised, along with their ability to handle the animal. Is this considered a performance? My conclusion, there are far too many things about this bill that left to interpretation, could potentially impact these activities that educate youth and the greater public, in the future.