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On Behalf Of:

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Wildfire

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I vehemently oppose this measure. As a horse owner, having my qualified veterinarian take care of my horse's dental needs is crucial. Sedatives are involved which should NOT be in the hands of non-veterinarians. My vet also takes the opportunity to do any other necessary exams while my horse is sedated. If passed, this bill would lower the overall quality of health care for equines. Also, having my horse's teeth taken care of by a veterinary professional is surprisingly inexpensive. So I cannot imagine that there would be significant cost savings to equine owners. Please vote NO.