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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Agriculture Committee

From: Natalie Scott, Assistant Revisor of Statutes

Date: February 2, 2015

Subject: Bill Brief on SB 46

SB 46 amends the requirements for identification of domesticated deer.

Current law provides that domesticated deer shall be permanently identified through implementation of microchips, ear tags, ear tattoos, ear notches or some other permanent method of identification. This bill strikes that language and requires that domesticated deer that arrive or leave a premises for any reason other than movement to a registered slaughter facility must have official identification as prescribed in rules and regulations promulgated by the commissioner of animal health.

