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SUBCHAPTER 52J - ANIMAL WELFARE SECTION	**SECTION .0100 - RECORD KEEPING AND LICENSING**	02 NCAC 52J .0101	RECORDS; ANIMAL SHELTERS, ETC.	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0102	RECORDS; BOARDING KENNELS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0103	INSPECTION OF RECORDS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0104	DEFINITIONS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0105	LICENSES AND REGISTRATIONS	Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0200 - FACILITIES AND OPERATING STANDARDS	02 NCAC 52J .0201	GENERAL	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0202	INDOOR FACILITIES	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0203	OUTDOOR FACILITIES	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0204	PRIMARY ENCLOSURES	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0205	FEEDING	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0206	WATERING	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0207	SANITATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0209	CLASSIFICATION AND SEPARATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0210	VETERINARY CARE	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0300 - TRANSPORTATION STANDARDS	02 NCAC 52J .0301	VEHICLES	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0302	PRIMARY ENCLOSURES USED IN TRANSPORTING DOGS AND CATS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0303	FOOD AND WATER REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0304	CARE IN TRANSIT	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0400 - EUTHANASIA STANDARDS	02 NCAC 52J .0401	ADOPTION BY REFERENCE	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0402	AUTHORIZED PERSONS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0403	DEFINITIONS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0404	CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR EUTHANASIA TECHNICIANS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0405	CERTIFICATION STANDARDS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0406	APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0407	TRAINING AND EXAMINATIONS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0408	TRAINERS	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0410	EXAM REQUIRED	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0411	NEW APPLICATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0412	ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0413	LENGTH OF CERTIFICATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0414	TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0415	NOTICE OF TERMINATION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt

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		02 NCAC 52J .0416	REINSTATEMENT	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0417	CERTIFICATION RENEWAL	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0418	DUTIES	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0419	GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINE - CERTIFIED EUTHANASIA TECHNICIANS	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0500 – EUTHANASIA BY INJECTION	02 NCAC 52J .0501	INTRACARDIAC INJECTION	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0700 - EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES	02 NCAC 52J .0701	EUTHANASIA UNDER EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0702	GUNSHOT OR OTHER METHODS	Readopted Eff. October 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0703	METHODS AND STANDARDS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0704	TECHNICIAN NOT REQUIRED	Eff. March 23, 2009	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0705	REPORTS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0800 – POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL	02 NCAC 52J .0801	MANUAL REQUIRED	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0802	CONTENTS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0803	ADDITIONAL CONTENTS	Readopted Eff. September 1, 2022	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
	SECTION .0900 – ANIMAL SHELTER SUPPORT FUND	02 NCAC 52J .0901	ELIGIBLE EXPENSES	Amended Eff. December 1, 2023	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt
		02 NCAC 52J .0902	APPLICATION GUIDELINES	Amended Eff. December 1, 2023	Necessary	No	n/a	No	Necessary	No comments with merit	Necessary and must be readopted	Agency must readopt