



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to prohibiting the sale of guinea pigs in pet shops

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| 2/10/2022  | *    | City Council        | Introduced by Council       |        |
| 2/10/2022  | *    | City Council        | Referred to Comm by Council |        |
| 12/14/2022 | *    | Committee on Health | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 12/14/2022 | *    | Committee on Health | Laid Over by Committee      |        |
| 4/11/2023  | *    | Committee on Health | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 4/11/2023  | *    | Committee on Health | Amendment Proposed by Comm  |        |
| 4/11/2023  | *    | Committee on Health | Amended by Committee        |        |
| 4/11/2023  | A    | Committee on Health | Approved by Committee       | Pass   |
| 4/11/2023  | A    | City Council        | Approved by Council         | Pass   |
| 4/11/2023  | A    | City Council        | Sent to Mayor by Council    |        |
| 5/12/2023  | A    | Administration      | City Charter Rule Adopted   |        |
| 5/16/2023  | A    | City Council        | Returned Unsigned by Mayor  |        |

### Int. No. 4-A

By Council Members Ayala, Menin, Powers, Holden, Schulman, Louis, Farías, Ossé, Hanif, Krishnan, Brannan, Marte, Abreu, Joseph, Bottcher, Riley, Brewer, Dinowitz, Gennaro, De La Rosa, Gutiérrez, Moya, Ung, Cabán, Nurse, Rivera, Sanchez, Lee, Salamanca, Narcisse, Avilés, Hudson, Velázquez, Richardson

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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision c of section 17-1702 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as amended by local law number 53 for the year 2015, is amended to read as follows:

c. It shall be unlawful for any pet shop to display, offer for sale, deliver, barter, auction, give away, transfer or sell any rabbit or guinea pig.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 30 days after it becomes law.

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