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Title 44 Animals And Animal Husbandry
Chapter 17 Dogs and Cats
Part 1 Dog and Cat Dealers

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44-17-102. Part definitions.

As used in this part, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) "Cat" means any live cat of the species *Felis catus*;
- (2) "Commerce" means buying or selling or transporting from one (1) place to another in this state;
- (3) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of agriculture;
- (4) (A) "Dealer" means any person who, for compensation or profit, buys, sells, transports (except as a common carrier) delivers for transportation, or boards dogs or cats for research purposes, or any person who buys or sells twenty-