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Senate Bill 694

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

CHAPTER

AN ACT

Relating to confinement of animals.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. (1) **As used in this section:**

(a) **“Pig”** means a porcine animal of a type maintained as livestock.
(b) **“Turning around freely”** means having the ability to turn in a complete circle in an enclosure without an impediment, including a tether, and without touching any side of the enclosure.

(2) **A person commits the offense of restrictive confinement of a pregnant pig if the person confines a pregnant pig for more than 12 hours during any 24-hour period in a manner that prevents the pregnant pig from:**

- (a) **Lying down and fully extending its limbs; or**
- (b) **Turning around freely.**
- (3) **Subsection (2) of this section does not apply to a pregnant pig:**
 - (a) **That is being transported;**
 - (b) **In a rodeo exhibition, a state or county fair exhibition or a similar exhibition;**
 - (c) **During the slaughtering process;**
 - (d) **During lawful scientific or agricultural research;**
 - (e) **During an examination, operation or test by a veterinarian or during temporary treatment for veterinary purposes; or**
 - (f) **In the seven-day period before the pig farrows.**
- (4) **The offense of restrictive confinement of a pregnant pig is a Class A violation.**

SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2007 Act applies to confinement of a pregnant pig that occurs on or after January 1, 2012.

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