

VIA EMAIL

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Sarah A. Simpson, JD Director of Legal Affairs Licensing and Enforcement Indiana Board of Animal Health sasimpson@boah.in.gov

Re: LSA Document #19-430/ Economic Impact Statement

Ms. Smith,

Pursuant to Indiana Code 4-22, as the Small Business Ombudsman, I have reviewed the economic impact analysis for small businesses associated with the rule changes contained in LSA Document #19-430 proposed by the Indiana Board of Animal Health.

Based on my assessment as the Small Business Ombudsman, I have concluded that the proposed rule will not have a negative impact on small businesses.

The economic impact statement prepared by the Indiana Board of Animal Health states, "This rule does not increase compliance costs for regulated entities."

Based upon this statement and review, the Small Business Ombudsman supports the proposed rule related to the economic impact to small business if the Indiana Board of Animal Health conclusion reflects the actual result after promulgation. If you have any questions about these comments, please contact me at KColclazier@iedc.IN.gov.

Sincerely,

Katelyn Colclazier

Small Business Ombudsman