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Chairperson Greig Smith Public Safety Committee All City Council Members City of Los Angeles 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles CA 90012 Ref: **PROTEST: CF 10-0952** 

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Honorable Chair Smith and Council Members:

## PROTEST/OPPOSITION TO INCREASING ANIMAL LIMITS (CF 10-0982)

We own and manage numerous properties in Los Angeles and find the proposal to extend the limit of dogs and cats to five (5) each per city residential property, which will probably mean as many as someone can get away with, utterly without merit and, worse yet, harmful to the animals and people who must deal with the fallout.

As for those behind this proposal, these are irresponsible people who care little about their surrounding community and prefer to have a kennel-like existence for these unfortunate animals and the neighbors who are forced to live next to all that goes on with a kennel atmosphere.

With an addendum of exemption of the rescue dogs and cats, as many as a house (or spare rooms or garages) can hold, is this what the Council wants to quietly spring onto its constituency?

I, my family, and everyone with whom I speak about this is, needless to say, outraged. I find it remarkable that someone could think this is a solution to the throwaway animals we already have to deal with.

With all due respect, Gentlemen, I would submit that you need to pay more attention to the mess in which this city finds itself, and stop the diversion of adding animals and creating more of a mess. We urge that the entire Committee vote against this proposal and that our opinion be extended to any hearing before the City Council.

Most respectful and Bertha Roser and Associates

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