

**ADOPTED**

Senator Harp of the 29th offered the following amendment:

1 *Amend SB 38 (LC 35 1129) by striking lines 1 through 78 and inserting in lieu thereof the*  
2 *following:*

3 To amend Article 2 of Chapter 16 of Title 45 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,  
4 relating to death investigations by coroners, so as to provide for the training of canine service  
5 dogs for the purpose of body recovery and rescue of persons; to provide for related matters;  
6 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:**

**SECTION 1.**

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9 Article 2 of Chapter 16 of Title 45 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to  
10 death investigations by coroners, is revised by adding a new Code section to read as follows:

11 "45-16-50.

12 A medical examiner within the state of Georgia is authorized to provide to an approved  
13 canine instructor or school certain biological substances such as human blood or bodily  
14 fluids for the sole purpose of utilizing such substances for the training and handling of  
15 police canine in body recovery of human remains or rescue of persons. Such biological  
16 substances shall be contained and transported in accordance with appropriate health and  
17 safety standards."

18 **SECTION 2.**