

HB 189

2009

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to dangerous dogs; amending s. 767.14,
3 F.S.; eliminating the prohibition of breed-specific local
4 government regulation of dangerous dogs; providing an
5 effective date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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9 Section 1. Section 767.14, Florida Statutes, is amended to
10 read:

11 767.14 Additional local restrictions authorized.--Nothing
12 in this act shall limit any local government from placing
13 further restrictions or additional requirements on owners of
14 dangerous dogs or developing procedures and criteria for the
15 implementation of this act, provided that ~~no such regulation is~~
16 ~~specific to breed and that~~ the provisions of this act are not
17 lessened by such additional regulations or requirements. This
18 section shall not apply to any local ordinance adopted prior to
19 October 1, 1990.

20 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.