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Restraining orders for your pets, as well as for you!
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Pet owners take note! As of October 2012, a new Massachusetts law, M.G.L.A. 209A section 11, allows anyone with a no contact or restraining order, to also obtain an order for the possession, care, and control of any domesticated animal owned, leased or kept by the you or any minor child. The court may also order the defendant be restrained from taking, threatening, or abusing any animal included in the restraining order.

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