

2022 Missouri Revised Statutes

Title XXXVIII - Crimes and Punishment;

Peace Officers and Public Defenders

Chapter 578 - Miscellaneous Offenses

Section 578.013 - Recordings of farm animals alleged to be abused or neglected, submission to law enforcement required — violation, penalty.

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578.013. Recordings of farm animals alleged to be abused or neglected, submission to law enforcement required — violation, penalty. — 1. Whenever any farm animal professional videotapes or otherwise makes a digital recording of what he or she believes to depict a farm animal subjected to abuse or neglect under sections 578.009 or 578.012, such farm animal professional shall have a duty to submit such videotape or digital recording to a law enforcement agency within twenty-four hours of the recording.

2. No videotape or digital recording submitted under subsection 1 of this section shall be spliced, edited, or manipulated in any way prior to its submission.

3. An intentional violation of any provision of this section is a class A misdemeanor.
