

Nancy Blaney has worked on behalf of animals for more than 25 years and is currently a Senior Policy Advisor with the Animal Welfare Institute, which became the first advocate for animals on Capitol Hill in 1951. Dedicated to alleviating the suffering of animals caused by humans, AWI has been a leader in achieving the most significant federal animal protection laws and has extended its efforts to improving the enforcement of state and local cruelty laws and calling attention to the relationship between animal cruelty and interpersonal violence.

Nancy also serves as co-chair of the Animal Cruelty Advisory Council of the Association of Prosecuting Attorneys. She is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of Maryland.

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## Witness Disclosure Form

**Clause 2(g) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires non-governmental witnesses to disclose to the Committee the following information. A non-governmental witness is any witness appearing on behalf of himself/herself or on behalf of an organization other than a federal agency, or a state, local or tribal government.**

Your Name, Business Address, and Telephone Number:

Nancy Blaney

1. Are you appearing on behalf of yourself or a non-governmental organization? Please list organization(s) you are representing.

The Animal Welfare Institute

2. Have you or any organization you are representing received any Federal grants or contracts (including any subgrants or subcontracts) since October 1, 2008?

Yes      No

3. If your response to question #2 is "Yes", please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each grant or contract, and indicate whether the recipient of such grant or contract was you or the organization(s) you are representing.

Signature:

Date:

*March 12, 2012*