



Inspection Report

Doug Dettbarn
Wendie Dettbarn
34784 St Sebald Rd
Strawberry Point, IA 52076

Customer ID: 5193
Certificate: 42-A-1328
Site: 001
WENDIE DETTBARN AND DOUG DETTBARN

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 11-FEB-2016

3.4(b)(4) DIRECT REPEAT

OUTDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

The 27 plastic shelter structures being used by 26 dogs in the outdoor housing area contain very little or no bedding material. The inspector recorded a temperature of 17.0 degrees F using the Kestrel device at the time of inspection. According to the National Weather Service, the low temperature last night was -2 degrees F. The forecast for the low temperature tonight is 10.0 degrees F. Most of the dogs that are in the outdoor housing area on the east side are small breed dogs. The licensee stated he could provide all the shelters with sufficient bedding material this afternoon.

Dogs that are not provided with clean and dry bedding material during low ambient temperatures can have difficulty maintaining a safe body temperature. The licensee must provide bedding when the ambient temperatures are below 50 degrees F and additional bedding when the temperature is below 35 degrees F.

3.11(a) REPEAT

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

There is an excessive accumulation of frozen animal waste, packed snow and ice covering most of the ground surface within the outdoor enclosures. The affected enclosures are located on the northeast and northwest side of the property. Within at least two enclosures the packed snow and ice is up to approximately 2 inches thick. At least 26 dogs have to walk on the packed snow and frozen feces to get from one end of the enclosure to the other. The licensee stated the enclosures were last cleaned out about a week and a half ago when the temperatures were above freezing. The licensee also stated the snow, ice and inclement weather has affected the frequency in which the outdoor enclosures are cleaned.

Excessive accumulations of animal waste in the primary enclosures can increase disease risks and can result in the dogs becoming soiled. The licensee must ensure that animal waste is removed from all primary enclosures on a daily basis or more often if needed. The snow and ice must also be removed to prevent the dogs from becoming wet and to help facilitate proper cleaning and sanitization of the enclosures being used.

Exit briefing conducted with licensee.

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Date:
11-FEB-2016

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 6079

Received by Title: LICENSEE

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
5193	42-A-1328	001	WENDIE DETTBARN AND DOUG DETTBARN	11-FEB-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000067	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000035	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000102	Total	