



## Inspection Report

J Maassen Inc  
2078 300th Street  
Rock Valley, IA 51247

Customer ID: **8363**  
Certificate: **42-A-0760**  
Site: 001  
J MAASSEN, INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 25-AUG-2014

### 2.40(b)(2)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

Licensee presented current Program of Veterinary Care that was signed in February of 2014. Facility had listed on the Program of Veterinary Care the routine method of euthanasia for the facility as " Gunshot in brain at close range. If needed contact XXXXXXXX for injectable euthanasia by veterinarian".

According the 2013 AVMA (American Veterinary Medical Association) Guidelines for the Euthanasia of Animals, gunshot is not an acceptable form of euthanasia when other methods can be used.

The licensee agreed to no longer use gunshot euthanasia. The licensee must consult with the attending veterinarian to select and document an acceptable form of routine euthanasia for the facility and ensure the facility uses appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries at all times.

Correction date: immediately

In the middle barn there is a female Shar-pei, microchip number 0A02204553, that has a large, red, swelling between the digits on the left front paw. Licensee said the dog has not been evaluated by a veterinarian. Swellings and inflammation between the digits on the paw may cause pain and discomfort to the dog. This dog must be evaluated by a licensed veterinarian in order to ensure proper diagnosis and an appropriate treatment plan is developed. Diagnosis and treatment must be documented and available to inspector upon request.

Correction date: 09/02/14

### 3.1(c)(1)(1)

#### HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

In four of the buildings housing dogs, the enclosures have fronts and sections of their sides made of wire. The coating on the wire has been torn off by the dogs and the wire is rusting. Rusting causes pitting and flaking of the wire which does not allow for proper sanitization of the wire. The wire needs to be replaced or altered in a manner

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that allows for proper cleaning and sanitization every two weeks.

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### 3.6(a)(2)(9)

#### PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

In four of the buildings housing dogs, the enclosures are made with a vinyl frame that has been excessively chewed by the dogs. This damage allows dirt and food waste to penetrate the surface of the vinyl which can result in disease hazards towards the dogs. The vinyl frame needs to be replaced or altered in a manner that allows for proper cleaning and sanitization of the enclosure every two weeks.

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Exit interview conducted with facility representative at facility.

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
8363	42-A-0760	001	J MAASSEN, INC	25-AUG-14

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000323	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000142	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
<b>000465</b>	<b>Total</b>	