



## Inspection Report

Claudia Obermiller  
915 Union Rd  
Farwell, NE 68838

Customer ID: **5567**  
Certificate: **47-A-0295**  
Site: 001  
Claudia Obermiller

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 01-MAY-2014

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**2.40(b)(2) DIRECT REPEAT**

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

**\*\*Female, sealpoint ragdoll, "Spring" , ID #12** is still undergoing treatment, however, the condition seems to be worse. The cat was observed sleeping, and was difficult to rouse. When she held her head up, her eyes were sealed shut with a thick, yellowish discharge and she was unable to open them at all. The cat immediately put her head back down and appeared lethargic. The cat was curled up and never attempted to rise during the course of the inspection. Lethargy can be a sign of pain and/or indicate the presence of a serious medical condition. The licensee failed to consult with her veterinarian when the cat did not respond to the prescribed treatment and developed new problems.

**\*\*Female, sealpoint ragdoll, " Rainey" , ID #45** is still undergoing treatment, however, the condition has not improved. She is still squinting in both eyes. The third eyelids are still raised and appear pink, and the outer eyelids, both upper and lower, still appear pink and inflamed. There is a light tan to yellowish discharge around both eyes with accompanying tear drainage. The fur about an inch surrounding each eye appears to be wet. The licensee states she has been following the treatment recommended by the veterinarian, and has shown documentation of both the veterinary notes and the treatment given. However, she acknowledges the treatment does not appear to be having any affect, and has failed to consult with the veterinarian about this issue.

**\*\*Male, bluepoint ragdoll, " Blue Ice" , ID # 10** is squinting in both eyes, has a crusty yellowish discharge around both eyes, and the eyelids appear slightly pink and inflamed. The licensee stated she noticed this condition on April 15, and started following the same treatment as the female ragdolls identified here. She stated she did not consult her veterinarian specifically about this cat.

Eye problems can be an indicator of injury, disease, allergies or irritation, and can be itchy and/or painful, and can affect the well-being of the animal. It is potentially distressful when an animal cannot open its eyes, and this could prevent the cat from eating and drinking in a normal manner. Lethargy could indicate that the animal has a serious medical condition.

The licensee must develop and follow a program of adequate veterinary care including the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat disease and injuries and the availability of emergency, weekend,

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and holiday care.

The licensee must have these cats examined by a veterinarian to obtain a proper diagnosis and appropriate treatment plan. The licensee must document the veterinarian's findings, the treatment plan that is followed, and have the records available to the inspector upon request. In addition, the licensee must consult with the veterinarian if the conditions do not improve.

To be corrected by: Friday, May 2, 2014 for " Spring"

Noon, Saturday, May 3, 2014 for " Rainey" and "Blue Ice"

This is a focused inspection specifically addressing the direct non-compliant items 2.40 (b) 2, identified on April 10, 2014.

\*\* Female, black and white Persian, " Sue" ID #31, has been addressed.

\*\*Male, Bengal, "Doc" ID #9, has been addressed.

The inspection and an exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
5567	47-A-0295	001	Claudia Obermiller	01-MAY-14

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000005	<i>Felis silvestris catus</i>	CAT ADULT
<b>000005</b>	<b>Total</b>	