



Inspection Report

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Customer ID: **16406**
Certificate: **43-B-3620**
Site: 001
JOSH SOUZA

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 17-FEB-2015

2.40(b)(2) DIRECT REPEAT

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

***In the sheltered facility, there was a male Boston Terrier identified as "Mister"- DOB 3/31/07, that had protruding shoulder, hip and spine bones more prominently than during the inspection of February 10, 2015. The flanks were sunken from the base of the where the ribs attach to the spine to the protruding hip bones. This dog was extremely thin. This dog also had hair loss on the lateral sides of both front legs approximately two inches above the feet. These areas were bright pink with a few small scabbed areas and other areas that were raised and pinkish/clear as in the appearance of a blister. There was also hair loss (dime size) across the front paws, the back legs approximately four inches above the feet, the tail, spine and hip bones. The hair loss had extended across the digits of the front left foot. There was a crusty area of hair loss on the back area in between the shoulders, just at the base of the white hair around the neck. He also had toenails that were long enough that they were beginning to turn the digits. The eyes appeared to be sluggish and dull. The facility representative stated that this animal had been dewormed recently due to being thin and that the hairloss was from digging. This dog was housed on cement. This dog had not been evaluated by a licensed veterinarian as instructed in the report for the February 10, 2015 inspection.. Bone protrusion and hair loss can be indications of a serious medical condition. Long toenails left unattended can turn the digits and cause discomfort, pain or lameness.

***In the outdoor facility, there was a male Shih Tzu identified as 00070C34D8 "Willie"- DOB 1/4/09 was moving in a more normal manner yet had not been evaluated by a licensed veterinarian as instructed in the report for the February 10, 2015 inspection. The licensee must have these animal evaluated by a licensed veterinarian for appropriate diagnosis and a treatment plan. The treatment plan must be followed. Must be seen by licensed veterinarian by close of business on February 17, 2015.

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3.4(b)(3) REPEAT

OUTDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

(b) Shelter from the elements.

(3) Be provided with a wind and rain break.

***In the outdoor facility there was a plastic type housing shelter in an enclosure containing one adult Pug. This housing shelter had no wind or rain break at the entrance to the house. The ambient temperature via Kestrel 3000 was 30.8 F and the wind chill was 27.3. Wind and rain breaks are vital for protection of the animal from the elements. The licensee must provide a wind and rain break at the entrance of this housing shelter and assure that all outdoor are provide with wind and rain breaks as required.

3.4(b)(4) REPEAT

OUTDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

(b) Shelter from the elements. (4) Contain clean, dry, bedding.

***In the outdoor housing facility, some of the housing shelters had carpet pads used for bedding and some were bare floors. The ambient temperature was 30.8 via Kestrel 3000 and the wind chill was 27.3. The lack of appropriate amount of bedding in cold environments increases the risks of illness and hypothermic situations to the animals. The licensee must provide appropriate bedding for temperatures below 50 degrees and extra bedding below 35 degrees as required.

This inspection began at 0948.

This was a focus inspection.

The inspection and exit conference were conducted with the facility representative.

End of report.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
16406	43-B-3620	001	JOSH SOUZA	17-FEB-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000010	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000010	Total	