

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

ACOMPTON INS-0001004518

#### **Inspection Report**

Karen Woody Gregg Woody

PO Box 68

Mulberry Grove, IL 62262

Customer ID: 6486

Certificate: 33-C-0218

Site: 001

KAREN & GREGG WOODY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 15-MAY-2024

2.75(b)(1) Critical Repeat

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The licensee has failed to make and keep records of acquisition and disposition pertaining to at least one dingo. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) was provided by state officials showing that the facility purchased and transported one Dingo from a Michigan zoo on December 6, 2023. This animal was not present at the facility during the inspection. There was no record of this animal's acquisition or disposition in the facility's records. The licensee advised at a previous inspection that the animal was transported to a person in Illinois for breeding, however the information of that animal's location (disposition) continues to not be provided. A request was made to inspect the records of the facilities zebu located on their property that are used for sales or exhibition, and this request was denied.

The lack of records prevents the traceability of exotic animals acquired by the facility and sold to the public.

Every dealer and exhibitor shall make, keep, and maintain records or forms which fully and correctly disclose the following information concerning animals other than dogs and cats, purchased, or otherwise acquired, owned, held, leased, or otherwise in his or her possession or under his or her control, or which is transported, sold, euthanized, or otherwise disposed of by that dealer or exhibitor.

#### 2.125 Critical

Information as to business; furnishing of same by dealers, exhibitors, operators of auction sales, intermediate handlers, and carriers.

The licensee refused to furnish business records requested by APHIS Officials during the inspection. The facility organizes an online auction business, acting as a broker by running an auction sale of exotic hoof stock animals including Scottish highlanders, yak, and zebu. During the inspection, the inspector made a third request to inspect the records of the past zebu and Scottish highlanders that were discussed the previous inspection on March 25, 2024. This request to inspect records included those pertaining to:

- Nine zebu that were bought at an auction in MO on April 6, 2023
- Two miniature Highland cattle on February 2, 2024, for which APHIS Officials received a copy of a certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI) from the Minnesota Board of Animal Health
- Two Highland Cattle received on March 5, 2024, from a facility in MN.

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Additionally, APHIS Officials requested to inspect information concerning the sale of at least one Yak sold through the auction from April 24-25, 2024. State Officials provided APHIS with certificates of veterinary inspection concerning the Yak (CVI 4-8-2024) and Highland Cattle (CVI 2-2-24 and 3-5-24), demonstrating that documentation was created. During the inspection, the facility representative confirmed that they do maintain records of these sales. When Officials requested to review these records, the licensee refused, stating she was not comfortable allowing inspectors access. The licensee was reminded about requirements to furnish information that APHIS Officials request in connection with the enforcement of the provisions of the Act and was informed that continued refusal would result in the documentation of a noncompliance with this section. The licensee continued to refuse access to these records.

Refusal to furnish information relating to the business such as these auction records prevents the traceability of exotic animals acquired by the facility and sold to the public.

Each dealer, exhibitor, operator of an auction sale, intermediate handler, and carrier shall furnish to any APHIS official any information concerning the business of the dealer, exhibitor, operator of an auction sale, intermediate handler or carrier which the APHIS official may request in connection with the enforcement of the provisions of the Act, the regulations and the standards in this subchapter.
To be corrected by: May 19, 2024
This inspection and exit interview were conducted with licensee.
Additional Inspectors:
WILLIAM HEINE, ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR

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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
6486	33-C-0218	001	KAREN & GREGG WOODY	15-MAY-2024

Count Scientific Name Common Name

000007 Aonyx cinereus ORIENTAL SMALL-CLAWED OTTER

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