



Inspection Report

Ephraim Zook
272 Pickle Hill Rd
Fort Plain, NY 13339

Customer ID: **501604**
Certificate: **21-B-0195**
Site: 002
Ephraim Zook

Type: NEW SITE INSPECTION
Date: 11-FEB-2025

2.50(b)

Time and method of identification.

Several adult French Bulldogs and their puppies, as well as several enclosures of weaned puppies did not have proper methods of identification. Cage cards are utilized for inventory/birth records and ID purposes, and the name of the adult female dogs and the date of birth of the puppies was recorded, however most of the required information was not included. When cage cards are used for identification they must contain the required information such as dams ID, the USDA certificate number, a unique number identifying each puppy, a description of each puppy including sex and color, and the date of disposition. The licensee must document and display this identification information as required by this section of the AWA.

*****Correct by 3/1/25

2.75(a)(2)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

At the time of inspection, documentation was reviewed for two recently acquired German Shepherd dogs, however the Record of Acquisition of Dogs and Cats on Hand (APHIS Form 7005) had not been updated. In addition, several adult French bulldogs had not been added to the APHIS 7005 Form. Record must be updated to show all dog acquisitions and must be kept current to accurately reflect the inventory in the kennel. The licensee must correct this issue and update the APHIS 7005 document.

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This inspection was a site approval inspection.

This site is not ready for approval to conduct activity covered under your current Animal Welfare Act License.

Conducting regulated activities at a non-approved site is a violation of the Animal Welfare Act.

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Please contact your inspector to schedule your next new site approval inspection.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

| Cust No | Cert No | Site | Site Name | Inspection |
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| Count | Scientific Name | Common Name |
|--------|-------------------------|-------------|
| 000056 | <i>Canis familiaris</i> | DOG ADULT |
| 000035 | <i>Canis familiaris</i> | DOG PUPPY |
| 000091 | Total | |