

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Superior Aircraft Service C/O Pacific Aviation

201 Continental Blvd #220 El Segundo, CA 90245 Customer ID: 6018690

Certificate:

Site: RDU

Superior Aircraft Service C/O

Pacific Aviation

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 28-AUG-2023

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Requirements and procedures.

During an inspection at RDU airport, the inspector learned that animals moving from above-wing to below-wing for two airlines were being handled by an intermediate group, Superior. Subsequent conversations with Superior personnel revealed that they are not currently registered as a handler with USDA Animal Care. The employee stated that Superior will immediately apply for a registration. Handling animals in an airport moving from above-wing to below-wing without the required regulatory oversight can lead to unregulated handling of animals, putting the animals at risk of unnecessary behavioral stress, trauma, escape, physical harm, or loss of life. The regulations require that each carrier and intermediate handler register with the Secretary by completing and filing a properly executed form which will be furnished, upon request, by the Deputy Administrator.

Conducting regulated activity without a valid registration violates the Federal Animal Welfare Act.

No regulated activity can be conducted until a valid registration certificate is issued by USDA Animal Care.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representative.

Prepared By: MARY ANN MCBRIDE Date:

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

OFFICER

Received by Title: Facility Representative Date:

31-AUG-2023

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