



Inspection Report

Dhl Aviation Americas
Po Box 523862
Miami, FL 33152

Customer ID: **26356**
Certificate: **58-T-0130**
Site: 001

DHL AVIATION AMERICAS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 26-OCT-2016

2.25(a)

REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES.

Air carrier was found to be operating by transporting regulated animals with a cancelled certificate since May 25, 2011. In accordance with the Animal Welfare Act, Part 2, Subpart B, each carrier shall be registered with the Secretary of the US Department of Agriculture. The air carrier of a cancelled registration is responsible for re-registering and demonstrating its compliance with the Act and regulations when transporting animals at any time after its registration is cancelled. The air carrier should complete a properly executed registration form, which was already furnished by the inspector, and file it with the USDA Animal Care Regional Office as soon as possible.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REGULATIONS AND STANDARDS.

Forty two (42) puppies younger than six months old were imported from Venezuela without documentation and/or justification showing animals were intended for research or veterinary treatment. Under USDA rules, you cannot import a dog younger than 6 months old into the United States for resale or adoption and must have a justification to import them at that age for research or veterinary treatment. All dogs imported for any of those purposes must have a valid vaccination against rabies, have certain other vaccinations, a veterinary health certificate and not show signs of disease on import. The registrant must only import puppies of proper age by following USDA rules/regulations.

3.17(c) CRITICAL

CARE IN TRANSIT.

At the time of inspection, seven (7) puppies of varied breeds (age approximately between two and half to five months) were found to be in distress and in need of immediate veterinary care. The carrier must determine whether any of the dogs are in obvious physical distress, and arrange for any needed veterinary care as soon as possible. If a dog is obviously ill, injured, or in physical distress, the carrier must ensure the animal (s) not be transported in commerce, except to receive veterinary care for the condition. Before the conclusion of this inspection, the carrier proactively arranged for immediate veterinary medical care by contracting services with a local veterinary clinic.

Additional inspectors: Ms. Emily Davenport, CDC and Officer/Major Angel Menes, CBP

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with both, Mr. Joseph Zapata, Operations Manager and Ms. Marines Sibilla, General Manager.

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Species Inspected

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26356	58-T-0130	001	DHL AVIATION AMERICAS	26-OCT-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000043	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	DOMESTIC DOG
000043	Total	