

OFFICIAL WARNING



VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NO.

NY11340

VIOLATOR

**Customer # 40561
Certificate # 21-A-0132(c)
Rufus Burkholder
Twin Oak Kennel**

ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

**2420 Hazard Road
Penn Yan, NY 14527**

The Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about **May 13, 2011 - March 18, 2010** you or your organization committed the following violation of Federal Regulations:

9 CFR, SECTION

Failure to

3.1 (c)(2)

- **Maintain all surfaces on a regular basis, replacing worn or soiled surfaces that cannot be cleaned or sanitized.**

(Several carpet squares in the whelping boxes need to be replace.**

****One carpet has so much accumulation of urine and feces on it that the puppies become soiled when resting on it.)**

Titles 7 & 9 Code of Federal Regulations were promulgated to help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases and assure the humane treatment of animals. Since violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impact detrimental to the public interest, you are warned of this violation. Any further violation of these regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty or criminal prosecution. If you have any questions concerning this warning or violation, please contact the listed APHIS Official.

APHIS OFFICIAL (Name and Title)	OFFICE ADDRESS:
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