## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

OFFICIAL WARNING VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NUMBER: MO11086

VIOLATOR:

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about October 12, 2011, October 7, 2011, June 17, 2011, February 17, 2011 and February 14, 2011, you or your organization committed the following violation(s) of Federal Regulations 9 CFR, Section:

- 2.40 (b)(2) Attending Veterinarian and Adequate Veterinary Care... repeated failure to provide adequate veterinary care that uses the appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries.
- 2.126(b) Access and Inspection of Records and Property... repeated failure to make a responsible adult available to accompany APHIS officials during the inspection process.
- 3.1(b) Housing Facilities, General... repeated failure to maintain building facilities free of any accumulated trash, waste material, junk, weeds, and other discarded materials.
- 3.1(f) Housing Facilities, Drainage and Waste Disposal... repeated failure to provide for regular and frequent collection, removal, and disposal of animal and food wastes, bedding debris, garbage, water, and other fluids and wastes, and dead animals, in a manner that minimizes contamination and disease risk. Facilities must be equipped with disposal facilities and drainage systems that are constructed and operated so that animal waste are rapidly eliminated and animals stay dry.
- 3.11(d) Cleaning, Sanitization, Housekeeping, and Pest Control ... repeated failure to provide an adequate pest control program.

The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) created federal regulations to ensure the welfare of animals and help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases. Since violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impacts that are detrimental to the public interest, APHIS is providing you with an Official Warning for the violation(s) described above. Any further violation of these federal regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty, criminal prosecution, or other sanctions. If you have any questions concerning this Official Warning or violation(s), please contact the APHIS official listed in this notice.

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