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

## OFFICIAL WARNING VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NUMBER: IA10002

VIOLATOR:

Debra Pratt

Customer #: 321436 Certificate #: 42-A-1399

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about <u>July 7</u>, <u>2008 through January 18</u>, <u>2010 (2.1(a)(1))</u>, <u>December 9</u>, <u>2010</u>, <u>December 12</u>, <u>2010</u>, <u>April 20</u>, <u>2011 and September 29</u>, <u>2011</u>, you or your organization committed the following violation(s) of Federal Regulations 9 CFR, Section:

- **2.1(a)(1) Duration of License and Termination of License...** failure to have a valid USDA Animal Welfare Act (AWA) license while doing business as a Dealer as defined by the AWA.
- 3.1 (c)(3) Housing Facilities, General... repeated failure to spot-clean daily and sanitize once every two weeks.
- **3.2(d) Indoor Housing Facilities...** repeated failure to maintain ceilings of indoor housing facilities impervious to moisture or be replaceable.
- **3.6(c)(1)(i) Primary Enclosures...** repeated failure to provide sufficient floor space so the primary enclosures meet the minimum requirements.
- **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.

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 potice.

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