

OFFICIAL WARNING



VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

CASE NO.

OR10023

VIOLATOR

Customer # 25945
Certificate # 58-H-0141
Omega Customs Brokers Inc.
Attn: Ralph Ronderos

ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

2581 NW 74th Ave
Miami, FL 33122

The Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about **July 2, 2010** you or your organization committed the following violation of Federal Regulations:

9 CFR, SECTION

Failure to

3.137(a)(1)

- **Primary enclosures, such as compartments, transport cages, cartons, or crates, used to transport live animals shall be constructed in such a manner that (1) the structural strength of the enclosure shall be sufficient to contain the live animals and to withstand the normal rigors of transportation.**

(On July 2, 2010 a sloth and other animal were shipped in inadequate crates.)

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)

Chester A. Ginson, DVM, Deputy Administrator, AC

DATE ISSUED
January 19, 2012

FOR PERSONAL SERVICE - RECEIVED BY: (Name and signature)

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