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OFFICIAL WARNING



VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

VIOLATOR

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The Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about **July 29, 2010 - June 21, 2011** you or your organization committed the following violation of Federal Regulations:

9 CFR, SECTION

Failure to

3.75 (c) (1) (i)

- **Maintain the surfaces of housing facilities in a sanitized and clean manner. Surfaces must be free of excessive rust that prevents the required cleaning and sanitation or that affects the structural strength of the surface.**

(**Many guide rails, doors, and chains appear to have accumulated rust areas.)

3.75 (e)

- **Store food requiring refrigeration accordingly in order to prevent contamination and deterioration of its nutritive value.**

(**The refrigerator in the food preparation area has rusty shelving.)

3.75 (f)

- **Ensure disposal and drainage systems are minimizing vermin and pest infestation, insects, odors, disease, etc.**

(**Some enclosures are retaining waste water because the drain is clogged or the inclination of the floor is not correct.)

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)

Elizabeth Goldentyer, DVM

Regional Director

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