



Inspection Report

Rhonda Baerwald
850 South Highway 59
SULPHUR SPRINGS, AR 72768

Customer ID: **330706**
Certificate: **71-A-1327**
Site: 001
Rhonda Baerwald

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 07-MAR-2024

2.50(a)(1)

Time and method of identification.

Five 7-month old juvenile cats lacked permanent identification. The kittens still had litter cards identifying them attached to their cages. Additionally, despite having records that the remaining cats were microchipped as their permanent identification, the microchip reader was unable to find the microchips on at least 3 other cats that were scanned. Permanent identification is required to track ownership and movement of animals to ensure their welfare. Correct by providing either legible permanent identification or a reliable method to read permanent identification to all animals over the age of 16 weeks by April 1, 2024.

2.75(a)(2)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

Six juvenile cats were not recorded on the AHPIS Form 7005, Record of Acquisition and Dogs and Cats on Hand. Five cats, who were approximately 7-months old, and a sixth cat, who was approximately a year old, were born on site and still had litter records attached to their enclosures as their record of acquisition. Additionally, 2 cats were still listed as being on site on the Acquisition Record, despite being recently re-homed. Updated and accurate records are necessary to track ownership of animals and facilitate thorough inspection by APHIS officials. Correct by updating records to accurately reflect current animals on hand by March 15, 2024.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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USDA, APHIS, Animal Care

Date:
08-MAR-2024

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL
OFFICER

Received by Title: Licensee

Date:
08-MAR-2024



Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000018	<i>Felis catus</i>	CAT ADULT
000018	Total	