



### Inspection Report

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Myron Yoder  
4136 County Road 59  
Baltic, OH 43804

Customer ID: **332363**  
Certificate: **31-A-0525**  
Site: 001  
MYRON YODER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 25-MAY-2023

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**2.40(b)(2)**

**Repeat**

**Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).**

Four dogs housed in two separate enclosures have hair loss. The licensee noticed the hair loss 5-7 days ago but did not consult a veterinarian for a diagnosis and treatment plan. The affected dogs have not been seen to be scratching. The licensee clipped the hair around the affected areas to look for further evidence of skin issues but saw none.

- Red Cavalier King Charles Spaniel #991003001221926 has a large area of hair loss on the back from in between the shoulder blades down toward the base of the tail. The remaining hair in this area has been clipped. There are ill-defined areas of darkened skin (hyperpigmentation) in the hip areas. The skin in between the shoulder blades was a little dry and flaky. The dog was not outwardly itchy.

- Blenheim Cavalier King Charles Spaniel #991003001225515 has hair loss on the back from just below the shoulder blades down toward the base of the tail. The remaining hair in this area has been clipped. There are ill-defined areas of darkened skin (hyperpigmentation) along the sides of the body. The dog was not outwardly itchy.

- Red Cavalier King Charles Spaniel #991003001221931 has hair loss on the back from the hips down to the base of

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the tail. The remaining hair in this area has been clipped. There is mild darkening of the skin (hyperpigmentation). The dog was not outwardly itchy.

- White Bichon Frise #991003001185337 has hair loss on the front of the thighs, the right lateral chest, and in the right and left flank areas. On the thighs there were small, superficial, mildly red abrasions a few millimeters in length. The dog was not outwardly itchy.

Evidence of hair loss, darkening of the skin, and abrasions may be caused by skin problems such as allergies, infection, hormone imbalances, or other issues. Left undiagnosed, these issues could cause discomfort or pain, or may lead to a worsening of the condition. The licensee must use appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases. The dogs listed above must be evaluated by a veterinarian for their skin issues.

#### 2.134(a)

##### Contingency planning.

The licensee does not have an adequate contingency plan. An inadequate contingency plan can result in lack of readiness and a delay in response to care for animals during emergencies or disasters. Dealers must develop, document, and follow an appropriate plan to provide for the humane handling, treatment, transportation, housing, and care of their animals in the event of an emergency or disaster. A contingency plan includes emergency situations the licensee may experience, outlines specific tasks required to be carried out during emergencies such as detailed animal evacuation instructions or shelter-in-place instructions and provisions for providing backup sources of food and water as well as sanitation, ventilation, bedding, veterinary care, identify who will be responsible for fulfilling these tasks, and address how response and recovery will be handled in terms of materials, resources, and training needed. Ensure that an adequate written contingency plan is developed and followed in case of an emergency. Correct by June 25, 2023.

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

Additional Inspectors:

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
332363	31-A-0525	001	MYRON YODER	25-MAY-2023

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000120	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG ADULT
000095	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	DOG PUPPY
000215	<b>Total</b>	