

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE

USDA

OFFICIAL WARNING
NOTICE OF ALLEGED VIOLATION

CASE NUMBER:

FL180014

VIOLATOR:

Florida State University

Customer# 873

License# 58-R-0001

ADDRESS (City, State):

Tallahassee, FL

The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) has evidence that on or about June 20, 2017, you failed to comply with the regulations issued under the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. § 2131 *et seq.*) (AWA), as documented in the attached inspection report.

APHIS published 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 animals and the public interest, APHIS is providing you with this Official Warning. This Official Warning is not to be construed as a final agency action or an adjudicated finding of a violation. If APHIS obtains evidence of any violation of these Federal regulations in the future, APHIS may pursue civil penalties and other sanctions for these alleged violations and for any future violations. If you have any questions concerning this Official Warning, please contact the APHIS office telephone number listed in this notice.

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Animal Care

DATE ISSUED:

November 1, 2017

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