

Inspection and Sampling Committee
2014 AAFCO Annual Meeting
Hyatt Regency, Sacramento, CA
Saturday, July 26, 2014
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Committee Recommendations

Committee recommendation summary or list

- (1) None

Board Recommendations

Board recommendation summary or list

- (1) None
- (2)

Association Actions

Association action summary or list

- (1) None

The meeting was called to order by Co-Chair Dan Danielson at 10:35am. He asked that any people that would like to join the committee at this time please come forward and sit with the committee members. All committee members introduced themselves, all advisors introduced themselves. There were also two callers on the phone line, Jennifer Godwin and Doug Lueders. We have three new members to the committee, Kevin Klommhaus, CVM replacing Shannon Jordre, Stan Cook, MO and Mark Glover, CVM.

Isaiah Isakson, FDA/ORR Feed Specialist introduced himself and he will be the point of contact for all matters concerning AAFCO and the AFRPS. He thanked all members that helped work on the standards and without their help and the support of AAFCO, the standards could not have been completed. The FDA hosted 4 phone calls to provide an overview of the standards and field questions about contract options. He discussed Standards 3 and 11 with the committee. He will be working with the states to help them with any concerns or matters that they may have will incorporating the standards. He stated that there is a Webinar on Standard 10 on August 19, 2014 at 2-3pm. All parties interested are encouraged to attend. He gave the group his contact information and phone number for questions in the future, 303-236-3087.

Darlene Krieger, CVM, discussed a recent Risk Based Sample Targeting System that was incorporated in her previous district. This system is to allow states to have a science risk based evaluation to choose firms for inspection in a timely matter. This is done with a Risk Ranking Score System that identifies and collects inventory of all feed facilities. Some of the risk factors are types of inventory on hand, type of firms to be inspected, previous inspection results, frequency of inspections, livestock to be fed or pets, and volume of firm along with many more questions. All firms were scored according to this scoring system and assigned a number with

pre/post inspections. After scores were assigned to each firm, this determined the frequency of the next inspection. The theory is that the firms not inspected recently or the higher risk firms will be inspected immediately and more often. The scoring system is currently on a spreadsheet form that will automatically tally all scores and is available to any one that wants to look at it, use it, or improve upon it for their own state. Contact Darlene Krieger if you want the spreadsheet as she will send it to you.

Meagan Davis gave a final update on the previous Basic Inspectors Training Seminars conducted last year in the spring and fall in Louisiana. There were approximately 85 inspectors at each seminar. There is an Advanced Inspectors Training Seminar scheduled for January 26-30, 2015 in Baton Rouge, LA. Some things are still to be finalized, but will be completed soon and sent out to the membership for registering for this training. If you have any questions, please contact Meagan Davis.

Chad Linton, Co-Chair, brought up New Business with asking the group for suggestions for the future of this committee. With the onset of FSMA and AFRPS, this group will be responsible for helping with the training and updating of sampling techniques for all products in the feed world. If any member has an idea about a product that this committee needs to look at for a new sampling technique or revision of an existing one, then please contact a committee member to discuss the options and we will bring it to the committee for discussion.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:48am.