

**SWINE HEALTH PROTECTION PROGRAM**

- I. Primary Enforcement Responsibility
  - A. P.E.R. Recommendation
  - B. Termination of P.E.R. if Required
- II. State Garbage Feeding Laws
  - A. Review Existing Laws
- III. Licensing
  - A. Federal
    - 1. Prelicensing inspections - full compliance
    - 2. VMO concurrence
    - 3. Issuance of license by AVIC
    - 4. Distribution license to producer, VMO, AHT & State
  - B. State
    - 1. State issuance of licenses Yes/No
    - 2. Communication license issues between state and federal offices
- IV. Inspections
  - A. Frequency of Inspections
  - B. Reporting and Completion of Inspection Reports 13-2
  - C. Operator Presence & Acknowledgement
  - D. Documentation of Deficiencies
  - E. Inspection Procedures by Field Employees
    - 1. Biosecurity
    - 2. Inspection of all swine & entire premises
    - 3. Examination of swine for evidence of disease
    - 4. Policies on seasonal or intermittent feeders
    - 5. Inspections complete to ascertain full compliance with 9CFR166
  - F. Temperature Checks
    - 1. Frequency of checks for direct (2) and steam cookers (4)
    - 2. Documentation of temperature checks and completion of VS Form 13-9
    - 3. Announced or unannounced temperature checks
    - 4. Agitation of material
    - 5. Calibration of thermometers
- V. Documentation of Deficiencies

- A. VS Form 13-16 Complete and Accurate
  - B. Documenting Feeding of Untreated Material to Swine Address 3 Questions
    - 1. Garbage as defined
    - 2. Treated or not treated
    - 3. Pigs eating it
  - C. Photographs Taken
  - D. Duplicates Photographs Given to Producer
  - E. Producer Sign-off Acknowledge Deficiencies
  - F. Correction Recommendations and Timelines Given
  - G. Reinspection Date Communicated
- VI. Reinspection
- A. Within 7 Days of Initial Inspection
  - B. Documentation (as above)
  - C. Referral to IES if Necessary
- VII. Semiannual Licensee Updates (optional)
- A. Method to identify sources of feed and animal movements for disease investigations
- VIII. Searches
- A. Systematic to identify all feeders in area
  - B. Number completed
  - C. Types facilities searched
  - D. Follow-up on leads
- IX. Relationships With Industry
- X. State Support Compliance and Enforcement
- XI. International Port of Arrival PPQ Liaison
- XII. Administrative Controls
- A. Reporting (quarterly)
  - B. Tracking inspections
  - C. Tracking deficiencies

- D. Tracking temperature checks
  - E. Tracking 7 day reinspection
  - F. Compliance cases to IES, follow-up, case closure
- XIII. HC/ASF Surveillance of Garbage Feeding Premises
- XIV. AHT/VMO Continuing Education
- A. FADs swine particularly HC/ASF

**REFERENCES**

***Description***

**II. State Garbage Feeding Laws**

- VS Memorandum 561.28
- VS Memorandum 561.30
- State Regulations
- SHPA PL 96-468
- VS Memorandum 561.4
- VS Memorandum 561.11

*Policy on Garbage Feeding*  
*Termination of Primary Enforcement*  
*Research and Review Prior to/during Visit*  
*Swine Health Protection Act and Amendments*  
*Application for Licensing Garbage Facility*  
*Delegation of Secretarial Authorities of SPHA*

**IV. Inspections**

- 9 CFR 166, 167
- VS Memorandum 561.5
- VS Memorandum 561.6
- VS Memorandum 551.0 - 551.39

*General Provisions/Rules of Practice*  
*Garbage Treatment Facility Inspection*  
*Inspection of Garbage Processing Equipment*  
*Brucellosis*