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Subject: Re: Colorado Whelped Greyhounds

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To: 

Unfortunately, don't have most of the answers here, but will help with what we can.

As for "licensed" owners--may no longer be any reason for them to be licensed in Colorado--but not sure on that. They are more likely to be licensed as owners in other racing states. But we currently have 47 NGA members that reside in Colorado and 2 associate members. That doesn't mean they're breeders or even current owners. That number is way down from the old days when there were over 200 members in Colorado and more than 100 farms in that state.

Am not sure if the Colorado Racing Commission still conducts inspections on a regular basis, and whether those farms or breeders are still licensed with them. I'd check with them. We do conduct unannounced inspections of NGA members' breeding farms. We also have a couple of local members assigned as inspectors if or when any urgent issue arises.

No cumulative annual records are available that we're aware of on disposition, whelped, where they race, where they end up, etc.

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