

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

In re:) A.Q. Docket No. 07-0131
)
Ronald Walker, Alidra Walker,)
and Top Rail Ranch, Inc.,)
)
Respondents) **Stay Order**

I issued *In re Ronald Walker*, ___ Agric. Dec. ___ (Jan. 13, 2010). On March 10, 2010, Ronald Walker, Alidra Walker, and Top Rail Ranch, Inc. [hereinafter Respondents], filed “Motion to Stay Agency Decision Pending Judicial Review.” On March 16, 2010, Kevin Shea, Acting Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, United States Department of Agriculture [hereinafter the Administrator], filed “Response to Motion to Stay Agency Decision Pending Judicial Review” stating the Administrator does not oppose a stay of the Order issued in *In re Ronald Walker*, ___ Agric. Dec. ___ (Jan. 13, 2010), pending the outcome of proceedings for judicial review.

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 705, Respondents’ “Motion to Stay Agency Decision Pending Judicial Review” is granted.

For the foregoing reasons, the following Order is issued.

ORDER

The Order in *In re Ronald Walker*, __ Agric. Dec. ____ (Jan. 13, 2010), is stayed pending the outcome of proceedings for judicial review. This Stay Order shall remain effective until lifted by the Judicial Officer or vacated by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Done at Washington, DC

March 18, 2010

William G. Jenson
Judicial Officer