



Audit Report

Beef Animal Welfare

National Beef Packing Co., LLC. - Dodge City
2000 East Trail Street
Dodge City, Kansas 67801

Audit Date: July 09, 2024
Auditor: Brent Knedler

Audit criteria are based on the January 2021, NAMI Recommended Animal Handling Guidelines - Please refer to Guidelines for further explanation of criteria requirements



Audit Summary

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Audit ID:	AO-008879
Audit Date:	July 09, 2024
Audit Type:	Unannounced
Audit Result:	Passed

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Category	# Points Received	# Possible Points	Percentage (%)
Livestock Receiving	225	225	100.00
Non-Ambulatory	50	50	100.00
Holding and Handling	350	350	100.00
Lead-up and Stunning Area	475	475	100.00
Management Commitment	50	50	100.00
Employee Training	75	75	100.00
Overall Score	1,225	1,225	100.00

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Score Summary

	# Cattle in Question	Total Cattle Observed	Percent Acceptable
Electric Prodding (prodded) - crowd pen to restrainer	0	100	100
Vocalization (vocalized)	0	100	100
Slips (slipped) - crowd pen to restrainer	0	100	100
Falls (fell) - Unloading	0	175	100
Falls (fell) - crowd pen to restrainer	0	100	100
Stunning Accuracy (double stun)	0	100	100
Insensibility (sensible)	0	100	100

Audit Outcome

Pass

Comments

The site harvested 390 head per hour across two eight-hour shifts, harvesting approximately 6,000 head per day, five days per week.

1 Livestock Receiving

1	Livestock Receiving	
1.1	Must have written expectations & humane guidelines for transporters.	25
Comment:	Transporters were made aware of humane handling guidelines through the Head Count Verification Form, which was required to be signed during each delivery. Drivers were required to be BQAT certified and abide by National Beef and NAMI cattle welfare requirements.	
1.2	Animals must be loaded at the proper industry recommended level.	25
Comment:	The four commercial potbelly and one straight livestock trailer observed were loaded with 34, 33, 32, 38, and 38 heads of fed steers and heifers. No signs of overcrowding were observed.	
1.3	Trailers must be cleaned at least once each week to prevent heavy accumulation of feces. Trailers must have slip resistant floors, and no potential injury points (broken gates, sharp metal edges, etc.).	25