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Dear Dr. Moore:

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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recognizes the Kansas State Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory (KSVDL) as a laboratory to conduct rabies serology testing of pets for export purposes.

In addition, the European Union (EU), Agency for Food, Environmental, and Occupational Health Safety's rabies reference laboratory approves KSVDL to conduct rabies titer testing for export of pets to the EU. KSVDL is included on the European Commission's list of approved rabies laboratories. Furthermore, KVSDL is also recognized by other U.S. trading partners to conduct rabies serology testing.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Administrator