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Petland in Illinois: Where Do They Get Their Puppies?

Petland claims that they only buy from breeders with “the highest standards,” but the Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) has found that they continue to buy from **known puppy mills** and **out-of-state brokers** that deal with puppy mills. The Illinois Petlands bought puppies from at least three major brokers which the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) has cited for **multiple violations**.

A **broker** is a “middleman” animal dealer that buys puppies from many different kennels and puppy mills for resale to pet stores.

You can read more about The HSUS’s investigation by clicking on this link:

<http://www.stoppupmills.org/petland.html>

Details about the Arlington Heights, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Arlington Heights

348 E. Rand Rd.

Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Phone: 847-577-0011

Conrad’s Cuddly Canines & QD Kennel: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2009, this store received shipments from large-scale commercial puppy brokers in Missouri and Minnesota that ship puppies all over the United States. **QD Kennel** and **Conrad’s Cuddly Canines** each sell over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly gross over \$1,000,000 in sales. **Heritage Puppies** in Iowa reportedly had over 500 adult dogs at the facility during a May 2008 inspection by the USDA and sells over 5,000 puppies a year.

This store may also buy from other dealers.

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Details about the Batavia, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Batavia

401 N. Randall Rd.

Batavia, IL 60510

Phone: 630-761-1047

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Out-of-State Sellers Who Ship Puppies All over the United States

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Details about the Bolingbrook, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Bolingbrook
744 East Boughton Rd.
Bolingbrook, IL 60440-2279
Phone: 630-739-1213

Mid-America: Cited for Small Cages and Incorrect Medications

This store received shipments from **Mid-America Pet Broker, LLC** in 2009. Mid-America is a middleman animal dealer which in Missouri the USDA has cited for buying from individuals without verifying whether they were licensed, expired and incorrect medications at the facility, too-small cages, and other violations.

Tracy's K & J Pets: Cited for Improper Veterinary Oversight

In 2008, this store also received shipments from **Tracy's K & J Pets** in Missouri, a middleman animal dealer which the USDA has cited for inadequate veterinary oversight, animal transport vehicles in disrepair, purchasing animals while not currently licensed, and other violations.

Conrad's Cuddly Canines: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2009, this store received shipments from large-scale commercial puppy brokers in Missouri that ship puppies all over the United States, including **Conrad's Cuddly Canines** that sells over 5,000 puppies per year and reportedly grosses over \$1,000,000 in sales.

Brenda Arnett: Cited for Inadequate Weather Protection

Also in 2009, this store received shipments from **Brenda Arnett** (Edwards, Missouri). In her most recent (2008) inspection reports she was found having 6 puppies with no identification, open buckets of trash and feces adjacent to the outdoor kennels, outdoor kennels with inadequate weather protection, and one outdoor kennel where five dogs had only a single plastic barrel to share as shelter from the elements.

Heritage Puppies: Over 500 Dogs at Their Facility

In 2009, this store received puppies from **Heritage Puppies** in Iowa that reportedly had over 500 adult dogs at the facility during a May 2008 inspection by the USDA. Heritage Puppies sells over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly grosses over \$1,000,000 in sales.

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Details about the Chicago, Illinois, Petlands

Petland-Chicago Crystal Lake

6126 Northwest Hwy.

Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Phone: 815-455-5479

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This store may also buy from other dealers.

Petland-Chicago Joliet

1480 N. Larkin

Joliet, IL 60435

Phone: 815-744-2112

Hunte: Cited for Small Cages and Underage Puppies

This store received shipments from a massive Missouri puppy broker, **The Hunte Corporation**, in 2009. Hunte is a middleman animal dealer which the USDA has cited for keeping dozens of animals in too-small cages, repeatedly transporting underage puppies, and other violations. The Hunte Corporation sells about 80,000 puppies a year from hundreds of different kennels and puppy mills.

QD Kennel: Selling Over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2009, this store received shipments from a large-scale commercial puppy broker in Missouri that ships puppies all over the United States. **QD Kennel** sells over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly grosses over \$1,000,000 in sales.

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Petland-Chicago Lansing
16735 Torrence Ave.
Lansing, IL 60438
Phone: 708-474-8728

Conrad's Cuddly Canines & Heritage Puppies: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2009, this store received shipments from large-scale commercial puppy brokers in Missouri and Minnesota that ship puppies all over the United States. **Conrad's Cuddly Canines** sells over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly grosses over \$1,000,000 in sales. **Heritage Puppies** in Iowa reportedly had over 500 adult dogs at the facility during a May 2008 inspection by the USDA and sells over 5,000 puppies a year.

Fletcher Creek Kennels: Over 800 Dogs at Their Facility

The store also received shipments of puppies from large commercial dog brokers in Missouri and Minnesota. **Fletcher Creek Kennels** in Minnesota was reported to have over 800 adult dogs in June 2008 by the USDA.

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Petland-Chicago Naperville
720 SR 59 Suite 108
Naperville, IL 60540
Phone: 630-357-3800

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Conrad's Cuddly Canines: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

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Petland-Chicago Ridge
110 Commons Dr.
Chicago Ridge, IL 60415
Phone: 708-636-8292

QD Kennel & Heritage Puppies: Selling Over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2009, this store received shipments from large-scale commercial puppy brokers in Missouri, Minnesota, and Iowa that ship puppies all over the United States. **QD Kennel** sells over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly grosses over \$1,000,000 in sales. **Heritage Puppies** in Iowa reportedly had over 500 adult dogs at the facility during a May 2008 inspection by the USDA.

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Petland-Chicago Wheaton
80 Danada Square West
Wheaton, IL 60187
Phone: 630-752-4800

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Details about the Hoffman Estates, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Hoffman Estates
11 Golf Center
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169
Phone: 847-490-8820

Hunte: Cited for Small Cages and Underage Puppies

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QD Kennel & Conrad's Cuddly Canines: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

In 2008 and 2009, this store received shipments from a large-scale commercial puppy broker in Missouri that ships puppies all over the United States. **QD Kennel** and **Conrad's Cuddly Canines** each sell over 5,000 puppies a year and reportedly gross over \$1,000,000 in sales.

This store may also buy from other dealers.

Details about the Rockford, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Rockford
7358 N. Cherryvale Mall Dr.
Rockford, IL 61112
Phone: 815-332-4200

Conrad's Cuddly Canines: Selling over 5,000 Puppies a Year

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Details about the Round Lake Beach, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Round Lake Beach
815 East Rollins Road
Round Lake Beach, IL 60073
Phone: 847-223-7900

Hunte: Cited for Small Cages and Underage Puppies

This store received shipments from a massive Missouri puppy broker, **The Hunte Corporation**, in 2009. Hunte is a middleman animal dealer which the USDA has cited for keeping dozens of animals in too-small cages, repeatedly transporting underage puppies, and other violations. The Hunte Corporation sells about 80,000 puppies a year from hundreds of different kennels and puppy mills.

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Details about the Sterling, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Sterling

4311 East Lincolnway IL Rt. 2

Sterling, IL 61081

Phone: 815-625-7016

Hunte: Cited for Small Cages and Underage Puppies

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Details about the Tinley Park, Illinois, Petland

Petland-Tinley Park
Harlem Ave. & 159th Street
Tinley Park, IL 60477
Phone: 708-429-2680

Mid-America: Cited for Small Cages and Incorrect Medications

This store also received shipments from **Mid-America Pet Broker, LLC** in 2009. Mid-America is a middleman animal dealer in Missouri which the USDA has cited for buying from individuals without verifying whether they were licensed, expired and incorrect medications at the facility, too-small cages, and other violations.

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