## **Assignment and Report**

OPERATING NAME AND ADDRESS     (INCLUDE ZIP CODE AND COUNTY)	2. U.I. NUMBER (ORG. SEG. CO 765060	DE, ASSIGNMENT N 0-2017-0287-B1B	O., P.P.C.)				
DON JERRY X-PLO INC 167 Carbide Road	3. PERMIT/LICENSE NUMBER 614019089E01686	4a. TARGET DATE 9/29/2017	4b. TARGET HOURS				
PLATTSBURGH,NY 12901, CLINTON	5. REQUESTED BY (SIGNATURE, TITLE AND DATE)						
6. ATF OFFICER(S) ASSIGNED							

(b)(6) - Lead Investigator

7. ASSIGNED BY (SIGNATURE, TITLE AND DATE)

(b)(6) , Area Supervisor, 09/20/2017

8. PURPOSE/SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

conduct de in conjunction with COA application

9. INSPECTION RESULTS	9. INSPECTION RESULTS CHECK IF NO VIOLATIONS, ADJUSTMENTS, ETC				(OPTIONAL)
NO. OF VIOLATIONS	5	NO. OF REFERRALS		2111 - PER DIEM	
NO. OF TECS CHECKS	12	NO. OF TECS HITS		2112 - P.O.A.	
NO. OF TAX		\$ VALUE OF TAX INCREASES		2113 - COMM. AIR	
ADJUSTMENTS		\$ VALUE OF TAX DECREASES		2114 - RENTAL CAR	
NO. OF ASSESSMENTS		\$ VALUE OF ASSESSMENTS		2115 - GPV EXPENSES	
NO. OF CLAIMS		\$ VALUE OF CLAIMS		2116 - MISC.	
NO. OF TAX PERIODS		\$ VALUE OF TAXES VERIFIED		TOTAL \$ FOR INSP.	

#### 11. ATF OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

Submitted by (b)(6) - Industry Operations Investigator

Submitted on: 10/06/2017 On September 12, 2017, IOI (b)(6) and A/S (b)(6) conducted an amended qualification inspection in conjunction with a cursory review of inventory and records.

A Report of Violations was issued for the following:

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- •Failure to conduct a NICS check when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions
- •Failure to certify the ATF 4473 forms with the actual transferor's signature and date of transfer

Per the Federal Firearms Administrative Action Policy and Procedures, a Warning Letter and No Recall is recommended.

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		12. TIME ACCOUNTING DATA
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ATF OFFICER'S SUBTOTAL	18.00	ATF OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
TOTAL HOURS	18.00	

### U.S. Department of Justice

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives

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## Report of Violations

Instructions

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Name of Proprietor Don Jerry X Plo Inc	Street Address 167 Carbide Road		City Plattsburgh		State	Zip Code 12901-	County Clinton	Page 1 of 4 Pages
License Permit/Registry Number (If any) 614019089E01686	1.	Expiration Date 5/1/2019		100000		of Inspection igh 09/13/2017		

Inspection Results

An examination of your premises, records and operations has disclosed the following violations which have been explained to you:

Number: 1

Nature of Violation:

Licensee failed to require the purchaser to complete the ATF 4473 form when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on ccasions.

Date Corrections to be Made:

(If not corrected immediately)

(If not corrected immediately)

Corrective Action to be Tuken: A licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer shall not sell or otherwise dispose, temporarily or permanently, of any firearm to any person, other than another licensee, unless the licensee records the transaction on a firearms transaction record, Form 4473; Provided, That a firearms transaction record, Form 4473, shall not be required to record the disposition made of a firearm delivered to a licensee for the sole purpose of repair or customizing when such firearm or a replacement firearm is returned to the person from whom received.

Citation: 27 CFR 478.124(a)

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License/Permit/Registry Number (If any) 614019089E01686		Expiration Date 5/1/2019		1		of Inspection gh 09/13/2017		

#### Inspection Results

An examination of your premises, records and operations has disclosed the following violations which have been explained to you:

#### Number: 2

#### Nature of Violation:

Licensee failed to conduct a NICS check when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions.

#### Date Corrections to be Made: (If not corrected immediately)

(If not corrected immediately)

Corrective Action to be Taken: Except as provided in paragraph (d) of this section, a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer (the licensee) shall not sell, deliver, or transfer a firearm to any other person who is not licensed under this part unless the licensee meets the following requirements:

- (1) Before the completion of the transfer, the licensee has contacted NICS:
- (2)
- (i) NICS informs the licensee that it has no information that receipt of the firearm by the transferee would be in violation of Federal or State law and provides the licensee with a unique identification number; or
- (ii) Three business days (meaning days on which State offices are open) have elapsed from the date the licensee contacted NICS and NICS has not notified the licensee that receipt of the firearm by the transferee would be in violation of law; and
- (3) The licensee verifies the identity of the transferee by

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#### Inspection Results

An examination of your premises, records and operations has disclosed the following violations which have been explained to you:

examining the identification document presented in accordance with the provisions of § 478.124(c).

Citation: 27 CFR 478.102(a)

Number: 3

Nature of Violation:

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Citation: 27 CFR 478.122(a)

Number: 4

Nature of Violation:

Licensee failed to record the disposition of two firearms in the Acquisition/Disposition book.

Date Corrections to be Made: (If not corrected immediately)

(If not corrected immediately)

Corrective Action to be Taken: Each licensed importer shall, within 15 days of the date of importation or other acquisition, record the type, model, caliber or gauge, manufacturer, country of manufacture, and the serial number of each firearm imported or otherwise acquired, and the date such importation or other acquisition was made.

Date Corrections to be Made: (If not corrected immediately)

(If not corrected immediately)

Corrective Action to be Taken: Each licensed importer shall maintain separate records of the sales or other dispositions made of firearms to nonlicensees. Such records shall be maintained in the form and manner as prescribed by §§ 478.124 and 478.125 in regard to firearms transaction records and records of acquisition and disposition of firearms.

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License/Permit/Registry Number (If any) 614019089E01686		Expiration Date 5/1/2019		Date(s) or Perio	d of Inspection ough 09/13/2017		

#### Inspection Results

An examination of your premises, records and operations has disclosed the following violations which have been explained to you:

Citation: 27 CFR 478.122(d)

Number: 5

#### Nature of Violation:

Licensee failed to certify the ATF Forms 4473 with the actual transferor's signature and date of transfer. Mrs. Barber signed and dated each ATF F 4473 even though she did not verify the identification of the purchaser on occasions. In each case, one of the front counter clerks verified the non-licensee purchaser's identity but did not certify the forms.

Citation: 27 CFR 478.124(c)(5)

Date Corrections to be Made:

(If not corrected immediately)

(If not corrected immediately)

Corrective Action to be Taken: The licensee shall sign and date the form if the licensee does not know or have reasonable cause to believe that the transferee is disqualified by law from receiving the firearm and transfer the firearm described on the Form 4473.

> Per the ATF Federal Firearms Regulations Reference Guide (Questions & Answers under Section D3) it states "The ATF Form 4473 must be signed by the person who verified the identify of the buyer".

I Have Received a Copy of This Report of Violations (Proprietor's signature and title) Signature

Name: Don Jerry X-Plo Inc. UI#: 766050-2017-0287-B1B

Trade Name: FFL#: 6-14-019-08-9E-01686

Address: 167 Carbide Road

Plattsburgh, NY 12901

#### 1 - Introduction

### **Inspection Profile:**

On September 12, 2017, Industry Operations Investigator (IOI) (b) (6) and Area Supervisor (A/S) (b) (6) conducted an amended qualification inspection in conjunction with a cursory review of the inventory and records of Don Jerry X-Plo Inc. (Don Jerry). IOI (b) (6) and A/S (b) (6) conducted the inspection at their business premises located at 167 Carbide Road, Plattsburgh, New York. IOI (b) (6) and A/S (b) (6) met with Rhonda Barber. Mrs. Barber identified herself with a New York State Driver's license.

The inspection period was January 1, 2017 to September 11, 2017.

#### Business Profile:

Don Jerry holds Importer of Firearms Other Than Destructive Devices license #6-14-019-08-9E-01686. Don Jerry operates their business from a commercial property which is located in a rural area of Clinton County. Don Jerry sells new and used hand guns and long guns to the public and law enforcement. Don Jerry's new business premises is located on the same property with a different address and is adjacent to their office where their explosives license is operated.

Don Jerry offers a variety of services to commercial and personal customers; i.e. commercial warehousing and transportation, personal storage, moving and outdoor equipment. Don Jerry's website details the services provided: <a href="www.x-plo.com">www.x-plo.com</a>.

Don Jerry holds the following ATF licenses:

Manufacturer of High Explosives license #6-NY-019-20-9G-00826 Importer of High Explosives license #6-NY-019-23-8H-01007

Don Jerry holds the following New York State licenses:

Dealer in Firearms license #166, expiration January 1, 2018 Gunsmith license #166, expiration January 1, 2018

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Trade Name: FFL#: 6-14-019-08-9E-01686

#### Ownership and Control:

Don Jerry is a corporation owned and operated by Rhonda Barber, President/Treasurer and her sister, Carrie Laduke, Vice-President/Secretary. Mrs. Barber and Mrs. Laduke are the only responsible persons on the license.

#### Variance:

Don Jerry does not have any variances nor were any requested.

#### 2 - Recommendation

A Report of Violations was issued for the following:

- Failure to record the disposition of firearms in the A/D book
- Failure to record the acquisition of firearms in the A/D book.
- Failure to require the purchaser to complete the ATF 4473 form when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions
- Failure to conduct a NICS check when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions
- Failure to certify the ATF 4473 forms with the actual transferor's signature and date of transfer

Per the Federal Firearms Administrative Action Policy and Procedures, a Warning Letter and No Recall is recommended.

### 3 - Inspection History

Date of Inspection: April 8, 2013
Type of Inspection: Qualification
UI#: 765060-2013-0158
Application Approved

Cited Violations: N/A

4 - Acquisition & Disposition (A&D) Record - Inventory

On September 12, 2017, IOI(b)(6) and A/S(b)(6) conducted a full examination of Don Jerry's inventory. Don Jerry had 172 long guns and 217 hand guns totaling 389 firearms in inventory. IOI(b)(6) and A/S(b)(6) compared 389 firearms to the A/D book and discovered open entries in the A/D book. IOI(b)(6) and A/S(b)(6) discovered that of the firearms were not recorded in the A/D book and of the firearms were not logged out of the A/D book. Don Jerry was issued a Report of Violations for the following:

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Trade Name: FFL#: 6-14-019-08-9E-01686

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(See Violation #3 & 4/Inventory and A&D Review Worksheet)

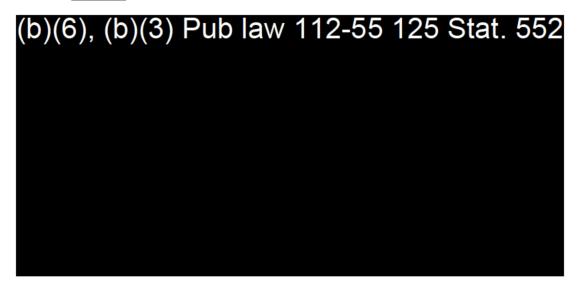
#### 5 - ATF Forms 4473 - NICS & Other Dispositions

to September 11, 2017. IOI (b)(6) reviewed approximately ATF 4473 forms out of 4473 forms on file from September 16, 2016 to September 11, 2017. Don Jerry was issued a Report of Violations for the following:

- Failure to require the purchaser to complete the ATF 4473 form when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions,
- Failure to conduct a NICS check when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions
- Failure to certify the ATF 4473 form with the actual transferor's signature and date of transfer. Mrs. Barber signed and dated each ATF 4473 form even though she did not verify the identification of the purchaser on occasions. In each case, one of the front counter clerks verified the non-licensee purchaser's identity but did not certify the forms.

(See Violation #1, 2 & 5/ATF Form 4473 Review Worksheet/Exhibit 1-copies of 4473 forms)

IOI(b)(6) conducted a criminal history query of the owners of the consignment firearms that were returned without obtaining an ATF 4473 form or conducting a NICS check. IOI(b)(6) identified the following as the consignment transactions:



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IOI(b)(6) discovered that (b)(6), (b)(3) Pub law 112-55 125 Stat. 552, (b)(7)(C)

Reference Exhibit 2 –

Ejustice Query

IOI(b)(6) obtained a (b)(6), (b)(3) Pub law 112-55 125 Stat. 552, (b)(7)(C)

Reference Exhibit 3 - Certificate of Disposition

### 6 - Multiple Sales

IOI(b)(6) did not query the Violent Crime Analysis Branch for multiple sales data since this was a cursory review in conjunction with an amended qualification inspection. During the examination of the ATF 4473 forms, IOI(b)(6) examined several Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Pistols and Revolvers forms which were attached and completed by Don Jerry. IOI(b)(6) did not identify any discrepancies.

### 7 - Suspicious/Prohibited Purchasers

IOI(b)(6) did not identify any suspicious/prohibited purchasers.

#### 8 - Trace Activity

IOI(b)(6) did not query the Violent Crime Analysis Branch for trace results since this was a cursory review in conjunction with an amended qualification inspection. IOI (b)(6) did not conduct a secondary market analysis of firearms.

#### 9 - NFA/Importer/Collector/Manufacturer

Don Jerry does not conduct NFA, collect or manufacture firearms. Don Jerry holds an Importer of Firearms Other Than Destructive Devices license, but has not imported any firearms.

#### 10 - Referrals

IOI(b)(6) did not generate any referrals.

#### 11 - Other

IOI(b)(6) did not obtain any additional information.

#### 12 - Closing Actions

On September 13, 2017, IOI(b)(6) reviewed the Federal Firearms Regulations with Rhonda Barber. IOI(b)(6) explained to Mrs. Barber the importance of maintaining the Acquisition/Disposition book in the proper manner, ATF 4473 form, requirements for computerized records, importation records, Report of Multiple Sale or Other Disposition of Pistols and Revolvers, Secure Gun Storage and Safety Device and ATF Federal Firearms Licensee Inventory Theft/Loss of firearms form. Mrs. Barber signed

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the Report of Violations and the Acknowledgement of Federal Firearms Regulations and a copy was provided. Reference Exhibit 4 & 5 – Report of Violations/Acknowledgement of Federal Firearms Regulations.

#### 13 - Violations

1. 27 CFR 478.124(a)

Nature of Violation: Licensee failed to require the purchaser to complete the ATF 4473 form when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on occasions.

Licensee's Response: Mrs. Barber stated that she was not aware that an ATF 4473 form was required on the return of consignment firearms to the owner.

Corrective Action: A licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer shall not sell or otherwise dispose, temporarily or permanently, of any firearm to any person, other than another licensee, unless the licensee records the transaction on a firearms transaction record, Form 4473: Provided, That a firearms transaction record, Form 4473, shall not be required to record the disposition made of a firearm delivered to a licensee for the sole purpose of repair or customizing when such firearm or a replacement firearm is returned to the person from whom received.

2. 27 CFR 478.102(a)

Nature of Violation: Licensee failed to conduct a NICS check when transferring a consignment firearm back to the owner on cocasions.

Licensee's Response: Mrs. Barber stated that she was not aware that a NICS check was required on the return of consignment firearms to the owner.

Corrective Action: Except as provided in paragraph (d) of this section, a licensed importer, licensed manufacturer, or licensed dealer (the licensee) shall not sell, deliver, or transfer a firearm to any other person who is not licensed under this part unless the licensee meets the following requirements:

(1) Before the completion of the transfer, the licensee has contacted NICS;

(2)

(i) NICS informs the licensee that it has no information that receipt of the firearm by the transferee would be in violation of Federal or State law and provides the licensee with a unique identification number; or

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(ii) Three business days (meaning days on which State offices are open) have elapsed from the date the licensee contacted NICS and NICS has not notified the licensee that receipt of the firearm by the transferee would be in violation of law; and

(3) The licensee verifies the identity of the transferee by examining the identification document presented in accordance with the provisions of § 478.124(c).

### 3. 27 CFR 478.122(a)

Nature of Violation: The licensee failed to record the acquisition of the Acquisition/Disposition book.

Licensee's Response: Mrs. Barber stated that she was busy and neglected to enter the firearms in the A/D book. Mrs. Barber stated that she will comply in the future.

Corrective Action: Each licensed importer shall, within 15 days of the date of importation or other acquisition, record the type, model, caliber or gauge, manufacturer, country of manufacture, and the serial number of each firearm imported or otherwise acquired, and the date such importation or other acquisition was made.

### 4. 27 CFR 478.122(d)

Nature of Violation: Licensee failed to record the disposition of firearms in the Acquisition/Disposition book.

Licensee's Response: Mrs. Barber stated that she was busy and neglected to enter the firearms in the A/D book. Mrs. Barber stated that she will comply in the future.

Corrective Action: Each licensed importer shall maintain separate records of the sales or other dispositions made of firearms to non-licensees. Such records shall be maintained in the form and manner as prescribed by §§ 478.124 and 478.125 in regard to firearms transaction records and records of acquisition and disposition of firearms.

## 5. 27 CFR 478.124(c)(5)

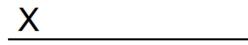
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**Licensee's Response:** Mrs. Barber stated that she assumed since she was the responsible person she was required to sign and date the ATF 4473 form on every purchase.

**Corrective Action:** The licensee shall sign and date the form if the licensee does not know or have reasonable cause to believe that the transferee is disqualified by law from receiving the firearm and transfer the firearm described on the Form 4473.

Per the ATF Federal Firearms Regulations Reference Guide (Questions & Answers under Section D3) it states "The ATF Form 4473 must be signed by the person who verified the identity of the buyer"



**Industry Operations Investigator** 

#### **Index of Worksheets and Exhibits**

Exhibit 1 – Copies of ATF 4473 forms

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Exhibit 5 – Acknowledgement of Federal Firearms Regulations



U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives 32 Old Slip, Suite 3500, New York, NY 10005

October 12, 2017 www.atf.gov

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Mrs. Rhonda Barber DON JERRY X-PLO INC 167 Carbide Road PLATTSBURGH,NY 12901

RE: 614019089E01686

Dear Mrs. Barber:

During a recent inspection at your firearms business covering the period January 1, 2017 to September 11, 2017. you were cited for violations of Title 27, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 478. A copy of the Report of Violations, ATF F 5030.5, issued at the time of the inspection is enclosed.

All violations were fully explained to you by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) Industry Operations Investigators. You indicated that you understood the requirements of the firearms laws and regulations, and that corrective actions would be taken to eliminate future violations.

The records you are required to maintain and the business operations you conduct are important to law enforcement in our continuing efforts to reduce violent crime and protect the public. It is essential that you comply with all Federal laws and regulations that govern your firearms business. This is critical to carrying out our mission to protect the public and to ensure that criminals do not gain access to firearms. ATF appreciates the efforts you and other industry members make in this area. We look forward to continuing to work with you in that regard.

You are reminded that retention of your Federal firearms license is conditioned upon your compliance with Federal laws and regulations. Any future violations, either repeat or otherwise, could be viewed as willful and may result in the revocation of your license. Please ensure that future compliance is achieved.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact (b)(6), Area Supervisor at (b)(6).

Sincerely yours,

(b)(6) Area Supervisor

Enclosure

c: Federal Firearms Licensing Center New York VI (IO) Field Office