



SD ANIMAL INDUSTRY BOARD

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

SOUTH DAKOTA ANIMAL INDUSTRY BOARD

The South Dakota Animal Industry Board will conduct a Public Hearing in the Animal Industry Board conference room at 411 South Fort Street, Pierre, SD on Tuesday, January 20, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. central time, to consider the request for an auction agency license application of Corsica Horse Sale, Robert "Blake" Thompson, applicant.

This hearing will be held under the legal authority and jurisdiction of SDCL chs. 1-26, 40-3, and 40-15 and ARSD 12:68:07. Particularly statutes 40-3-14, 40-15-3, 40-15-4 and administrative rules 12:68:07:01, 12:68:07:03, and 12:68:07:04.

Interested persons may appear in support or opposition to the issuance of the license. The applicant has the right to be present and represented by a lawyer due to the adversarial nature of the hearing. This right will be forfeited if not exercised at the hearing.

The decision of the Board at this hearing may be appealed to the circuit court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law in SDCL 1-26.

Notice is further given to individuals with disabilities that this hearing is being held in a physically accessible place. Please notify the above mentioned office within 48 hours of the public hearing if you have special needs for which this agency will need to make arrangements. The telephone number for making special arrangements is (605) 773-3321.

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