



This Business Does Not Support Puppy Farms!

What's A Puppy Farm/Puppy Factory?

It's a SUBSTANDARD/BAD breeding operation that doesn't care for its dogs properly.

A SUBSTANDARD BREEDER can be big, small, "for profit" or "not for profit", "backyard breeders" or "big business", or a registered breeder breeding to breed standards.

Dogs need clean housing, good food, friends, social activities, careful and healthy mating, loving homes when they have finished breeding, and homes for all puppies. BAD breeders don't do this.

It's QUALITY STANDARDS that matter. It's BAD STANDARDS that turns a breeder into a puppy farm/factory. GOOD breeders who care for their dogs properly are NOT puppy farmers.

SUBSTANDARD BREEDERS can sell through the internet, classifieds, breeders or rarely through pet shops who don't care enough.

There Are Already Laws To Stop SUBSTANDARD BREEDERS/Puppy Farms!

Every state already has 'Cruelty' and other laws so SUBSTANDARD BREEDERS can be prosecuted. This business supports better identification, reporting, enforcement and prosecution of bad breeders.

What Are We Doing To Stop SUBSTANDARD BREEDERS?

- We **know** where our pets come from. We have checked that they come from good breeders with high standards. We make them sign with their address so they can be prosecuted if they lie to us (with fines of up to \$1M!).
- We **report** substandard breeders that we find to the RSPCA &/or local council, & we won't deal with them.
- We help **educate** our clients to report bad operators if they find them (eg on the internet).
- We are lobbying government to increase **punishment** for bad breeders through the courts

What can you do?

- If you find a bad/substandard breeder, report it to the RSPCA or local council.
- Only get your pets from businesses where the source is guaranteed (Businesses can be severely punished if they lie to you), or where you can actually see the puppy's parents.
- Support businesses that do the right thing and check their sources.
- Get the facts, don't be fooled by activists that are trying to stop pet ownership.

You can help stop puppy farms too!

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