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Laboratory Report

Laboratory #: 37016 **Order #:** 28937

Ordered By: Ashley Flowers-Fade

 Ordered:
 Oct. 1, 2017

 Received:
 Oct. 10, 2017

 Reported:
 Oct. 16, 2017

Call Name: Henry Higgins

Registered Name: Bohemium of Zaporozhye Darius Heir

Star

Breed: Golden Retriever

 Sex:
 Male

 DOB:
 Sept. 2014

 Registration #:
 UKU. 0297447

 Microchip #:
 900085000164597

Tattoo: 61A3946

Results:

Disease	Gene	Genotype	Interpretation
Degenerative Myelopathy	SOD1	WT/WT	Normal (clear)
Ichthyosis (Golden Retriever Type)	PNPLA1	WT/M	Carrier
Progressive Retinal Atrophy, Golden Retriever 1	SLC4A3	WT/WT	Normal (clear)
Progressive Retinal Atrophy, Golden Retriever 2	TTC8	WT/WT	Normal (clear)
Progressive Retinal Atrophy, Progressive Rod-Cone Degeneration	PRCD	WT/WT	Normal (clear)

WT, wild type (normal); M, mutant; Y, Y chromosome (male)

Interpretation:

Molecular genetic analysis was performed for five specific mutations reported to be associated with disease in dogs. We identified two normal copies of the DNA sequences in four of the mutations tested. Thus, this dog is not at an increased risk for the diseases associated with these four mutations. However, we identified one normal copy and one mutant copy of the DNA sequences for *PNPLA1*. Thus, this dog is a carrier of Ichthyosis (Golden Retriever Type).

Recommendations:

Ichthyosis (Golden Retriever Type) is inherited in an autosomal recessive fashion. Based on this, and the fact that this dog showed a mutation in one copy of the *PNPLA1* gene, this dog is a carrier of this disease. Although dogs that carry only one copy of this mutation will not be clinically affected, if bred with another carrier, the pairing could produce affected offspring. To avoid producing affected offspring, this dog should be bred with dogs that are normal (WT/WT) for this gene. Dogs related to this dog have an increased risk to be affected by or carry the mutated gene. Additional testing for this mutation is indicated for related dogs.

Paw Print Genetics[®] has genetic counseling available to you at no additional charge to answer any questions about these test results, their implications and potential outcomes in breeding this dog.

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