



Inspection Report

Newmans Fish Foods Inc
44 Elizabeth St
Hackensack, NJ 07601

Customer ID: **13279**

Certificate: **22-B-0091**

Site: 001

Newmans Fish Foods Inc

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 17-OCT-2023

3.131(a)

Sanitation.

An excessive accumulation of feces was present in the rear corner of the ferret enclosure as well as in the in the cardboard litter box. These accumulations are attracting flies and producing odors. While the ferrets move through the enclosure, they are subject to coming in contact with the fecal accumulations. The feces shall be removed as often as necessary to prevent such accumulations and odors.

Excreta shall be removed from primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent contamination of the animals contained therein and to minimize disease hazards and to reduce odors.

TO BE CORRECTED BY: OCTOBER 23, 2023

3.131(d)

Sanitation.

Numerous flies were present throughout the mammal room. Fly traps are present but they are not efficiently removing unwanted flies. Flies were observed in and on the ferret and chinchilla enclosures. Flies can spread disease and bacteria and are not good for the health of the animals housed in the mammal room. Facility shall maintain an effective method of pest control.

A safe and effective program for the control of insects, ectoparasites, and avian and mammalian pests shall be established and maintained.

TO BE CORRECTED BY: OCTOBER 24, 2023.

3.150(c)(2)

Facilities, general.

The wire enclosures, housing the various bird species, are located against the walls of the bird room. Due to the location of the enclosures on the rear wall, the birds housed therein have access to the painted surface of the cinderblock wall. The birds have pecked at the paint on this wall thus exposing the natural surface. This exposed surface cannot be readily cleaned and sanitized as required. Surfaces must be free of rust or damage that affects the structural integrity of the

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surface or prevents cleaning.

Facility must repair this surface so that it is in good repair and capable of being cleaned and sanitized.

The surfaces of housing facilities must be constructed in a manner and made of materials that allow them to be readily cleaned and/or sanitized, or removed and replaced when worn or soiled. Interior surfaces and surfaces that come in contact with birds must be:

Free of rust or damage that affects the structural integrity of the surface or prevents cleaning.

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3.154

Environment enhancement to promote psychological well-being.

The facility does not have a written environmental enhancement plan in place for the parakeets, lovebirds, canaries, and cockatiels present. The birds are group housed per species. Branches and perches are available for enrichment but a written plan has not been documented. Facility must develop, document and follow a plan for bird environmental enhancement. This plan must also be approved by the attending veterinarian. Enrichments are necessary to ensure that the birds are provided with methods to enhance their psychological well-being.

Dealers, exhibitors, and research facilities must develop, document, and follow a species-appropriate plan for environment enhancement adequate to promote the psychological well-being of birds. The plan must be approved by the attending veterinarian.

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This inspection and exit briefing were conducted with the licensee.

Additional Inspectors:

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000027	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000036	<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER
000012	<i>Phodopus campbelli</i>	CAMPBELL'S DESERT HAMSTER / RUSSIAN HAMSTER
000005	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000011	<i>Meriones unguiculatus</i>	MONGOLIAN GERBIL
000003	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA
000007	<i>Cricetulus griseus</i>	CHINESE HAMSTER
000004	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	DOMESTIC FERRET
000054	<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>	BUDGERIGAR / BUDGIE / COMMON PARAKEET / SHELL PARAKEET
000006	<i>Serinus canaria domestica</i>	DOMESTIC CANARY / COMMON CANARY
000010	<i>Taeniopygia guttata</i>	ZEBRA FINCH / TIMOR ZEBRA FINCH
000010	<i>Lonchura striata domestica</i>	SOCIETY FINCH / BENGALIAN FINCH
000008	<i>Agapornis personatus</i>	YELLOW-COLLARED LOVEBIRD / MASKED LOVEBIRD
000007	<i>Agapornis fischeri</i>	FISCHER'S LOVEBIRD
000007	<i>Agapornis roseicollis</i>	ROSY-FACED LOVEBIRD
000002	<i>Nymphicus hollandicus</i>	COCKATIEL
000209	Total	