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Inspection Report

Zachery Keeler 2516 West Rauch

Temperance, MI 48182

Customer ID: 45064

Certificate: 34-B-0225

Site: 001

ZACHERY KEELER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 04-MAY-2017

3.125(a)

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

During the verbal exit, while standing in the public area, a Richardson's ground squirrel was noticed scurrying around on the floor. The squirrel then went in to the room that houses the Bush Babies and a female cavy with a baby. The licensee was able to catch the squirrel and return it to its enclosure. Housing facilities must be constructed and maintained to ensure that the animals are contained. This is for health and safety of the animals.

To be corrected immediately.

3.131(a) REPEAT

SANITATION.

Over a half a dozen hedgehog hide away boxes are still dirty and not being cleaned often enough. There is still dirt, grime and mouse feces covering these hedgehog, plastic, hide away boxes. Poor husbandry practices can effect the health and well-being of these hedgehogs. The licensee must properly clean and sanitize all the hedgehog dens as often as necessary to prevent the contamination of the animals using them. prevent disease hazards and reduce odors.

Remains uncorrected

3.131(c) REPEAT

SANITATION.

Although, there has been much improvement in this area there is still some issues involving housekeeping. In the fox, Patagonian cavy and wallaby area there are still items like children's toys, extra kennels and miscellaneous items throughout the animal areas. In the sheltered area where the coatimundi are kept there is straw strewn on the floor, various debris and excess supplies in disarray. Premises (buildings and grounds) shall be kept neat and clean and accumulations of trash plus items not used to care for the animals shall be placed in a designated area. The animals on hand need a clean environment to protect them form injury. The lack of a clean premises leads to areas for rodents to hide, reproduce and cause infestation. The clutter in this area makes it impossible to clean these areas. The licensee must remove all trash and miscellaneous items and place them in a designated area.

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3.131(d) REPEAT

SANITATION.

Rodent feces were noted to be on the top of over a dozen hedgehog hide away boxes. Rodent droppings in animal enclosures can create health issues that can be very serious. The licensee must clean and sanitize all the plastic hide away boxes on a regular basis. The licensee must provide a safe and effective program to eliminate the mouse droppings and infestation.

Remains uncorrected

The transportation enclosures are under review by APHIS officials.

(The inspection was conducted with the licensee, Joe Kovach, ACI and Carrie Bongard, ACI, the exit interview was conducted with the licensee and Joe Kovach, ACI), (The AV might be at the exit).

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Species Inspected

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45064	34-B-0225	001	ZACHERY KEELER	04-MAY-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000325	Atelerix albiventris	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000009	Dolichotis patagonum	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000004	Galago senegalensis	NORTHERN LESSER BUSHBABY
000005	Nasua narica	WHITE-NOSED COATI
000001	Notamacropus rufogriseus	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY
000068	Petaurus breviceps	SUGAR GLIDER
000027	Spermophilus richardsonii	RICHARDSON'S GROUND SQUIRREL
000014	Vulpes vulpes	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000453	Total	