

# United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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### **Inspection Report**

SDIX LLC Customer ID: 330146

52 Anderson Rd Certificate: **50-B-0017** Windham, ME 04062

Site: 002 SDIX LLC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 22-FEB-2021

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#### Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

Multiple mature goats in multiple barns were observed to have both front and back hooves with walls on each claw that had grown long enough to prevent standing or walking normally on the surface of the pad of the claw. The animals exhibited gait abnormalities in adaptation to using the uneven walking surface of the hooves. Overgrown hooves may increase stress on limbs with an abnormal gait, potentially leading to lameness, joint problems, and alterations to normal foraging and social behavior in the herd. Due to changes in employees' schedules during the pandemic, the facility reports that too few employees were available to trim hooves to maintain them at a proper length. The facility must ensure the availability of personnel needed to follow the attending veterinarian's directions of adequate veterinary care.

Correction date: the facility has an ongoing commitment to increase hiring, and has scheduled to perform hoof trims on all animals within 6 weeks.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representative.

Prepared By: SARA TOBIAS Date:

USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

OFFICER

Received by Title: Facility Representative Date:

26-FEB-2021

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## **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
330146	50-B-0017	002	SDIX LLC	22-FEB-2021

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name	
007188	Oryctolagus cuniculus	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT DOMESTIC GOAT SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS	
000744	Capra hircus		
000012	Ovis aries aries		
007944	Total		