

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Heartfelt Hedgehogs

Po Box 35

Dellslow, WV 26531

Customer ID: 328571

Certificate: --

Site: 001

HEARTFELT HEDGEHOGS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 06-SEP-2017

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REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATION.

***Based upon information received in a complaint and obtained from the Heartfelt Hedgehogs website and social media pages, hedgehogs are being bred and sold without a USDA license. The owner of Heartfelt Hedgehogs was previously licensed but failed to renew in 2014. On September 6, 2017, I spoke with the owner of Heartfelt Hedgehogs, who verified that the business has remained active and regulated activity was being conducted at a new location.

Any person operating as a commercial breeder of exotics must obtain a USDA license and be subject to inspection by an APHIS official. Heartfelt Hedgehogs must be licensed for its current business activity in accordance with the Animal Welfare Act.

CONDUCTING REGULATED ACTIVITY WITHOUT A VALID USDA LICENSE IS A VIOLATION OF THE ANIMAL WELFARE ACT.

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Species Inspected

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No Animals were Inspected.

 Count
 Scientific Name
 Common Name

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 NONE
 NONE

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