

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Ivan F Swarey Customer ID: 507227

Certificate: 23-A-0705 1927 Petersburg Road ALLENWOOD, PA 17810

Site: 001

IVAN F SWAREY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 07-FEB-2024

3.26(a)

Facilities, indoor.

The temperature in the guinea pig housing facility was 54.3 degrees F as measured with a kestrel. Although there was a wall heater, it was not turned on and there were several windows open a small amount. The facility representative turned the heater on during the inspection.

Guinea pigs kept in ambient temperatures that are too low may be subject to cold stress that may cause discomfort and predispose them to developing other health issues.

The ambient temperature in indoor housing facilities for guinea pigs must not fall below 60 degrees F.

Correct by: February 9, 2024

3.31(b)

Sanitation.

Along one wall of the facility, there was an accumulation of trash, enclosure wire, and fecal material on the floor. The facility representative said the area had been used to house rabbits but had not yet been cleaned.

The lack of sanitation and presence of debris and fecal material may attract pests into the room, result in unpleasant odors, and may contribute to spread of disease.

The buildings used for housing animals must be kept clean and in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to facilitate prescribed husbandry practices and maintain the health of the animals.

Correct by: February 21, 2024

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

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Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

OFFICER

Received by Title: Facility Representative Date:

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Species Inspected

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Count Scientific Name Common Name

000120 Cavia porcellus DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG

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