

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

BVOETBERG INS-0001123397

Inspection Report

D&M Minis and Exotics LLC 2385 S 300 E Kokomo, IN 46902 Customer ID: 6021180

Certificate: 32-C-0299

Site: 001

D&M Minis and Exotics

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 18-SEP-2024

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

Two goats were present at the time of inspection that had not received adequate veterinary care. Additional three goats died within five days of each other of unknown cause and without receiving veterinary care. Additional details are as follows:

- ***A goat housed in an outdoor enclosure was walking on his front knees (carpal joints). The goat was either unwilling or unable to rise to walk on his front toes. The licensee was not aware of the condition until the time of inspection and had not sought treatment for this condition. Failure to identify conditions causing lameness or an abnormal gait and to seek treatment for such conditions can lead to unnecessary suffering and further injury.
- ***A second goat, housed in the same outdoor enclosure as the goat described above, was in very thin body condition. Even though the goat had a moderately long hair coat (about 1 inch in length), the top of the spine, the shoulder blades, and the pelvic bone were readily apparent. The goat also had a rough (or unkempt) looking hair coat. The licensee had not identified the thin condition of this goat or sought treatment for this condition. Poor body condition can indicate a lack of sufficient quality or quantity food or may indicate other underlying disease processes. Failure to properly observe and/or communicate animals in poor condition to the attending veterinarian can lead to worsening of the condition, prolonged unnecessary suffering, and possibly starvation and death.
- ***Three goats died between 7/15/24 and 7/19/24. The goats were 3-5 years of age. The licensee did not seek veterinary care for these goats prior to their death and did not consult with the veterinarian about the cause of their death to determine if other goats at the facility might be at risk of becoming ill or dying. As noted with these goats, failure to identify disease conditions and seek veterinary care for those conditions has resulted in needless pain and/or suffering for the animals or death.

The licensee must have the two live goats described above examined and treated by a licensed veterinarian. In addition, a program of adequate veterinary care must be maintained that includes the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose and treat diseases and injuries for all animals.

To be corrected by the close of business on 9/19/2024.

	BRYAN VOETBERG VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER	USDA, APHIS, Animal Care	Date: 19-SEP-2024
Received by Title:	Licensee		Date: 19-SEP-2024



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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

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