

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

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### **Inspection Report**

Rodney L Bauman 134 Pauls Lane Loysville, PA 17047 Customer ID: **13754** 

Type:

Certificate: 23-A-0508

Site: 002

**ROUTINE INSPECTION** 

Date: 05-MAR-2019

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#### FACILITIES, INDOOR.

Ventilation. Room # 1 housing 1860 adults Syrian/golden hamsters and their offspring had a strong ammonia odor at time of inspection. The ammonia odor was strongest near the two front doors located near the hallway. There is a fresh air vent in the ceiling approximately 1/3 of the way in the room and a rear exhaust fan which was running every 30 seconds in a five minute interval. Room # 1 is approximately 20 feet by 40 feet with a 9 foot ceiling. The air circulating fan located near the fresh air vent in the ceiling did not appear to move air in the two front corners of the hamster room by the doors. Pans and bedding are cleaned at least weekly. The pans and bedding were last cleaned on Tuesday (2/26/19). The owner was in the process of cleaning pans in this room during the inspection.

Indoor housing facilities for hamsters must be adequately ventilated to provide for the health and comfort of the animals. Licensee must ensure that hamster room is adequately ventilated at all times to protect the health and comfort of the animals. The air quality must be improved in room # 1 housing Syrian/golden hamsters to reduce the buildup of ammonia to protect the health and comfort of the animals. Correct by March 16, 2019.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

Prepared By: MARKMANN ROBERT, A C I USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Date:

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 1009

Received by Title: OWNER Date:

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Customer: 13754
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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
13754	23-A-0508	002	RODNEY BAUMAN	05-MAR-19

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000092	Cricetulus griseus	CHINESE HAMSTER
002737	Mesocricetus auratus	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER (COMMON PET/RESEARCH TYPE)
000976	Phodopus campbelli	CAMPBELL'S DESERT HAMSTER / RUSSIAN HAMSTER
002453	Phodopus roborovskii	ROBOROVSKI'S DWARF HAMSTER
001167	Phodopus sungorus	DJUNGARIAN / RUSSIAN WINTER WHITE DWARF HAMSTER
007425	Total	