



Inspection Report

Kevin R Weaver
1150 Carpenter Road
Lititz, PA 17543

Customer ID: 2197
Certificate: 23-B-0010
Site: 001
KEVIN WEAVER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 14-SEP-2016

3.26(b)

FACILITIES, INDOOR.

There was a distinct ammonia odor in building # 2 housing at least 935 guinea pigs. There were cobwebs and dust covering the four exhaust vents for the room. There were at least 7 enclosures that had fecal material consolidated in a moist fecal pad on the floor area by the automatic water valves (see Section 3.31(a) (1)). Ammonia may irritate the eyes and the respiratory system of the guinea pigs resulting in discomfort and health problems. Indoor housing facilities must be adequately ventilated to maintain the health and comfort of the animals at all times. Correct by keeping enclosures clean to decrease odors and by providing fresh air either by means of windows, doors, vents, or air conditioning to minimize odors. Correct by September 19, 2016.

3.31(a)(1) REPEAT

SANITATION.

There is still a heavy buildup of brown roughened scale and debris on the wooden sides and floor of the enclosures in building # 1. Brown roughened scale and debris are accumulating on the wooden sides and floors in building # 2. In building # 1, there were at least five enclosures housing at least 50 adult guinea pigs with their offspring that had fecal material consolidated in a moist fecal pad on the floor area by the automatic water valves. In building # 2, there were at least seven enclosures housing at least 64 weaned guinea pigs and 42 adult guinea pigs with their offspring that had fecal material consolidated in a moist fecal pad on the floor area by the automatic water valves. The accumulations of debris, feces and wet bedding exposes the guinea pigs to potential infections with bacteria, fungi, and parasites. Correct by ensuring that all primary enclosures are clean and sanitized often enough to prevent an accumulation of excreta, wet bedding, and debris. Additionally, ensure that the primary enclosures are sanitized at least once every two weeks.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
2197	23-B-0010	001	KEVIN WEAVER	14-SEP-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
002030	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
002030	Total	