



## Inspection Report

Southeast Missouri State  
One University Plaza  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Customer ID: 1757

Certificate: 43-R-0112

Site: 001

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 28-JAN-2015

### 2.31(c)(1) REPEAT

#### INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

The most recent IACUC meeting and program review were conducted May 16, 2014 (eight months ago). According to the IACUC Chair, a meeting and program review were supposed to be conducted December 2014, but were not due to scheduling conflicts. At time of inspection, the next meeting and program review was tentatively scheduled for February 2015. It is important for the IACUC to conduct regular reviews of the program to ensure that it is in compliance with the Animal Welfare Act. The registrant must ensure that the IACUC reviews, at least once every six months, the program for humane care and use of animals.

### 2.31(c)(2) REPEAT

#### INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

The most recent IACUC meeting and facility inspection were conducted May 16, 2014 (eight months ago). According to the IACUC Chair, a meeting and facility inspection were supposed to be conducted December 2014, but were not due to scheduling conflicts. At time of inspection, the next meeting and facility inspection was tentatively scheduled for February 2015. It is important for the IACUC to conduct regular inspections of the facility to ensure the health and welfare of the animals. The registrant must ensure that the IACUC inspects, at least once every six months, all the animal facilities.

### 3.131(a)

#### SANITATION.

There was an accumulation of dried fecal material and fecal staining on the wooden shelter blocks within all the primary enclosures of the sugar gliders and flying squirrel. There were many house flies near and around their enclosures. According to the animal care checklist, none of the primary enclosures have been cleaned at all during the month of January. The last recorded enclosure cleaning date was on December 30, 2014. Lack of cleaning can lead to unsanitary conditions that could become hazardous to the health of the animals. The registrant must ensure that excreta is removed from enclosures as often as necessary to prevent disease hazards.

TO BE CORRECTED BY: 6 February 2015

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### 3.131(c)

#### **SANITATION.**

The room housing the sugar gliders had an accumulation of dried feces scattered throughout the floor. There were also several house flies in the room. According to the animal care checklist, that room has not been cleaned since January 12, 2015. Lack of cleaning can lead to unsanitary conditions that may negatively impact the health of the enclosed animals. The registrant must ensure that the premises are kept clean and they are following approved husbandry practices in order to protect the health of the animals.

TO BE CORRECTED BY: 13 February 2015

### 3.131(d)

#### **SANITATION.**

There were several flies in both the rooms housing the flying squirrel and sugar gliders. Only one strip of fly tape was installed in the room with the flying squirrel, but it was full of flies therefore no longer effective. The registrant must ensure that an effective pest control management is in place to prevent the spread of infectious disease agents which could be transmitted by flies.

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The inspection and an exit interview were conducted with a facility representative.

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## Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
1757	43-R-0112	001	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY	28-JAN-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Glaucomys sabrinus</i>	NORTHERN FLYING SQUIRREL
000009	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
<b>000010</b>	<b>Total</b>	