



#### **Inspection Report**

Nestle Purina Global Resources Inc.

One Checker Board Square Saint Louis, MO 63164 Customer ID: 1445

Certificate: 43-R-0054

Site: 001

NESTLE PURINA GLOBAL RESOURCES, INC.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 08-AUG-2017

### 2.32(a) CRITICAL

#### PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS.

The facility self-reported an accident to the USDA which occurred on 6 January 2017. An adult, male cat ("Tyson" #BH0550FM) was placed in a temporary holding/transport device (consisting of 4x4 stacked enclosures) while the open room he shared with multiple other cats was undergoing routine cleaning/sanitation. The cat, which was dark gray, went unnoticed by the staff when the cats were placed back in the open room. The large, dark gray holding/transport device was then sent to the enclosure wash. Upon completion of the cleaning cycle, the cat was found deceased in the enclosure. The respective supervisor stated employees were instructed to inspect all enclosures for pets before the enclosures are sanitized, however, there was no documentation identifying that this specific training for cleaning enclosures was provided. The facility has well-documented protocols to ensure employees and contractors are qualified and properly trained to perform their duties. The facility acted promptly and appropriately to address this accident. They conducted an immediate investigation and implemented immediate changes to their animal enclosure and room cleaning procedures, including adding the appropriate training documentation. Additionally, the IACUC discussed the incident and as a result, certain Standard Operating Procedures (SOP's) were modified to ensure the accident could not be repeated. All employees involved with cleaning/sanitizing pet rooms or enclosures have since received re-training on the new SOP's and that training is well-documented. This non-compliant item was already corrected by the facility.

The inspection was conducted 8-9 August 2017 and a thorough exit interview was conducted with facility personnel.

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

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# **Species Inspected**

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1445	43-R-0054	001	NESTLE PURINA GLOBAL RESOURCES, INC.	08-AUG-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000552	Canis lupus familiaris	DOG ADULT
000023	Canis lupus familiaris	DOG PUPPY
000806	Felis silvestris catus	CAT ADULT
000018	Felis silvestris catus	CAT KITTEN
001399	Total	