



Inspection Report

The Animal Store
4364 W. TOUHY AVENUE
LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712

Customer ID: **3844**
Certificate: **33-B-0429**
Site: 001
THE ANIMAL STORE INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 01-MAR-2021

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

The licensee didn't contact their veterinarian after a male degu incurred a tail injury approximately one month ago. The licensee indicated the animal's tail was injured while cleaning its enclosure. The degu remains at the facility and is missing almost half of its tail. The last ¼ inch of the distal tail has fur loss and the tissue appears to be dry/healed. Untreated injuries can cause pain and discomfort in animals.

Contact the veterinarian regarding this animal's condition. Follow any prescribed treatments or instructions. Ensure all veterinary care issues are promptly reported to the veterinarian.

To be corrected: 3-5-21

The licensee didn't contact the attending veterinarian after a male jird incurred a tail injury. The licensee indicated the tail was injured by the animal's parents when it was younger. The animal is missing a portion of its tail. The tail tip is missing fur and has tannish-white colored tissue. Untreated injuries can cause pain and discomfort in animals.

Contact the veterinarian regarding this animal's condition. Follow any prescribed treatments or instructions. Ensure all

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Guinea Pigs</i>	GUINEA PIGS
000001	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000001	<i>Sekeetamys calurus</i>	BUSHY-TAILED JIRD
000005	<i>Phodopus sungorus</i>	DJUNGARIAN / RUSSIAN WINTER
000005	<i>Meriones unguiculatus</i>	WHITE DWARF HAMSTER
000001	<i>Octodon degus</i>	MONGOLIAN GERBIL
000001	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	DEGU
000010	<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG
		SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER
000026	Total	