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Inspection Report

JOHNSONS CORNER FARM LLC 133 CHURCH STREET MEDFORD, NJ 08055 Customer ID: 7724

Certificate: 22-C-0143

Site: 001

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Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 16-SEP-2022

2.40(a)(2) Critical

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

The facility has had 21 goat deaths since August 2021. According to the monthly veterinary invoices and records, fecals were conducted and parasite caseloads were found to be high. Wormings were performed routinely without complete success. Veterinary records from November 2021 through August 2022 indicated that the goats could have died from pneumonia caused by chronic intestinal parasitism. According to veterinary notes, the attending veterinarian recommended, in both March 2022 and August 2022, that a necropsy would be the best means to determine the source of herd problem, but the owner declined.

Each exhibitor shall assure that the attending veterinarian has the appropriate authority to ensure the provision of adequate veterinary care and to oversee the adequacy of other aspects of animal care and use.

TO BE CORRECTED: FROM THIS DAY FORWARD

2.40(b)(2) Critical

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

Due to the high number of goat deaths the attending veterinarian recommended completing a necropsy to determine, definitively, the cause of death of these goats. According to the attending veterinarian, a necropsy has been

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recommended for a year but the facility owner has declined the attending veterinarian's request and recommendation. Each exhibitor shall establish and maintain programs of adequate veterinary care that include: the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries, and the availability of emergency, weekend, and holiday care.

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3.125(a)

Facilities, general.

The following items are in disrepair:

*The wooden and wire fence, which serves as the primary enclosure fence for the Boer goats and sheep, is in disrepair.

One wooden fence post has a horizontal split, completely through at the base, thus leaving the post insecure.

*The post, nearest the caretaker entrance, wobbles significantly when touched. This post serves as the support for the metal gate and the other portion of the fence.

*The wire mesh on the metal gate is damaged and detached. Damaged wire is protruding into the Boer goat/sheep. enclosure.

*The horizontal plank of wood, at the base of this fence, has deteriorated and has jagged edges present. The jagged edge of this plank is barely secured to the post that has the horizontal split at the base.

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*Rubber mats cover a large indentation of the earth directly in the center of the steer shelter. These surfaces are no

longer level and could cause harm to the steer in their efforts to eat from the interior hay feeder. Additionally, due to the

unevenness of this area, the steer could possibly not rest comfortably in the urine filled, low area thus affecting their

comfort and well-being. (See Section 3.131 a).

The above-mentioned items could cause harm to the animals housed therein. Damaged fence posts, broken wire and

damaged wood should be repaired and/or replaced to maintain structural strength and to protect the animals from injury.

The low surfaces in the steer shelter should be addressed to ensure that surfaces are level in order to prevent injury to

the steer.

TO BE CORRECTED BY: OCTOBER 7, 2022

3.131(a)

Sanitation.

Urine was observed to be accumulating the low area of the mats inside of the steer shelter. Accumulations of urine can

cause contamination, odors, and disease hazards. Such accumulations shall be removed as often as necessary to

prevent contamination of the animals contained therein and to minimize disease hazards and odors.

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This inspection and exit briefing were conducted with the facility representative.

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Species Inspected

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7724	22-C-0143	001	JOHNSONS CORNER FARM L L C	16-SEP-2022

CountScientific NameCommon Name000002Bos taurusCATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI000015Capra hircusDOMESTIC GOAT000005Ovis aries ariesSHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS

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