

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

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### **Inspection Report**

ACCURO FARMS INC 346 BLACKMER RD SOUTHBRIDGE, MA 01550 Customer ID: **40933** 

Certificate: 14-R-0200

Site: 002

ACCURO FARMS INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 28-AUG-2024

## 2.31(d)

#### Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

A scientific staff member who is a voting member of the IACUC is also listed on IACUC protocol #ACCURO 2. That individual participated as a Designated Reviewer (DMR) of the protocol at the IACUC meeting held in June 2024. However, since this individual is also listed on the protocol they should not have participated in the review or approval process, as they have a conflict of interest.

Allowing individuals with a conflict of interest to participate in the review and approval process compromises the ability of the IACUC to ensure optimal animal welfare and the judicious use of animals in study activities. Correct by ensuring that no member contributes to a quorum nor participates in an IACUC review or approval of an activity in which that member has a conflicting interest (e.g., is personally involved in the activity), except to provide information requested by the IACUC

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Correct by the next IACUC meeting or 9/30/24.

#### 2.31(e)(2)

#### Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

IACUC approved Protocol 002 did not contain some of the required information. Specifically, a rationale for using animals and the appropriateness for the species used was not included.

This information is required in order to ensure that the IACUC is able to properly assess the animal use. The protocol must be updated to include the required information and subsequently approved by the IACUC.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Correct by the next IACUC meeting or by 9/30/24.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representatives.

Prepared By:	VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER		<b>Date:</b> 05-SEP-2024	
Received by Title:	Facility Representative		<b>Date:</b> 05-SEP-2024	



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## **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count Scientific Name Common Name

000216 Sus scrofa domestica DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG

000216 **Total**