

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

JGOWINS INS-0000807203

Inspection Report

Cocalico Biologicals, Inc.

449 Stevens Road Stevens, PA 17578 Customer ID: 360

Certificate: 23-R-0089

Site: 001

COCALICO BIOLOGICALS INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 27-JUL-2022

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Miscellaneous.

On November 4th, 2021 two animal technicians performed euthanasia of study rabbits. On the following day, one rabbit was found alive by facility representatives. According to the facility representative, the rabbit appeared to alert and responsive, but the marginal ear vein used to administer the euthanasia solution was blown. This rabbit was humanely euthanized as prescribed by the Program of Veterinary Care on November 5th, 2021.

According to the IACUC, the technician that performed the euthanasia did not confirm the rabbit was euthanized.

Handling of all animals shall be done as expeditiously and carefully as possible in a manner that does not cause trauma, physical harm, or unnecessary discomfort.

Corrected at the time of inspection through a corrective action plan that included IACUC approved updates to Rabbit Euthanasia SOP, increased oversight of technicians performing euthanasia on animals at the facility, and the suspension of the animal technician.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representatives.

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Species Inspected

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360	23-R-0089	001	COCALICO BIOLOGICALS INC	27-JUL-2022

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000108	Cavia porcellus	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000148	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000010	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
002658	Oryctolagus cuniculus	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000003	Lama pacos	ALPACA
000006	Equus asinus asinus	DONKEY / BURRO / ASS
002933	Total	