



Inspection Report

Jason Riggs
420 Fourth Street
La Salle, IL 61301

Customer ID: **26863**
Certificate: **33-B-0431**
Site: 002
JASON RIGGS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 22-NOV-2016

3.126(a) CRITICAL

FACILITIES, INDOOR.

Two of the three Patagonian cavy at the facility died last night. The facility owner indicated that he discovered both of the cavy dead within their enclosure as he checked on them last evening. He further indicated that they died as a result of exposure to the cold temperature inside of the garage where their enclosure was located. The third cavy, also housed in the same enclosure, was moved into a warmer area inside of the facility. A single electric heater was present and working in the garage where the animals were housed, however; the heater was unable to sufficiently heat the garage. Cold temperatures and inadequate heating can cause discomfort, distress, and even death.

Assure that all indoor facilities are adequately heated to provide for the health and well-being of the animals.

To be corrected: The third Patagonian cavy was moved into a warmer part of the facility. All indoor facilities containing animals shall be adequately heated from this day forward.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

NO REGULATED ACTIVITIES MAY BE CONDUCTED FROM THIS FACILITY SITE UNTIL ALL NON-COMPLIANT ITEMS ARE CORRECTED.

Prepared By: CHAD MOORE, A C I USDA, APHIS, Animal Care

Date:
22-NOV-2016

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 1046

Received by Title: OWNER

Date:
22-NOV-2016



Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
26863	33-B-0431	002	JASON RIGGS	22-NOV-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000049	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000003	<i>Cynomys gunnisoni</i>	GUNNISON'S PRAIRIE DOG
000001	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000004	<i>Echinops telfairi</i>	LESSER MADAGASCAR HEDGEHOG TENREC
000024	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000001	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	RACCOON
000082	Total	