



Inspection Report

Ed Carpenter
11854 Peacock Rd
Laingsburg, MI 48848

Customer ID: **10733**
Certificate: **34-C-0172**
Site: 001
ED CARPENTER

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION
Date: 03-DEC-2016

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ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

A focused inspection was completed on this facility, based on a complaint of a reindeer, on 03-NOV-16. The licensee was, and had been, treating the reindeer with a spray that the attending veterinarian had given him. When I asked about the spray the licensee stated that the attending veterinarian had left it for the licensee to apply daily, this way the veterinarian would not have to return daily to apply the spray. Since my visit on 03-NOV-16 I received the attending veterinarians medical visit notes. The notes are dated 07-NOV-16. I called the veterinarian to make sure the date was correct, and he stated that it was. I asked the veterinarian if this was the first time he was made aware of the condition of the reindeer and he stated yes. The licensee did not call the attending veterinarian in a timely manner to convey the problems of health with the reindeer. The reindeer died on November 9, 2016 per the attending veterinarian.

Daily observations of all animals to assess their health and well-being must be conducted. If these observations are completed by someone other than the attending veterinarian direct and frequent communication is required so that timely and accurate information on problems of animal health and well-being are conveyed to the attending veterinarian.

Daily observations must be made daily to assess the health of all animals. If there is any sign of an animal health problem the attending veterinarian needs to be called and made aware of the issue. This is so that the animal can be assessed by the veterinarian to prevent suffering and death.

To be corrected from this day forward.

This exit interview was conducted with the licensee.

Prepared By: CARRIE BONGARD, A C I USDA, APHIS, Animal Care

Date:
07-DEC-2016

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 1053

Received by Title: LICENSEE

Date:
07-DEC-2016



Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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No Animals were Inspected.

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000000	NONE	NONE
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