

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

SBRUNKHORST INS-0000896480

Inspection Report

Southern Biotechnology Associates Inc

PO Box 26221

Birmingham, AL 35260

Customer ID: 835

Certificate: 64-B-0063

Site: 001

SOUTHERN BIOTECHNOLOGY

ASSOCIATES INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 03-OCT-2023

2.40(b)(2) Repeat

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

Two additional rabbits were identified with hairloss issues during this inspection. Rabbit #836 has one area of hairloss about 1inx1/2 in in size on the bridge of its nose with the skin appearing reddened. Rabbit #832 has two irregularly shaped areas of hairloss on the lower bridge of the nose and over the left nares with hair thinning between the left eye and nares. The skin appears reddened. These two rabbits have not been evaluated by a veterinarian. A review of the attending veterinarian's written medical plan dated July, 28 2023 for rabbit #733, which was identified with hairloss during the last inspection, shows that the attending veterinarian recommended that all rabbits be given Revolution monthly. A conversation with animal care staff determined that Revolution has not been administered monthly as they did not have any Revolution available to apply. Medical records reviewed for the rabbits with hairloss did not note any application of Revolution. Adequate veterinary care including the use of appropriate methods to diagnose and treat diseases and injuries including following the treatment plan of the veterinarian is necessary to ensure the health and well-being of the animals.

Rabbits #832 and 836 need to be evaluated by a veterinarian and all veterinary treatment plans must be followed. The facility shall ensure the availability of adequate veterinary care to include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose and treat diseases and injuries.

3.125(a) Repeat

Facilities, general.

Repairs continue to need to be made in the lower pastures' shelter structures. The damaged and loose insulation boards were removed from ceiling/top portion of the enclosure housing the goats but remain in the enclosure housing three sheep. Multiple insulation boards are damaged, and a few are loose to the point of hanging downward from the ceiling. If they were to fall they may spook the sheep and can be a hazard if ingested by the sheep.

Outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury.

This inspection was conducted with the Director of Operations and animal care staff. The exit interview was conducted with the Director of Operations.

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Species Inspected

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Count 000051 000133 000003 000002 000021	Scientific Name Oryctolagus cuniculus Capra hircus Sus scrofa domestica Lama glama	Common Name DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT DOMESTIC GOAT DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG LLAMA DONKEY / BURRO / ASS
000021 000003 000213	Equus asinus asinus Ovis aries aries Total	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS