



Inspection Report

DAVID MANSER
1668 RHEA COUNTY HWY
DAYTON, TN 37321

Customer ID: **331471**
Certificate: **63-B-0183**
Site: 001
DAVID MANSER

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 27-JUL-2021

2.75(b)(1)

Repeat

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The facility has not updated the records since the last inspection. The current Record of Animals on Hand (exhibit animals) lists some (but not all) of the species being exhibited and no acquisition information (name/address/date acquired) is listed. A receipt was found for the acquisition of the cavy, the adult prairie dogs and one of the marmosets. The records do not contain the required information for the second marmoset, the pigs, the African Crested porcupine, the two rabbits, or the two prairie dogs born since the last inspection. In addition, the records did not account for the disposition information for the 16 rabbits and 7 prairie dogs on exhibit in 2019 but no longer at the facility. Complete and accurate acquisition and disposition records must be kept to allow for accurate identification of the animals and to allow for medical and legal tracing. The facility shall make, keep and maintain records that fully and correctly include all the required acquisition and disposition information. This information must include the name and address of the person from whom the animals were acquired, the USDA license number of the person if licensed or the vehicle license number and state and driver's license number and state if not licensed, the name and address of the person to whom and animal was sold/given, the date of acquisition or disposition, the species of animal and the number of animals involved.

3.26(a)

Facilities, indoor.

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The ambient indoor temperature next to the guinea pig and hamster enclosures was 86 degrees F at approximately 1:30 pm ET and 91.3 degrees F at 4pm ET. Guinea pigs and hamsters are susceptible to high temperatures/hyperthermia. To provide for the health and comfort of the guinea pigs and hamsters, the ambient temperature shall not be allowed to exceed 85 degrees F. Correct by 7/29/21.

3.52(a)

Facilities, outdoor.

Two rabbits are housed outdoors. Shade was provided but the ambient temperatures at approximately 1:00pm was 90.6 degrees. At 4pm ET it was 93.0 degrees F. No means of artificial cooling were provided. Rabbits are very sensitive to high temperatures/hyperthermia. For the health and comfort of the rabbits, the facility shall provide artificial cooling such as by a sprinkler system or other means when temperatures exceed 90 degrees F. Correct by 7/29/21.

3.75(c)(1)

Housing facilities, general.

The walls of the marmoset enclosure are constructed of a rough surfaced artificial material made to resemble tree bark with many ridges and valleys. This surface is very difficult if not impossible to keep adequately cleaned and sanitized as required by the regulations and cannot be easily removed and replaced when soiled. Cleaning difficulties have led to pest control issues. The surfaces of housing facilities including the walls must be constructed in a manner and made of materials that allow them to be readily cleaned and sanitized, or removed and replaced when worn or soiled. Correct by 9/27/21.

3.75(e)

Housing facilities, general.

The food supplies for the marmosets in the refrigerators are currently not being stored in a manner that prevents contamination and deterioration. The shelves and walls of the refrigerators are dirty and coated with brown grime. Some

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of the produce is resting on these shelves without being in any container. Some of the produce is old and needs to be discarded. Expired foods such as the yogurt need to be discarded so they are not accidentally fed to the regulated species. All food must be stored in a manner that prevents contamination and deterioration of its nutritive value. Correct by 8/1/21.

3.76(a)

Indoor housing facilities.

The temperature adjacent to the marmoset enclosure was 86 degrees F (kestrel) and inside the enclosure 87 degrees F (temperature gun through solid window) at approximately 12:40 pm. At 4 pm the temperature at risen to 89.9 degrees F (kestrel). The current weather forecast does not have the temperature declining significantly for at least four more hours. Marmosets are susceptible to high temperatures/hyperthermia. Sufficient cooling is required to protect the marmosets from temperature extremes and to provide for their health and well-being. The temperature shall not rise above 85 degrees F for more than 4 hours when the marmosets are present. Correct by 8/1/21.

3.84(d)

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

A roach and multiple flies were noted in the marmoset enclosure. One of the marmosets was noted scratching when flies got close. Insect pests can lead to discomfort of the marmosets and can potentially lead to spread of disease. The facility must establish and maintain an effective program for control of insect pests. Correct by 8/27/21.

3.127(d)

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Facilities, outdoor.

No changes to the perimeter or enclosure fencing have occurred since the last inspection. The facility representative stated she has not yet had time to apply for a variance. The facility exhibits the following species outdoors: prairie dogs, cavy and an African Crested porcupine. The outdoor housing facilities for the prairie dogs and African Crested porcupine

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are enclosed by fencing acting as a perimeter fence but it is not six feet high (only 2 feet high on one side and about 4-5 feet high on the rest of the sides). The cavy are not fully enclosed within a complete perimeter fence as required (two sides of the enclosure also act as the perimeter fence).

A perimeter fence protects the animals by restricting unwanted animals and unauthorized persons from going through it or under it and having contact with the animals in the facility and also functions as a secondary containment system for the animals. The facility shall ensure that the outdoor housing facilities are enclosed by a perimeter fence at least six feet high and more than three feet in distance from the primary enclosures or apply for written approval for fencing that does not meet those requirements.

3.131(c)

Sanitation.

*The indoor portion of the African Crested Porcupine enclosure needs to be cleaned. There is an accumulation of old corn cobs, food wastes and enrichment wastes present. An odor is present.

*The pigs' water feature/concrete pond needs to be cleaned. The water is a bright green color due to contamination by algae along with dirt/mud. Some types of algae may be toxic to animals.

The premises/grounds need to be kept clean in order to protect the animals from injury, diseases hazards, odors and pest issues. Correct by 8/1/21.

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

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000005	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000002	<i>Callithrix jacchus</i>	COMMON MARMOSET
000003	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000002	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000002	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000001	<i>Meriones unguiculatus</i>	MONGOLIAN GERBIL (COMMON PET / RESEARCH VARIETY)
000007	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000007	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000008	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000001	<i>Phodopus roborovskii</i>	ROBOROVSKI'S DWARF HAMSTER
000001	<i>Hystrix cristata</i>	AFRICAN CRESTED PORCUPINE
000008	<i>Phodopus sungorus</i>	DJUNGARIAN / RUSSIAN WINTER WHITE DWARF HAMSTER
000047	Total	



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