



Inspection Report

R & R CHINCHILLA INC
7754 SR 103
JENERA, OH 45841

Customer ID: **9130**
Certificate: **31-B-0195**
Site: 001
R & R CHINCHILLA INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 25-OCT-2023

3.130 Direct

Watering.

One adult chinchilla and two un-weaned offspring were excessively thirsty at the time of inspection. The animals were provided water and drank voraciously for approximately 4 minutes. The two offspring were attempting to simultaneously drink from the same water bottle nozzle as the adult. Approximately 24 chinchilla enclosures did not have water available and were provided water, half of these animals immediately drank. A lack of access to water can decrease milk production in lactating animals and can lead to dehydration or death. Correct by ensuring that all animals are provided water as often as necessary for the health and comfort of the animal. Frequency of watering shall consider age, species, condition, size and type of animal. Correct by 26-October-2023.

3.133 Direct

Separation.

One adult male and one adult female chinchilla have excessive hair loss and are being housed in an approximately one foot by one foot enclosure for breeding purposes. The adult black chinchilla has an approximately 1 inch by 1 inch area of hair loss on the top of its back. The adult grey chinchilla has excessive hair loss (nearly bald) starting mid body and ending approximately one inch up the tail. The animals have been held in this enclosure for at least two days. The breeding enclosure does not contain visual barriers or nest boxes that would allow the animals to escape one another if they are not compatible. Failure to monitor animals for compatibility during breeding and to separate animals that are incompatible can lead to stress in the animals, injury, or death. Correct by ensuring that animals housed in the same primary enclosure are compatible. Animals shall not be housed near animals that interfere with their health or cause them discomfort. Correct by 26-October-2023.

A complete routine inspection was conducted starting on 25-October-2023. This inspection report is limited to the Direct non-compliances identified during that inspection. An additional inspection report will be delivered with the other issues identified during this inspection.

This inspection was conducted with the Licensee. The exit briefing was conducted on 25-October-2023 with the licensee.

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Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
9130	31-B-0195	001	R & R CHINCHILLA INC	25-OCT-2023

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000367	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA
000367	Total	