

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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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: FOCUSED INSPECTION

Date: 25-OCT-2023

2.40(b)(2)

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

Two chinchillas were identified as requiring veterinary care at the facility.

One Adult standard grey chinchilla has significant hair loss starting behind the front legs and ending approximately an inch up the tail. There are small patches of hair starting to grow in the affected area and the skin appears to be normal in color with no abrasions.

One adult black chinchilla has an approximately 1 inch by 1 inch patch of hair missing. The affected area is on the back of the animal. The skin in the affected area is slightly red.

Failure to use appropriate methods to control or diagnose abnormalities in the fur of an animal can delay treatment or cause the condition to worsen. Licensees must ensure that they follow programs of adequate veterinary care, including the use appropriate methods to prevent control, diagnose, and treat diseases and injuries. When animals are identified with injuries or illness, they must seek care by their veterinarian to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases. Correct by ensuring that the animals listed above are examined and treated by a licensed veterinarian, also ensure all animals are provided with adequate veterinary care. Correct by 31-October-2023.

2.75(b)(1) Repeat

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The licensee is not maintaining records of the current animals on hand at the facility. failure to maintain animal records can make it difficult to track the movement of animals and make it hard to identify trends in animal losses, which could indicate disease conditions in the animals. Every dealer shall make, keep, and maintain records or forms which fully disclose the information concerning animals, purchased or otherwise acquired, owned, held, leased, or otherwise in his or her possession or under his or her control, or which is transported, sold, euthanized, or otherwise disposed of by that dealer or exhibitor.

3.125(a)

Facilities, general.

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During the inspection of the facility a adult black chinchilla was observed free roaming through the animal housing area. The animal had escaped from the primary enclosure and was not injured. The licensee stated that this individual animal had escaped the enclosure on previous occasions. Failure to secure animals in enclosures that safely contain the animals can lead to animal injury or escape from the facility. Correct by ensuring that the facility is constructed of such material and such strength as appropriate for the animals involved. The indoor and outdoor housing facility shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals. Correct by 31-October-2023.

3.131(c) Repeat

Sanitation.

There is a build-up of dust, hair, and cobwebs in several areas of the building. There is a thick buildup of dust, hair and debris on the top and sides of at least 60% of all used and unused enclosures. The animal rooms also have an accumulation of dust and cobwebs on the walls, windowsills, and vents.

Failure to clean animal facilities regularly can adversely affect the health of the animals and can potentially attract pests. The facility must maintain the premise (buildings and grounds) by keeping it clean and in good repair in order to protect the animals from disease hazards and to facilitate the prescribed husbandry practices.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000367Chinchilla lanigeraCHINCHILLA

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