



## Inspection Report

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Joseph Gentile  
26 Waverly St  
Everett, MA 02149

Customer ID: **6011918**  
Certificate: **14-B-0053**  
Site: 001  
Joseph Gentile

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 04-JUN-2025

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### 2.40(b)(2) Direct

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

One scarlet macaw has a severely overgrown beak that is crossed over to such an extent that it no longer allows for a normal occlusion. Additionally, one hyacinth macaw has a moderately overgrown beak that has not yet impacted its occlusion. Overgrown beaks may impact a bird's ability to eat and drink appropriately, which can be detrimental to their health and well-being. The facility must establish and maintain programs of veterinary care that include the use of appropriate methods to prevent, control, diagnose and treat diseases and injuries. The facility must inform the attending veterinarian of these animals' conditions and following their guidance for treatment. Correct by June 5, 2025.

### 2.40(b)(3) Direct

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

Two red rumped parakeets exhibited severe head wounds that may be attributed to feather and skin plucking related to breeding behavior. However, the extent of the head wounds was in excess of what is expected during normal pair breeding, especially in the female bird. These wounds may be causing pain and distress and could render the birds susceptible to skin infections.

Additionally, one parrotlet was observed during the inspection exhibiting labored breathing and puffed feathers. These behaviors may indicate a severe underlying medical issue that requires immediate veterinary care.

The facility must ensure that daily observations are performed on all animals to assess their health and well-being and communicate any problems of animal health, behavior, and well-being to the attending veterinarian in a timely manner. The facility must correct this issue by informing the attending veterinarian of the animals' conditions and follow all treatment plans as recommended by the attending veterinarian. To be corrected by June 5, 2025.

### 2.75(b)(1)

#### Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

No records of acquisition were available for 1 hedgehog, 8 degus, and 2 red rumped parakeets. The facility must make, keep, and maintain records which fully and correctly disclose the name and address of the person from whom the animals

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were acquired, the date of purchase or acquisition, the species, and the numbers of the animals. To be corrected by June 18, 2025.

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

Additional Inspectors:

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
6011918	14-B-0053	001	Joseph Gentile	04-JUN-2025

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000006	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA
000001	<i>Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus</i>	HYACINTH MACAW
000001	<i>Psittacus erithacus</i>	CONGO AFRICAN GREY PARROT / GRAY PARROT
000001	<i>Ara macao</i>	SCARLET MACAW
000001	<i>Forpus coelestis</i>	PACIFIC PARROTLET / CELESTIAL PARROTLET / LESSON'S PARROTLET
000003	<i>Psephotus haematonotus</i>	RED-RUMPED PARROT
000001	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG
000008	<i>Octodon degus</i>	DEGU
000011	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	NORWAY RAT / LAB RAT (COMMON RESEARCH/PET VARIETY)
000050	<i>Mus musculus</i>	HOUSE MOUSE / LAB MOUSE
000001	<i>Nymphicus hollandicus</i>	COCKATIEL
000084	<b>Total</b>	