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## **Inspection Report**

Exclusively Exotics Inc 7004 West Cullom Avenue Norridge, IL 60706 Customer ID: 9351

Certificate: 33-B-0338

Site: 001

EXCLUSIVELY EXOTICS INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 09-MAR-2017

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#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

A white hamster's lower incisors are growing back into its face. The extremely long incisors are contacting and penetrating the skin below the left side of its nose. The nose and surrounding skin is reddened. There is discharge present on the area where the incisors are contacting and penetrating the skin. Facility staff observed the hamster's condition, but didn't notify the veterinarian. Veterinary care issues left untreated can cause pain and discomfort.

Additionally, five hamsters sharing an enclosure had varying degrees of fur loss. The three white hamsters and two brown hamsters had fur loss ranging from mild to severe. The small brown hamster had the most severe fur loss. This hamster was partially or completely missing fur on the majority of its body. The other hamsters had patches of partial and complete fur loss. Facility staff observed the hamsters' conditions, but didn't notify the veterinarian. Fur loss can be the result of underlying veterinary care issues.

Notify the veterinarian of the hamsters' conditions. Follow through with all prescribed treatments and/or instructions.

To be corrected: All of the affected hamsters were taken to the veterinarian between the time of inspection and the exit briefing.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the secretary.

Prepared By: MOORE CHAD, A C I USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Date: 09-MAR-2017

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR 1046

Received by Title: SECRETARY Date:

09-MAR-2017



## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

Customer: 9351
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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
9351	33-B-0338	001	EXCLUSIVELY EXOTICS INC	09-MAR-17

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000009	Cavia porcellus	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000016	Meriones unguiculatus	MONGOLIAN GERBIL (COMMON PET / RESEARCH VARIETY)
000103	Mesocricetus auratus	SYRIAN / GOLDEN HAMSTER (COMMON PET/RESEARCH TYPE)
000007	Mustela putorius furo	DOMESTIC FERRET
000135	Total	