

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

DCARE **INS-0000878122**

Inspection Report

Bigham Farms and Exotics LLC 11926 Upper Columbus Road Coker, AL 35452 Customer ID: **601122**

Certificate: 64-C-0252

Site: 001

Bigham Farms and Exotics LLC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 13-JUL-2023

2.1(b)(1)

Requirements and application

The facility failed to notify USDA prior to adding a new type of animal to their business which is not approved on the facility's current license. The facility currently has a serval cat on exhibit, but the facility's existing exhibitor's license does not authorize the use of exotic cats. Specific approval of dangerous animal groups including exotic and wild felids (cats) is important for compliance with Animal Welfare Act regulations and is required in order to assess the facility's knowledge and ability to safely maintain dangerous animals. Correct by 7/13/23 by stopping the exhibition of this animal, and by reapplying for a new, updated exhibitor's license that includes exotic and wild felids (cats) and any other dangerous animal groups the licensee exhibits.

2.75(b)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

Records of acquisition and disposition were incomplete. Some records lacked the address and driver's license number of the animal seller/donor. Records of disposition were missing entirely for some animals. Accurate recordkeeping is important for animal traceability in the event of disease outbreaks or investigation of animals lost or stolen. Correct by 8/13/23 by updating/completing existing animal records and capturing all of the required information on future records.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

Prepared By: DIANA CARE USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Date: 13-JUL-2023

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

OFFICER

Received by Title: Licensee Date:

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Species Inspected

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Count 000001 000001 000002 000001 000001 000002	Scientific Name Camelus dromedarius Ovis aries aries Lemur catta Leptailurus serval Notamacropus rufogriseus Nasua narica Dolichotis patagonum	Common Name DROMEDARY CAMEL SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS RING-TAILED LEMUR SERVAL BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY WHITE-NOSED COATI PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000002	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000014	Total	