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Inspection Report

Peter A Sturgis

541 Fourth Avenue Baraboo, WI 53913 Customer ID: 7012

Certificate: 35-C-0376

Site: 001

PETER STURGIS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 25-JAN-2016

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SPACE REQUIREMENTS.

Two Patagonian cavies were moved from their outdoor location to indoor housing about 4 days ago as reported by the licensee. The cavies' indoor enclosure is still under construction, so the cavies have been housed in their transport kennel container that is not large enough to adequately allow both cavies to walk around more than a few steps at the same time if they wanted to. They also have little space to avoid walking in excrement in this small area. The licensee reported to be in the process of finishing the larger enclosure and planned to have them out into the larger enclosure later this day. Housing animals in spaces that don't allow adequate movement could cause animals discomfort and may lead to health problems for the animals. The facility must ensure that animals are housed in areas with spaces large enough to allow adequate freedom of movement and allow normal social and postural adjustments.

Correct by 1/26/2016.

Exit interview conducted with facility representative.

Prepared By: SCOTT WELCH, D V M USDA, APHIS, Animal Care Date: 25-JAN-2016

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER 6046

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Species Inspected

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Count Scientific Name Common Name

000002 Dolichotis patagonum PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA

000002 Total