

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

SAMUEL M STOLTZFUS

1663 Noble Road KIRKWOOD, PA 17536 Customer ID: 508574

Certificate: 23-A-0728

Site: 001

SAMUEL M STOLTZFUS

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 04-DEC-2023

2.75(b)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

A current record of guinea pigs was not available for review during this inspection. A total of 247 guinea pigs were counted at time of inspection. There were no inventory records kept including the number of adult guinea pigs, weanlings, newborns present for the last 4 months or records kept on animals that died since August. Failure to maintain these records can make it difficult to assess the health of the caviary by identifying animal losses by death or decreased number of animals born, raised, or sold. Licensee must maintain records containing the required information for animals which disclose the number of guinea pigs held, owned, acquired or disposed of including births and deaths. Correct by December 9, 2023.

3.31(a)(1)

Sanitation.

There were accumulations of feces and soiled bedding in the majority of the guinea pigs enclosures. Licensee stated that the enclosures were last cleaned 2 weeks ago. Accumulations of feces and soiled bedding can expose the guinea pigs to disease hazards such as bacterial and fugal diseases. The cleaning process(method and frequency) utilized is not effective in removing accumulations inside the enclosures. Licensee must ensure that enclosures are cleaned often enough to prevent accumulations of excreta and spoiled bedding, and that enclosures are sanitized at least once every 2 weeks. Correct by December 5, 2023.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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USDA, APHIS, Animal Care

Title: ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR

Date:
04-DEC-2023

Received by Title: Licensee Date:

04-DEC-2023



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Species Inspected

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Count Scientific Name Common Name

000247 Cavia porcellus DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG

000247 **Total**