



Inspection Report

Capralogics Inc
P O Box 356
Hardwick, MA 01037

Customer ID: 749
Certificate: 14-R-0156
Site: 001
CAPRALOGICS INC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 29-MAY-2014

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PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

Space Requirements.

1. At the time of the inspection there were six enclosures housing groups of rabbits that did not meet the minimum space requirements when rabbits are housed in groups. Each rabbit housed in the six enclosures weighed at most 1.4 kgs. There were four enclosures measuring 2.5 ft x 2 ft (5 sq ft of floor space) that contained 4 rabbits each and there were two enclosures measuring 5 ft x 2 ft (10 sq ft of floor space) that contained 9 rabbits each. Rabbits that weigh 2 kgs or less require a minimum of 1.5 square feet of floor space when they are housed individually or in groups. Therefore enclosures that provide 5 sq feet of floor space can hold no more than 3 rabbits and enclosures that provide 10 sq feet of floor space can hold no more than 6 rabbits.

Per this Section of the Regulations, each rabbit housed in a primary enclosure shall be provided a minimum amount of floor space based on the weight of each individual animal. The provision of a minimum amount of floor space is important to an animal's health and well-being as it allows each rabbit sufficient space to make normal postural and social adjustments with adequate freedom of movement.

The facility needs to transfer some of these rabbits to other enclosures and ensure that any rabbit weighing up to 2 kgs is housed in an enclosure that provides a minimum of 1.5 sq feet of floor space per rabbit whether it is housed individually or in a group.

Correct by 6/6/14.

NOTE - Exit interview held 5/29/14 on-site with facility representative. Report delivered by e-mail 5/30/14.

END OF REPORT

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
749	14-R-0156	001	CAPRALOGICS INC	29-MAY-14

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000075	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000010	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000025	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
000023	<i>Lama pacos</i>	ALPACA
000286	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	EUROPEAN RABBIT
000004	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000423	Total	