



## Inspection Report

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TUPELO BUFFALO PARK

P O BOX 2530  
TUPELO, MS 38803

Customer ID: **15397**

Certificate: **65-C-0515**

Site: 001

TUPELO BUFFALO PARK

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION

Date: 13-MAY-2021

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### 2.40(b)(3) Critical

#### Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

A dark brown male adult llama is extremely thin. The ribs, spine, hips, and shoulder bones are prominent with minimal fat under the skin, and the abdomen is tucked. The owner stated that the llama had good body condition last year, but had been out on the pasture over the winter, and when it was shaved on 4/29/21 the severe weight loss was seen for the first time. The owner stated that the attending vet was contacted, and the animal was dewormed per the vet's instructions and it has been provided with extra food.

An adult female white, brown, and black domestic sheep is reluctant to bear weight on both front feet. When the herd of sheep run, this sheep falls behind. The owner stated she had looked at the sheep this morning and did observe any lameness, but that this sheep may not have been moving around when observed.

Llamas who are extremely thin may suffer from weakness, muscle loss, cold stress, electrolyte imbalances, and weakened immune systems. Sheep who are lame suffer from pain, discomfort, and may be reluctant to walk to find food, water, or shelter.

Correct by May 13th, 2021 by observing all animals on a daily basis to assess their health and well being, and ensure that a mechanism for frequent and timely communication with the attending veterinarian is in place for communication about any problems that are identified.

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner.

Additional Inspectors:

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
15397	65-C-0515	001	TUPELO BUFFALO PARK	13-MAY-2021

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000005	<i>Lama pacos</i>	ALPACA
000002	<i>Varecia rubra</i>	RED RUFFED LEMUR
000014	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
000006	<i>Equus quagga</i>	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000002	<i>Camelus bactrianus</i>	BACTRIAN CAMEL
000003	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	DROMEDARY CAMEL
000003	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000035	<b>Total</b>	