

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

RPEREZ-BAUM INS-0000851321

Inspection Report

Heavenly Heart Farm and Mini Petting Zoo PO BOX 332

EDINBURG, VA 22824

Customer ID: 502079

Certificate: 52-C-0298

Site: 001

HEAVENLY HEART FARM AND

MINI PETTING ZOO

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 07-MAR-2023

2.75(b)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The record of animals on hand has not been updated to reflect a hamster removed from the premises. According to the facility representative, the hamster was transferred out of the facility to a different location. However, the record of animals on hand still shows a hamster being present on the property. Accurate records disclosing the acquisition or disposition of animals on the property is necessary for accountability and identification of animals during inspection and for performing trace back of animals during a disease outbreak. Correct by March 17, 2023 by ensuring that the record of animals on hand accurately accounts for all animals purchased or otherwise acquired, owned, held, leased or otherwise in your possession or which is transported, sold, euthanized, or otherwise disposed of. Records must include any offspring born of any animals while in your possession.

3.53(a)(1)

Primary enclosures.

The metal bars of two enclosures housing rabbits have large quantities of rust and peeling of the metal coating. The enclosures are comprised of a solid plastic base with a metal wire top and sides. The metal wires have pieces of white coating flaking off which is easily removed by a finger during inspection. The rest of the exposed wire is rough and covered in rust which was also easily removed during inspection. Severely rusted metal wire and wire with flaking coating

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can contaminate the enclosure and lead to accidental ingestion by the animals housed within. Additionally, the surface of the wire becomes uneven and pitted, preventing adequate sanitation to protect the animals from potential illness. Structural integrity of the wire can be compromised with extreme rust. Correct by March 21, 2023 by ensuring that all enclosures are maintained in good repair to protect the rabbits from injury, are structurally sound, and can be sanitized in accordance with 3.56(b)(1).

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with a facility representative.

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Species Inspected

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