



Inspection Report

Nelson Pearson III
42030 Koppernick Rd., Ste. 305
Canton, MI 48187

Customer ID: **6957**
Certificate: **34-C-0178**
Site: 001
Nelson Pearson III

Type: RE-LICENSE INSPECTION
Date: 12-JAN-2023

3.131(a)

Sanitation.

One chinchilla exercise wheel had an excessive build-up of feces. An inappropriate cleaning frequency can lead to animal contamination, disease hazards, and odors. Excreta shall be removed from the primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent contamination of the animals contained therein and to minimize disease hazards and to reduce odors. The issue was corrected at the time of inspection.

3.132 Critical

Employees.

On October 1st, 2022, one grey male chinchilla escaped its primary enclosure and was killed by another animal within the facility. The licensee stated that the enclosure latch was not appropriately locked by the staff. Utilizing inadequately trained staff can lead to poor husbandry practices and animal welfare concerns. A sufficient number of adequately trained employees shall be utilized to maintain a professionally acceptable level of husbandry. Employees have been retrained on husbandry practices.

This is a 1st Re-License Inspection for a Class "C" license. The inspection and exit briefing were conducted with the applicant.

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All items must be in compliance within 2 more inspections or by 13-MARCH-2023 or the applicant will forfeit the license fee and must wait 6 months to reapply. Please contact your inspector to schedule your next Re-License Inspection.

Regulated activity can continue under your existing USDA license until it expires.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Vulpes lagopus</i>	ARCTIC FOX
000002	<i>Marmota monax</i>	GROUNDHOG / WOODCHUCK
000002	<i>Tolypeutes matacus</i>	SOUTHERN THREE-BANDED ARMADILLO
000009	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000001	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000002	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA (DOMESTICATED)
000001	<i>Lynx lynx</i>	NORTHERN/EURASIAN LYNX
000001	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000001	<i>Notamacropus rufogriseus</i>	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY
000001	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000001	<i>Aonyx cinereus</i>	ORIENTAL SMALL-CLAWED OTTER
000001	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	STRIPED SKUNK
000023	Total	