



## Inspection Report

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Ivan F Swarey  
1927 Petersburg Road  
ALLENWOOD, PA 17810

Customer ID: **507227**  
Certificate: **23-A-0705**  
Site: 001  
IVAN F SWAREY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 21-MAR-2022

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### 2.75(b)(1) Repeat

#### Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

A current record of guinea pigs on hand was not available for review during this inspection. A total of 497 adult, weanling, and newborn guinea pigs were counted during this inspection.

Failure to maintain these records can make it difficult to assess the health of the colony by identifying animal losses by deaths or decreased numbers of animals born and to track animals being used in regulated activities to ensure their humane care and use.

The facility must maintain records containing the required information for animals which fully and correctly disclose the number of animals held, owned, and acquired or disposed of including births and deaths.

### 3.25(a)

#### Facilities, general.

Although the side walls of the enclosures were at least 7 inches in height, during the inspection, four guinea pigs were observed to be out of their enclosure and running around on the floor of the building.

Guinea pigs that have escaped their enclosure could be at risk of injury or escape from the barn as well as the inability to access food and water.

The licensee must ensure that the enclosure contains the animals at all times and does not allow them to escape.

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Housing facilities must be adequate to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals.

Correct by: March 25, 2022

### 3.31(a)(1)

### Repeat

#### Sanitation.

Approximately half of the guinea pig pens contained an accumulation of soiled, wet bedding with excess fecal material particularly in the area near the automatic waterers. The facility had last performed a cleaning approximately 7 days ago. The accumulation of feces and unclean enclosures can cause unpleasant odors, lead to contamination of the enclosure, and attract pests and vermin that carry diseases that result in risks to the health of the animals.

Enclosures must be cleaned and sanitized as often as necessary to prevent a build-up of debris and fecal material and sanitized at a minimum of once every two weeks.

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

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### Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
507227	23-A-0705	001	IVAN F SWAREY	21-MAR-2022

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000497	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000497	<b>Total</b>	