



Inspection Report

TRIPLE H METAL WORKING
107 S MAPLE AVE
LEOLA, PA 17540

Customer ID: **502420**

Certificate: **23-A-0663**

Site: 001

TRIPLE H METAL WORKING

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 23-AUG-2022

2.75(b)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

A current record of guinea pigs was not available during this inspection. Approximately 284 adult guinea pigs, weanlings, and newborns were counted during this inspection. There were no inventory records maintained since the last inspection report. Failure to maintain these records can make it difficult to assess the health of the caviary by identifying animal losses by decreased number of guinea pigs born or raised. The licensee must maintain records containing the required information for animals which discloses the number of guinea pigs held, owned, acquired, or disposed of including births and deaths. Correct by August 30, 2022.

3.28(c)(1)(iii)

Primary enclosures.

Space. Insufficient space was being provided to two enclosures housing weanlings. Weanling enclosures measure 40 inches by 30 inches or 1200 square inches of floor space. Maximum number of weanling guinea pigs in this size enclosure is 20. One enclosure had 29 weanlings and the second enclosure had 35 weanlings.

Inadequate space can cause stress, overcrowding, and increased aggression in animals which can result in fights, bites, and injuries. Weanling guinea pigs weighing up to 350 grams require at least 60 square inches of floor space. Licensee

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must ensure that guinea pigs are provided with at least the minimum amount of floor space per animal to prevent unnecessary stress, discomfort, and/or aggression. Correct by August 30, 2022.

3.31(a)(1)

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Sanitation.

There were 8 enclosures housing a total of 207 guinea pigs on the left side of the building with accumulations of excreta, soiled bedding, and debris covering the floors. Enclosures were last cleaned over a week ago. The cleaning process (method and frequency) utilized is not effective in removing this accumulation. Ineffective cleaning and sanitation can expose the guinea pigs to disease hazards and health risks. Primary enclosures must be cleaned often enough to prevent accumulations of excreta, soiled bedding, and debris. In addition, enclosures must be sanitized at least every two weeks. Remains uncorrected.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
502420	23-A-0663	001	TRIPLE H METAL WORKING	23-AUG-2022

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000284	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000284	Total	