

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

AMPHASTAR LABORATORIES INC. 11570 6TH STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730 Customer ID: 321451

Certificate: 93-R-0528

Site: 001

AMPHASTAR LABORATORIES,

INC.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 16-MAR-2023

2.38(f)(1) Critical

Miscellaneous.

Three rabbits on a covered protocol suffered spinal fractures while being handled by the facility's animal husbandry staff on 5/18/22, 5/26/22 and 11/15/22, which resulted in humane euthanasia. According to the facility representative, the animal husbandry staff received training in handling rabbits by the Attending Veterinarian (AV) and by reviewing the training SOP. The facility representative stated this was the first time this group of staff members had worked with rabbits at this facility. The facility took immediate corrective action and there has not been any additional incidents. The animal husbandry staff should be adequately trained and experienced to handle animals in a manner that causes no harm or distress. Handling of all animals shall be done as expeditiously and carefully as possible in a manner that does not cause trauma, overheating, excessive cooling, behavioral stress, physical harm, or unnecessary discomfort. A system should be in place to ensure the animal husbandry staff are trained to handle rabbits in an appropriate manner for the animals' health and wellbeing.

To be corrected by COB 3/23/23

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

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Species Inspected

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000009Canis lupus familiarisDOG ADULT000042Oryctolagus cuniculusDOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT

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