



## Inspection Report

Equitech-Bio Inc.  
3650 Harris Rd  
Hamilton, OH 45013

Customer ID: 1752  
Certificate: 74-B-0345  
Site: 003  
EQUITECH-BIO INC.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION  
Date: 30-SEP-2014

### 2.40(a)(1)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

The facility has no written program of veterinary care approved by the attending veterinarian. A part-time attending veterinarian is employed by the facility and visits the site monthly. A written program of veterinary care is necessary to ensure that the facility staff understands the expectations of the attending veterinarian in regards to the care and use of the animals. A program of veterinary care must be written and this program must be approved by the attending veterinarian as part of the formal arrangement between the facility and the attending veterinarian.

Correct by: 31 October 2014

### 2.40(b)(2)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

There is one goat at the facility being treated for diarrhea with a dewormer and an antibiotic. This goat has been separated from the rest of the herd and is in a heavily bedded stall with easy access to food and water. While there is recognition and treatment of this disease by the facility, there is no written program of veterinarian care approved by the attending veterinarian to give guidance for treating the disease in this case, and the attending veterinarian was not consulted on how to appropriately diagnose and treat this case. Failure to consult the attending veterinarian or have written procedures to prevent, control, diagnose, and treat diseases can result in misdiagnosis and mistreatment of animal diseases and injuries. This goat must be examined and treated by a licensed veterinarian.

Correct by: 3 October 2014

Facility inspection and exit interview conducted with Ranch Manager.

Prepared By: DONALD THEODORSON USDA, APHIS, Animal Care

Date:  
30-SEP-2014

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER 6056

Received by Title: SENT BY EMAIL

Date:  
30-SEP-2014



## Species Inspected

| Cust No | Cert No   | Site | Site Name         | Inspection |
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| 1752    | 74-B-0345 | 003  | EQUITECH-BIO INC. | 30-SEP-14  |

| Count         | Scientific Name              | Common Name     |
|---------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| 000050        | <i>Capra hircus</i>          | DOMESTIC GOAT   |
| 000013        | <i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i> | EUROPEAN RABBIT |
| <b>000063</b> | <b>Total</b>                 |                 |