

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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### **Inspection Report**

Cathy Smith 7422 Cr 466

Princeton, TX 75407

Customer ID: 32625

Certificate: 74-C-0889

Site: 001
Cathy Smith

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 16-MAR-2015

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#### PRIMARY ENCLOSURES.

The concrete floors and the straw bedding in the rabbit runs were damp and the building had a strong ammonia odor. The dampness could have been from excessive rain water seeping up through the concrete or inadequate cleaning of the cages. Either way the bedding and the floors were damp with most of the rabbits having no way to escape the damp floor and remain dry and clean. Primary enclosures must allow the rabbits to remain dry and clean.

The licensee needs to determine exactly what is causing the dampness and excessive odor and correct accordingly. If it is caused by inadequate cleaning then the number of rabbits should be reduced or the rabbit runs need to be cleaned more thoroughly and frequently. If the cause is seepage of water through the concrete then the concrete needs to be water proofed. Changing the type of bedding and providing more elevated areas for the rabbits to get off the floor may also assist with allowing the animals to remain dry and clean.

To be corrected immediately.

Inspection and exit interview conducted with the licensee.

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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
32625	74-C-0889	001	Cathy Smith	16-MAR-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000005	Atelerix albiventris	HEDGEHOG
000002	Bos taurus	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000010	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000040	Cavia porcellus	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000007	Chinchilla lanigera	CHINCHILLA
000004	Cynomys ludovicianus	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
800000	Dolichotis patagonum	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000010	Gerbillus acticola	BERBERA GERBIL
000012	Lama glama	LLAMA
000001	Lama pacos	ALPACA
000002	Macropus giganteus	EASTERN GREY KANGAROO
000005	Muscardinus avellanarius	HAZEL DORMOUSE
000002	Nasua nasua	SOUTH AMERICAN COATI
000001	Notamacropus rufogriseus	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY
000064	Oryctolagus cuniculus	EUROPEAN RABBIT
000005	Ovis dalli	WHITE SHEEP
000010	Sus scrofa domestica	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000188	Total	