



Inspection Report

SIDNEY MIELKE DIANE MIELKE
25883 GAREY ROAD
DENTON, MD 21629

Customer ID: **326754**

Certificate: **51-C-0124**

Site: 001

DIANE M MIELKE SIDNEY N
MIELKE

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 02-SEP-2021

2.40(b)(3)

Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

The licensee noticed a change in the fur of the 3 prairie dogs. Their coats appeared thin and unthrifty. However, the licensee did not contact the veterinarian about the abnormal coats of the prairie dogs when first noted. The licensee decided to wait for the monthly veterinary visit which was scheduled for 2.5 weeks after noting the problem. The licensee failed to contact the attending veterinarian in a timely manner. In doing so, diagnosis and treatment for the illness was delayed. Direct and frequent contact with the veterinarian when animals demonstrate any illness or abnormal medical conditions is important to ensure optimum health of animals and to minimize spread of disease. The prairie dogs must be examined by a veterinarian for diagnosis and treatment for the abnormal coat. Additionally, a plan to report illnesses to the attending veterinarian in a timely manner must be developed and followed. Correct by September 24, 2021.

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Sanitation.

There were two pieces of rusting metal equipment with rough or sharp edges in the pasture where the sheep, goats, pigs, and alpaca roam. Leaving hazardous items in the field where the farm animals roam can lead to animal injury or illnesses. Grounds should be kept in such a manner that protects the animals from injury. Unnecessary equipment must be removed from the field and kept in a designated area away from the animals for their health and safety.

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Sanitation.

The building housing the sloth and feed items has evidence of a mouse infestation. An excessive amount of mouse feces was seen on the feeding platform attached to the outside of the sloth cage. There are gaps in the insulation along the seams and bottom edges that easily allow mice to come and go, as well as hide. An effective program for the control of mammalian pests should include husbandry practices that minimize health risks for the animals. Measures must be taken to prevent the entry and harborage of the mice for the health of the sloth and to minimize contamination of food supplies. The licensee removed the mouse pellets on the feeding platform during the inspection.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000003	<i>Equus quagga</i>	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000001	<i>Equus quagga X E. asinus</i>	ZEBRA-DONKEY HYBRID / ZEDONK / ZEBRINNY
000005	<i>Bubalus bubalis</i>	ASIATIC WATER BUFFALO
000003	<i>Boselaphus tragocamelus</i>	NILGAI
000002	<i>Camelus bactrianus</i>	BACTRIAN CAMEL
000003	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	DROMEDARY CAMEL
000004	<i>Lama pacos</i>	ALPACA
000003	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
000011	<i>Osphranter rufus</i>	RED KANGAROO
000001	<i>Osphranter robustus</i>	HILL WALLAROO
000001	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000001	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	NORTH AMERICAN PORCUPINE
000004	<i>Vulpes zerda</i>	FENNEC FOX
000002	<i>Nasua olivacea</i>	MOUNTAIN COATI
000002	<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>	COMMON ELAND
000017	<i>Ovis aries aries</i>	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000001	<i>Connochaetes gnou</i>	BLACK WILDEBEEST
000007	<i>Bos taurus</i>	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000004	<i>Notamacropus rufogriseus</i>	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED- NECKED WALLABY
000005	<i>Hystrix cristata</i>	AFRICAN CRESTED PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Bison bison</i>	AMERICAN BISON
000002	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000002	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>	CAPYBARA
000005	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000002	<i>Bettongia tropica</i>	NORTHERN BETTONG
000003	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000001	<i>Coendou prehensilis</i>	PREHENSILE-TAILED PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Choloepus didactylus</i>	LINNAEUS'S TWO-TOED SLOTH
000002	<i>Chinchilla chinchilla</i>	SHORT-TAILED CHINCHILLA
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