

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

MMCBRIDE INS-0000911051

### **Inspection Report**

North Carolina State University CAMPUS BOX 7514

RALEIGH, NC 27695

Customer ID: 842

Certificate: 55-R-0005

Site: 001

NORTH CAROLINA STATE

06-DEC-2023

UNIVERSITY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 05-DEC-2023

#### 2.31(c)(7)

#### Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC).

A stallion used for artificial insemination was included on a protocol stating that semen could be collected once a day up to three times a week. However, records review demonstrated that this horse had been used for collection twice in one day.

Collecting this horse twice in one day was a non-compliant activity of the IACUC-approved protocol. The IACUC became aware of the noncompliant protocol action due to a complaint submitted to the Attending Veterinarian (AV). The subsequent IACUC investigation was appropriate and a protocol amendment has been submitted.

The regulations state that with respect to activities involving animals, the IACUC, as an agent of the research facility, shall review and approve, require modifications in (to secure approval), or withhold approval of proposed significant changes regarding the care and use of animals in ongoing activities.

Corrected prior to inspection.

#### 3.131(a)

#### Sanitation.

Excessive amounts of feces were present in twelve ferret enclosures. The floors and walls of the enclosures showed evidence of smeared brown material. The daily log indicated that daily cleaning had already occurred prior to this inspection. The ferrets had undergone major surgical procedures approximately 6 days prior to this inspection.

Not following adequate cleaning procedures allows for excessive feces and debris build-up in the enclosures, which increases the risk of infection at the animals' surgical sites and poses health and disease risks.

The regulations state that excreta shall be removed from primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent contamination of the animals contained therein and to minimize disease hazards and to reduce odors.

Correct by 08December2023.

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# **Species Inspected**

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842	55-R-0005	001	NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY	05-DEC-2023

Count 000108 000039 000051 000064 000114 000007	Scientific Name Bos taurus Capra hircus Equus caballus Sus scrofa domestica Microtus ochrogaster Canis rufus	Common Name CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI DOMESTIC GOAT DOMESTIC HORSE DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG PRAIRIE VOLE RED WOLF
000016 000043 000012 000012	Canis familiaris Oryctolagus cuniculus Cavia porcellus Mustela putorius furo	DOG ADULT DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG DOMESTIC FERRET
000466	Total	