



Inspection Report

Clinton Holmes
13 Long Lane
Alburtis, PA 18011

Customer ID: 7117
Certificate: 23-A-0403
Site: 001
CLINTON HOLMES

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 11-MAR-2016

2.75(b)(1) REPEAT

RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.

Section 2.75(b)(1) Records: A record of animals on hand was not available for review on this inspection. There are still no birth records for the hamsters. Records are required to adequately verify the total number of animals housed at the facility. Birth, death and euthanasia records are reviewed by APHIS officials during the inspection as part of the review of the overall animal care program for the facility. Every dealer must make, keep and maintain records concerning animals acquired, sold, euthanized, or otherwise disposed of by the dealer. The records shall include any offspring born of any animal while in his or her possession. Correct by maintaining a recordkeeping system with the above required information.

3.25(a)

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

Section 3.25(a) Structural strength: There were two escaped white Djungarian hamsters loose on the floor of the animal room. These hamsters were captured when identified by the APHIS official during this inspection. Injury may occur from falls and exposure to dangerous substances when an animal escapes out of its enclosure. There were about 10 animal enclosures with full thickness cracks at either the bottom covered with tape or at the top just below the enclosure lid/top. Correct by ensuring all animal enclosures are structurally sound and worn/broken enclosures are replaced. Correct by March 19, 2016.

3.29(d)

FEEDING.

Section 3.29(d) Feeding: There were about 30 dwarf hamster enclosures with an excessive buildup of rust on the feeder lid. The rust may contaminate the pelleted feed and the excessive rust prevents the feeders from being properly sanitized. The animals chew on the feeder lids while eating and may become ill. Correct by ensuring that the feeder lids are not rusty and rusty feeder lids are replaced. Correct by March 25, 2016.

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3.30

WATERING.

Section 3.30 Watering: There were about 20 enclosures, each with two dwarf hamsters and their offspring, that had green algae in the water bottles. Drinking water containing algae may cause the hamsters to become ill. Correct by ensuring water bottles/receptacles are sanitized at a frequency that prevents the buildup of algae or debris in the water, and at a minimum of every two weeks. Correct by March 14, 2016.

An exit briefing was conducted with the co-owner.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
7117	23-A-0403	001	CLINTON HOLMES	11-MAR-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
001652	<i>Phodopus roborovskis</i>	ROBOROVSKIS DWARF HAMSTER
000938	<i>Phodopus sungorus</i>	DJUNGARIAN / RUSSIAN WINTER WHITE DWARF HAMSTER
002590	Total	