

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Mose Zook Jr. 48 N Castle Finn Road Delta, PA 17314 Customer ID: **324325**

Certificate: 23-A-0577

Site: 002

MOSE ZOOK JR.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 12-SEP-2017

2.40(b)(2)

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

An adult female (tan and white) smooth haired guinea pig housed in row 6, top enclosure was observed with hair loss around the nose. The hair loss was approximately 2 cm in diameter surrounding the nose and above the mouth. The were several scabs on the bridge of the nose. There were 8 adults and 4 young in this enclosure. There was no indication that the facility had initiated treatment required by the Program of Veterinary Care (PVC). When animals are identified as needing care the facility must either initiate care as outlined by the PVC or obtained care by a veterinarian. This animal requires examination by a veterinarian to prevent a worsening of the condition and to prevent health risks to other guinea pigs housed in the same enclosure. Additionally, the licensee must provide documentation of such examination and treatment to APHIS officials upon request. Correct by September 14, 2017.

2.75(b)(1) REPEAT

RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.

A current record of animals on hand was not available for review during this inspection. Records are required in order to adequately verify the total number of animals housed at the facility and for evaluating the facility animal care program. Correct by ensuring there are current records for animal totals, including births and deaths, maintained and available for review for the guinea pigs housed at the facility. Remains uncorrected.

3.31(b) **REPEAT**

SANITATION.

Housekeeping is still not adequate in the guinea pig room. There is a long work table in the animal room along one wall filled with miscellaneous supplies, lumber, empty feed sacks, tools, chemicals, dust, and debris. Lumber, wood scraps, cardboard, feed sacks, dust, and debris are stored on the floor below the work table. There is a layer of dust from shavings throughout the animal room and numerous cobwebs on the walls and ceiling. Animal areas inside of housing facilities must be kept neat and free of clutter, but may contain items necessary for the cleaning and care of the guinea pigs. Animal facilities must be kept clean to ensure good quality air for the animals to prevent unnecessary disease risks. Correct by ensuring the premises are kept clean, including removing accumulations of dust, lumber, tools, chemicals, and clutter from the top of the work table and items stored on the floor below the work table, cleaning the floor regularly and maintaining a level of cleanliness to support good animal husbandry and

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the owner's wife.

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Species Inspected

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000640Cavia porcellusDOMESTIC GUINEA PIG

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