



Inspection Report

Paul S Zook
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Customer ID: **32735**
Certificate: **23-A-0621**
Site: 001
PAUL ZOOK

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 14-APR-2016

2.75(b)(1)

RECORDS: DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS.

Since the previous inspection on October 19, 2015, records of animal births and deaths were not maintained for the guinea pigs except for the number of weaned animals each week. Records must be kept on animals for animal tracking, assessment of the animal care program, and to comply with the regulations. The licensee must ensure that records of births (newborns) and deaths are kept and maintained on the guinea pigs. Correct from this day forward.

3.31(a)(1)

SANITATION.

During this inspection the floors of the guinea pig enclosures had approximately a 1-2 inch layer of compacted soiled/wet bedding beneath two inches of newer bedding (hay). The licensee informed the APHIS official that the guinea pig enclosures were last cleaned two to three weeks ago, but that new hay had been added daily on top of the soiled bedding. Ineffective cleaning and sanitation exposes the animals to disease hazards such as bacterial, fungal, and viral diseases. Primary enclosures must be cleaned often enough to prevent an accumulation of excreta/soiled bedding and must be sanitized at least once every 2 weeks. Correct by ensuring enclosures are cleaned and sanitized as required. Correct by April 15, 2016.

3.31(b)

SANITATION.

Housekeeping. The floor contains accumulations of hay, dirt, and dust. There are accumulations of dust, dirt and cobwebs on the ceiling and walls of the animal room. The shelf above the sink with cleaning materials and food supplements is filthy. Food supplements must be separated from cleaning supplies and stored in a cabinet or container that protects supplies from contamination or spoilage. Animals facilities must be kept clean to ensure good quality of the air for the animals and to prevent unnecessary disease risks. Correct by ensuring the premises are kept clean, including: removing accumulations of dust, cobwebs, scattered hay, and dirt; routinely dusting off and sanitizing all surfaces on the inside of the facility; separating food supplements and cleaning supplies; and maintaining a level of general cleanliness to support good animal husbandry and health. Correct by April 16, 2016.

An exit briefing was conducted with the owner.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
32735	23-A-0621	001	PAUL ZOOK	14-APR-16

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000351	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000351	Total	