



Inspection Report

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Customer ID: **2236**
Certificate: **23-C-0011**
Site: 001
POCONO SNAKE & ANIMAL FARM

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: Apr-13-2016

2.40 (b) (2)

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

Section 2.40(b)(2) Veterinary care: The following animals are in need of veterinary care:

1) The geriatric (40 plus years old) male brown capuchin called Fred has hair loss on the dorsal forearms between his elbows and wrists, lateral thighs, tail and on his back behind his shoulders. The facility escort informed the APHIS official that this monkey had been seen in the past by the veterinarian for hair loss. There were no records available at the time of this inspection describing the extent of the hair loss and the veterinary care provided. Hair loss can have many causes such as parasites, infectious, nutritional, and may be a sign of a more serious health concern. The capuchin must be evaluated by the attending veterinarian to provide appropriate veterinary care.

2) The geriatric (40 plus years old) male tufted capuchin called Timmy has hair loss on his tail and the back half of his body (mid back to tail). The facility escort informed the APHIS official that this monkey had been seen in the past by the veterinarian for hair loss. There were no records available at the time of this inspection describing the extent of the hair loss and the veterinary care provided other than a note in 2011 that the animal was under veterinary care for hair loss. Hair loss can have many causes such as parasites, infectious, nutritional, and may be a sign of a more serious health concern. The capuchin must be evaluated by the attending veterinarian to provide appropriate veterinary care.

3) The geriatric (20 plus years old) female squirrel monkey has hair loss on her tail. Most of her tail is bald beyond the first 1-2 inches at the base of the tail. The facility escort informed the APHIS official that this monkey had been seen in the past by the veterinarian for hair loss. There were no records available at the time of this inspection describing the extent of the hair loss and the veterinary care provided. Hair loss can have many causes such as parasites, infectious, nutritional, and may be a sign of a more serious health concern. The squirrel monkey must be evaluated by the attending veterinarian to provide appropriate veterinary care.

4) The female pot belly pig has hair loss on her back from behind her shoulders to her tail. The exposed skin is thickened and brown in color. The facility escort informed the APHIS official that this pig had been seen in the past by the veterinarian for the hair loss and skin condition. There were no records available at the time of this inspection describing the extent of the hair loss and the veterinary care provided. Hair

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loss can have many causes such as parasites, infectious, nutritional, and may be a sign of a more serious health concern. The pig must be evaluated by the attending veterinarian to provide appropriate veterinary care.

Correct by having the above animals evaluated by the attending veterinarian. The licensee must document and maintain records of the examination, treatment and outcome for future inspections by APHIS officials. Correct by April 18, 2016.

3.125 (a)

FACILITIES, GENERAL

Section 3.125(a) Structural strength: The enclosure housing one bobcat has a large wide cracks in the concrete floor at the back of the enclosure. Feces, food and debris may accumulate in the cracks of the concrete. The concrete floor must be repaired to prevent debris and dirty water from accumulating in the cracks and to allow the floor to be adequately cleaned. Correct by May 13, 2016.

An exit briefing was conducted with the facility employee.

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