



Inspection Report

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI

Customer ID: **953**

SOUTHERN STATION, BOX 5116

Certificate: **65-R-0004**

Site: 001

BUSH BABY FACILITY

HATTIESBURG, MS 39406

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Jan-16-2009

ALL ITEMS ARE IN COMPLIANCE AT THIS INSPECTION.

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2.31 (c) (3)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

c) IACUC Functions. With respect to activities involving animals, the IACUC, as an agent of the research facility, shall:

(3) Prepare reports of its evaluations conducted as required by paragraphs (c)(1) and (2) of this section, and submit the reports to the Institutional Official of the research facility. If program or facility deficiencies are noted, the reports must contain a reasonable and specific plan and schedule with dates for correcting each deficiency.

The facility's last two semi-annual animal care and use program review and facility inspection were completed in March and October 2007. Both of these reports are lacking correction dates for the deficiencies noted. Correction dates for deficiencies to the program and/ or facilities are required as outlined in the AWA and regulations. This is necessary to ensure that deficiencies are addressed in a timely manner.

CORRECT BY NEXT SEMI-ANNUAL REVIEW.

3.75 (a) **REPEAT**

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(a) Structure: construction. Housing facilities for nonhuman primates must be designed and constructed so that they are structurally sound for the species of nonhuman primates housed in them. They must be kept in good repair, and they must protect the animals from injury, contain the animals securely, and restrict other animals from entering.

There is peeling floor paint in all the rooms in Building 2 housing the non-human primates. Facilities for the bush babies should be kept in good repair to facilitate proper husbandry (namely, cleaning and sanitization) for the regulated species.

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3.50 (a) REPEAT

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

(a) Structural strength. Indoor and outdoor housing facilities for rabbits shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair.

In Building 1, the cage wash dirty side room ceiling has peeling paint. According to staff, water leaks due to Hurricane Katrina caused roof damage with subsequent ceiling damage and peeling paint. In the cage wash clean side room there is peeling wall paint also. The facility housing the rabbits must be kept in good repair.

3.56 (c)

SANITATION.

(c) Housekeeping. Premises (buildings and grounds) shall be kept clean and in good repair in order to protect the animals from injury and to facilitate the prescribed husbandry practices set forth in this subpart. Premises shall remain free of accumulations of trash.

In Building 1, Room 121, the refrigerator freezer is dirty and needs cleaning. This equipment used to store items for the regulated species should be kept clean to facilitate proper husbandry practices. This is necessary to ensure the health and well being of the regulated species.

Correct by February 13, 2007.

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There is peeling floor paint in all rooms at Building 2 housing the non-human primates. Facilities for the bushbabies should be kept in good repair to facilitate proper husbandry and housekeeping of the regulated species.

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3.84 (c)

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

(c) Housekeeping for premises. Premises where housing facilities are located, including buildings and surrounding grounds, must be kept clean and in good repair in order to protect the nonhuman primates from injury, to facilitate the husbandry practices required in this subpart, and to reduce or eliminate breeding and living areas for rodents, pests, and vermin. Premises must be kept free of accumulations of trash, junk, waste, and discarded matter. Weeds, grass, and bushes must be controlled so as to facilitate cleaning of the premises and pest control.

In Building 2, the refrigerator used to store meds and some food items for the regulated species, namely bushbabies, is dirty. Equipment used for the regulated species must be kept clean and in good repair to facilitate proper husbandry practices. This is necessary to ensure the health and well being of the regulated species.

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