



Inspection Report

SAN JUAN BAUTISTA SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Customer ID: **870**

ROAD 172 GAGUAS TO CIDRA

Certificate: **94-R-0012**

TURABO GARDENS

Site: 001

CAGUAS, PR 00725

SAN JUAN BAUTISTA SCHOOL OF

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Mar-11-2009

2.31 (b) (3) (i)

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

At least one shall be a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, with training or experience in laboratory animal science and medicine, who has direct or delegated program responsibility for activities involving animals at the research shall be a voting member of the IACUC.

The facility does not have an attending veterinarian. As an active registrant (even though you do not use any regulated mammals) you shall arrange for the services of an attending veterinarian to be part of the IACUC.

Correct by April 11, 2009

2.31 (c) (1) **REPEAT**

INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

With respect to activities involving animals, the IACUC, as an agent of the research facility, shall review, at least once every six months, the research facility's program for humane care and use of animals, using title 9, chapter I, subchapter A--Animal Welfare, as a basis for evaluation

The IACUC has not met every 6 months. The last IACUC meeting was April 16, 2008. As an active registrant, the IACUC shall meet at least once every 6 months.

2.36 (a)

ANNUAL REPORT.

The reporting facility shall be that segment of the research facility, or that department, agency, or instrumentality of the United States, that uses or intends to use live animals in research, tests, experiments, or for teaching. Each reporting facility shall submit an annual report to the AC Regional Director for the State where the facility is located on or before December 1 of each calendar year. The report shall be signed and certified by the CEO or Institutional Official, and shall cover the previous Federal fiscal year.

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The registrant consistently fails to send the annual report to the Raleigh Regional Office on or before December 1st of each calendar year. The report has been late for years 2008, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004, & 2002.

You must send in the annual report to the Raleigh Regional Office on or before December 1st of each year.

No correction necessary at this time. Send the next annual report prior to December 1, 2009

There are no regulated mammals at this facility. There has been no regulated research activity since the last inspection.

This registrant has not conducted regulated activities in several years, and does not have animal facilities. You may wish to terminate your USDA registration at this time to relieve yourself of the non compliant IACUC regulations cited.

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INSTITUTIONAL ANIMAL CARE AND USE COMMITTEE (IACUC).

The members of each Committee shall be appointed by the Chief Executive Officer of the research facility. The Committee shall be composed of a Chairman and at least two additional members. Of the members of the Committee, At least one shall be a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, with training or experience in laboratory animal science and medicine, who has direct or delegated program responsibility for activities involving animals at the research facility. At least one shall not be affiliated in any way with the facility other than as a member of the Committee, and shall not be a member of the immediate family of a person who is affiliated with the facility. The Secretary intends that such person will provide representation for general community interests in the proper care and treatment of animals.

With respect to activities involving animals, the IACUC, as an agent of the research facility, shall review, at least once every six months, the research facility's program for humane care and use of animals, using title 9, chapter I, subchapter A--Animal Welfare, as a basis for evaluation.

Inspect, at least once every six months, all of the research facility's animal facilities, including animal study areas, using title 9, chapter I, subchapter A-Animal Welfare, as a basis for evaluation; Provided, however, That animal areas containing free-living wild animals in their natural habitat need not be included in such inspection.

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.

There are no regulated animals at this facility, and there has been no regulated research in at least 11 years. The registrant, however, desires to remain an active research facility.

At the present time there is no IACUC in place. Most of the former members have left the institution. The IACUC has not met within the last year.

An active registrant must have an IACUC in place and meet at least once every six months. The membership shall include the attending veterinarian, the IACUC chairperson, and a member who is not affiliated with the facility and which represents the general community interest in the proper care and

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