



Inspection Report

D&J Exotic Animals, LLC
4345 Starling Lane
Perry, FL 32347

Customer ID: **6023022**
Certificate: **58-B-0729**
Site: 001
Danny Delaney

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 03-FEB-2026

2.40(b)(3) Direct

Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

At the time of inspection, one adult Patagonian cavy has an abnormal left front foot. This foot is swollen to at least twice the size of the other foot and there are wounds on the front aspect of the swollen foot. The bottom portion of the left leg also appears swollen. The back aspect of the foot has an area that appears wet with a reddish liquid and there is debris sticking to this spot. When asked about the foot, the facility representative stated that this foot has been abnormal for a while and that they were previously told by their attending veterinarian that the foot was enlarged due to scar tissue from an old injury. The attending veterinarian told the inspector that they do not recall examining this animal. There is no documentation from the facility or the attending veterinarian of previous examinations or what the foot looked like in October 2025 when the attending veterinarian was last at the facility. During the inspection, the facility representative had not noticed the wounds or wet areas that are present on the foot. Based on the current condition of the foot, there is an active issue that needs veterinary attention.

Inadequate communication with the attending veterinarian and failure to observe medical problems can lead to the prolonged suffering of animals when injuries or changes in their health or behavior are not noticed or communicated in a timely manner. The facility must ensure that all animals are observed daily to assess their health and well-being and then ensure a mechanism of direct and frequent communication with the attending veterinarian. The facility must obtain veterinary care for this Patagonian cavy.

To be corrected by close of business on February 6, 2026.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility representatives.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000026	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000001	<i>Eulemur fulvus</i>	BROWN LEMUR
000028	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	RACCOON
000006	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000013	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000004	<i>Nasua nasua</i>	SOUTH AMERICAN COATI
000016	<i>Osphranter rufus</i>	RED KANGAROO
000013	<i>Notamacropus rufogriseus</i>	BENNETT'S WALLABY / RED-NECKED WALLABY
000002	<i>Vulpes zerda</i>	FENNEC FOX
000007	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000001	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>	CAPYBARA
000117	Total	