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Inspection Report

Bethyl Laboratories Inc. P. O. Box 850 Montgomery, TX 77356

Customer ID: 1414

Certificate: 74-R-0044

Site: 001

BETHYL LABORATORIES, INC.

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: Jan-22-2014

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FACILITIES, GENERAL.

Multiple outdoor shelter facilities for the farm animals contain insulation material which is exposed in the ceiling of the structures. The plastic moisture barrier is damaged, torn and missing pieces leaving fiberglass insulation material exposed and dangling from the ceiling in some places.

The exposed fiberglass can be a conduit for moisture, contamination by organic material and mold growth. Additionally, falling fiberglass material can make contact with the skin or airways of the animals causing irritation. Some feeding is currently done in these shelters creating another opportunity for contamination by fiberglass.

Indoor and outdoor facilities must be kept in good repair to support the health of the animals and protect them from injury. The ceilings in the shelters should be repaired or replaced.

Correct by: July 24, 2014.

Exit interview conducted with management.

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