



Inspection Report

Ervin, Betty and Gladys Plett
367169 E 1063 Rd
Boley, OK 74829

Customer ID: **6020404**
Certificate: **73-A-2875**
Site: 001
Ervin Betty and Gladys Plett

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 03-FEB-2026

2.40(b)(2)

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

- During a conversation with the licensee regarding methods of euthanasia, he described sometimes utilizing Carbon monoxide delivered via automobile exhaust when there was a batch of birds to be euthanized. The licensee stated that his attending veterinarian is not aware that he utilizes this method of euthanasia. Without training and appropriate control mechanisms, using carbon monoxide as a method of euthanasia cannot be considered appropriate veterinary medicine. The licensee must stop using this method, and must consult with his Attending veterinarian to receive guidance and training on appropriate avian euthanasia methods.
Correct from this date (3 February 2026) forward

3.153(a)(2)

Primary enclosures.

- In the juvenile holding room, multiple cages have too many birds present with an inadequate amount of perching space. Numerous birds in all cages were perching on the ground or on food/water bowls due to lack of perch space. Inadequate perching space is a potential source of discomfort to birds. All enclosures holding perching birds must have a sufficient number of perches to comfortably hold all birds. The licensee must reduce the number of birds in these group cages or provide more perches.
Correct by: 14 February 2026

3.158(a)(1)

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

- There is an accumulation of debris, waste, feathers and other matter on top of the wooden nest boxes attached to each enclosure. This debris is a potential source of contamination to birds using the nest box, and to birds in adjacent or nearby primary enclosures. The facility does not have a specific schedule for cleaning these surfaces.
- There is an accumulation of cobwebs and similar debris over cages in the main housing area and the juvenile holding area. This is a potential source of contamination to birds underneath this material.
Excreta and food waste must be removed from primary enclosures and from under and around primary enclosures as often as necessary to prevent excessive accumulation of feces and food waste and to protect the enclosed birds from contamination.
The facility must implement a more effective cleaning schedule to help prevent waste accumulation that could impact the

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This inspection and exit interview were conducted with licensee.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
006000	<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>	BUDGERIGAR / BUDGIE / COMMON PARAKEET / SHELL PARAKEET
006000	Total	