

SUMMARY

This inspection was a "BSE only" inspection conducted by the New Mexico Department of Agriculture under contract with FDA to determine compliance with 21 CFR 589.2000, Animal Proteins Prohibited from Use in Animal Feed. The firm is a Manufacturer of Nuts/Edible Seed and Byproducts for Animal Foods. It is also classified as a Warehouse for Nuts/Edible Seed. A previous "BSE only" inspection was conducted at this firm by the New Mexico Department of Agriculture on 06/06/2007. The previous inspection concluded in No Deviations Noted.

I arrived at Sunland, Inc. located at 42593 U.S. Highway 70, Portales, NM 88130 on 07/07/09, presented my FDA credentials and issued a Form FDA 482 Notice of Inspection to Mr. Jimmie Shearer, President and CEO of Sunland, Inc. and the most responsible person on site. I explained to Mr. Shearer the purpose of my inspection was to determine the firms compliance with the "BSE rule".

I interviewed Mr. Shearer and completed a Report of *Inspection for Compliance with 21 CFR 589.2000*. Sunland, Inc. processes raw peanuts into edible products for human consumption. The process produces two byproducts, peanut hulls and peanut skins. The byproducts are sold to (b) (4) which in turn sells the byproducts to the consumer. Sunland, Inc. does not sell byproducts directly to the end user. (b) (4)

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Sunland, Inc. only receives raw in-shell peanuts for processing. All of the raw peanuts received have been inspected by the New Mexico Department of Agriculture Federal - State Inspection Service for grade, quality, and sanitation. Once received by Sunland, Inc. the peanuts are warehoused in bulk then cleaned of field debris then segregated and processed according to the desired end product. Sunland, Inc. produces peanut butter, peanut spread, flavored peanut butter, peanut toppings, shelled peanuts, and in-shell raw and roasted peanuts.

The only ingredients received by Sunland, Inc. are raw peanuts from national and international sources, and food grade additives used in the manufacture of peanut butter and similar peanut products for human consumption. No prohibited protein products are used by this facility. No prohibited protein products were observed at this facility. All post inspectional correspondence should be addressed to Mr. Jimmie D. Shearer, Sunland, Inc., P.O. Box 1059, Portales, NM 88130

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ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

Inspected Firm: Sunland, Inc.

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Dates of Inspection: 07/07/2009

Days at Facility: 1

Participants: Gregory B. Ferguson, Inspector (NMDA)

REFUSALS

None

EXHIBITS

None

SAMPLES COLLECTED

None

ATTACHMENTS

1. Report Of Inspection For Compliance With 21 CFR §589.2000 (3 pages)
2. Form FDA 481(A)-CG
3. Form FDA 481(C)-CG
4. Form FDA 481(E)-CG
5. Narrative Endorsement (2 pages)
6. Form FDA 482

