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Scheme: Animal Feed	Round: 201796
Month: June 2017	Matrix: Llama & Alpaca Mineral

Dear AAFCO PT Program Participants,

Thank you for your continued participation in the AAFCO Proficiency Testing Program. The final reports have been **amended** and authorized for release. **The reports were amended to reflect the correct issue date of 31 JUL 2017. Please disregard the original reports dated 30 SEP 2017.** The included reports are:

- Analyte Proficiency Testing Report
- Method Proficiency Testing Report
- Analyte Summary Report
- Method Performance & Summary Report
- Individual Participant's Methods & Analytes Report Cards

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This PT Round was prepared, shipped, reported by participants, evaluated by statistical treatment for assigned consensus mean, robust standard deviation, and % Threshold RSD, graded (z-scores) and final reports issued. Any concerns or errors should immediately be communicated to pt@aafco.org. A timely investigation will occur in accordance with the AAFCO PTP Quality Management System. You will be advised of the outcome. Errors made by the participant in data entry cannot be changed after the reporting deadline and such errors are not grounds for appeal.

Reminder on Results Units: Please be sure to report analytes in the units noted in the Data Reporting Website (DRW). Results reported in units other than those designated in the DRW are often flagged as outliers and not included in the statistical evaluation. Results reported in the incorrect units may result in performance scores that exceed $\pm 3 SD$.

REMINDER – TEST RESULTS FOR EACH ROUND ARE DUE NO LATER THAN THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH AT MIDNIGHT US CENTRAL TIME. RESULTS CANNOT BE ADDED OR EDITED ONCE THE DEADLINE PASSES!

Sincerely,

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