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# **Inspection Report**

Pymatuning Deer Park Inc 842 E Jamestown Rd Jamestown, PA 16134 Customer ID: 2242

Certificate: 23-C-0019

Site: 001

PYMATUNING DEER PARK

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 13-MAY-2015

### 2.40(b)(2)

#### ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

\*\*\*The white tiger and leopard appear obese with no visible neck. There appears to be fat deposits over their spine and tail base and their abdomen is distended. According to the diet these animals are receiving 10-15 lbs of meat daily (tiger) and 7-10 lbs meat daily (leopard). Obesity is a health concern due to the chain reaction of problems it can create, especially as these animals age. The diet of these animals needs to be re-evaluated by the vet to assure the animals are maintained in optimal condition for their health and well-being.

Correct by: May 25, 2015

### 3.75(c)(1)

### HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

- \*\*\*The blue hanging swing in the Ring tail lemur holding area is cracked and in disrepair and needs to be replaced for their safety.
- \*\*\* The metal panels in the holding area for the baboons are rusted along the base and pitted and in disrepair in some areas. This section of the holding wall can no longer be effectively cleaned and sanitized. This section of wall needs to be replaced to facilitate cleaning and sanitizing of the area.
- \*\*\* In this same area, there is a nail protruding into the enclosure that needs to be removed for the safety of the animals.

Correct by: May 30, 2015

### 3.77(d)

### SHELTERED HOUSING FACILITIES.

The Marmoset s are currently housed in a Plexiglas cylinder type enclosure. There is ample perching material in the enclosure but no hide box or shelter available for the animals to get into to away from the sun when it is directly overhead. These animals need to be able to have access to a hide box or shelter to allow them to get out of the

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direct sun for their health and well being.

Correct by: May 16, 2015

### 3.81(c)(2)

#### **ENVIRONMENT ENHANCEMENT TO PROMOTE PSYCHOLOGICAL WELL-BEING.**

\*\*\* Two of the three Marmoset s have areas of hair loss on their tails. The facility manager stated that the animals did not have hair loss as of last week when they were put out on exhibit. This abnormal behavior of over-grooming could be a result of not having a hide box to allow the animals to engage in species appropriate behaviors or have a way to hide from guests. In addition they cannot get out of the sun if it is directly overhead which can also be stressful.

\*\*\* The Sykes monkeys were engaging in abnormal behavior patterns in their enclosure for several minutes during the inspection. They were circling around the enclosure, stopping in the far left corner to stand, move their head in a circular fashion and keep walking. Abnormal behavior patterns or stereotypic behaviors are an indication that the animal is dealing with a stress or lack of stimulation in the environment and this needs to be identified and addressed in the enrichment plan.

When abnormal behavior patterns are observed with non human primates, special consideration and attention must be given to them and it should be documented in their enrichment plan. This can include additional opportunities to forage, and or additional training sessions with handlers. This needs to be addressed for the psychological health of the animals.

Correct by: June 1, 2015

### 3.84(c)

### CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

The winter holding area for the primates needs to be cleaned. There was building materials, excess crates, dirty empty enclosures and excess clutter throughout the area. This area needs to be cleaned and kept in good repair to promote good housekeeping practices for the area.

Correct by: May 30, 2015

#### 3.84(d)

### CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

There was an excessive amount of fruit flies throughout the holding areas for the lemurs and spider monkey. Some method of pest control needs to be implemented to reduce the flies in the area for the health of the animals.

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Correct by: May 20, 2015

### 3.125(c)

#### **FACILITIES, GENERAL.**

The freezer storing frozen meat products for the carnivores at the facility needs to be addressed. The seal along the freezer door is missing in some areas and the door is not sealing properly. Due to this issue, there is a build-up of ice inside the freezer along all the boxes of food. This needs to be addressed to adequately protect the food supplies against deterioration and for the health of the animals.

Correct by: June 15, 2015

### 3.128

#### SPACE REQUIREMENTS.

The two Capybara's have a small metal tub that only allows one animal at a time to stand in the tub. This tub was empty at the time of the inspection. Capybaras are aquatic rodents and swimming is a species appropriate behavior and a social movement the animals need to be able to engage in for their health and well-being. This needs to be addressed by providing a larger pool that the animas can access and submerge in.

Correct by: June 15, 2015

### 3.129(a)

#### FEEDING.

\*\*\* The chicken being fed to the big cats is being given out frozen. There was visible ice still on the chicken in the bobcat enclosure. The facility manager states they feed this way in the summer. It is currently spring and the temperature at the time of the inspection was 48 deg F. Feeding out frozen chicken in this manner is not palatable for the animals. APHIS considers frozen food wholesome when it is thawed in an appropriate manner (e.g. under refrigeration) to prevent contamination.

\*\*\* The current diet plan lists that the big cats as receiving calcium and OASIS supplement on the chicken. At the time of the inspection no OASIS was present at the facility and the manager states they have not had it for an extended period of time. The facility needs to add supplementation to the animal s diet when only a red meat and chicken diet is consumed. This diet is not nutritionally complete and can have negative lasting impact on the animal s health.

Feeding practices need to be discussed with the attending veterinarian to assure the animals are being fed nutritionally complete diets for their age, weight and body condition.

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### 3.131(a)

#### SANITATION.

The Capybara shelter area needs to be cleaned. There is an excessive accumulation of feces in the shelter that needs to be removed and there are cobwebs, dust and debris hanging from the ceiling almost to the tops of the animal s heads. This shelter needs to be cleaned more frequently to reduce this accumulation and for the health and comfort of the animals.

Correct by: May 17, 2015

A inspection was conducted with the facility manager. The exit briefing was conducted via phone with the licensee.

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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
2242	23-C-0019	001	PYMATUNING DEER PARK	13-MAY-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	Ateles chamek	BLACK SPIDER MONKEY
000001	Bos grunniens	YAK
000004	Bos primigenuis indicus	ZEBU
000007	Bos taurus	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000002	Boselaphus tragocamelus	NILGAI
000002	Bubalus bubalis	ASIATIC WATER BUFFALO
000005	Callithrix jacchus	COMMON MARMOSET
000001	Camelus bactrianus	BACTRIAN CAMEL
000003	Camelus dromedarius domestic	DOMESTIC DROMEDARY CAMEL
000003	Canis lupus	GRAY WOLF / GREY WOLF / TIMBER WOLF
000028	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000002	Cercopithecus albogularis	ZANZIBAR SYKES MONKEY
000006	Cervus c. canadensis	ELK
000003	Cervus nippon	SIKA DEER
000002	Choloepus didactylus	LINNAEUS'S TWO-TOED SLOTH
000001	Connochaetes gnou	BLACK WILDEBEEST
000003	Cynomys Iudovicianus	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000083	Dama dama	FALLOW DEER
800000	Equus asinus asinus	DONKEY / BURRO / ASS
000002	Equus quagga	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000001	Eulemur macaco	BLACK LEMUR
000003	Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris	CAPYBARA
000003	Hystrix africaeaustralis	CAPE PORCUPINE
000005	Lemur catta	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000002	Lynx rufus	BOBCAT
000005	Muntiacus reevesi	REEVE'S MUNTJAC
000004	Nasua nasua	SOUTH AMERICAN COATI
800000	Odocoileus virginianus	WHITE-TAILED DEER
000007	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000001	Panthera leo	LION
000001	Panthera pardus	LEOPARD
000002	Panthera tigris	TIGER
000005	Papio anubis	OLIVE BABOON
000003	Puma concolor	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000003	Sapajus appella	BROWN CAPUCHIN / TUFTED CAPUCHIN
000001	Tragelaphus spekii	SITATUNGA
000004	Ursus americanus	NORTH AMERICAN BLACK BEAR
000002	Ursus arctos	BROWN BEAR
000003	Vulpes zerda	FENNEC FOX
000231	Total	