

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Trevor Mastrogiovanni 1200 W 80th St Stillwater, OK 74075 Customer ID: 6016320

Certificate: 73-C-0255

Site: 001

Trevor Mastrogiovanni

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION

Date: 11-MAY-2023

2.131(c)(1) Critical

Handling of animals.

During a guided group tour, the facility failed to protect two lemurs from unwanted public contact. The first incident occurred when a child ignored the instructions of facility personnel and reached through a cage housing a mother and infant lemur. The child grabbed the young lemur, which was then grasped by the mother resulting in a slight puncture to the infant lemur's arm. Facility employees were able to intervene and prevent any further contact at this station. A short time later as the group was exiting the lemur area, the same child left the group and ran back inside the public barrier where an employee was holding a one-year-old lemur named "Sunday". The child grabbed "Sunday" on the back and was subsequently bitten or scratched on a finger. Park officials described the injury as a minor scratch with no bleeding and stated that it was just a reaction by the lemur and not an act of aggression. They also stated that the child continued the tour and was taken to Urgent Care later that evening. "Sunday" the lemur did not sustain any injuries from this encounter and is currently in quarantine with a local veterinarian. The infant lemur is recovering from his injury with no complications at this time.

During public exhibition, all animals must be handled to minimize risk to the animal and to the public. Failure to provide proper handling poses a risk of injury to animals and members of the public alike. In this case, the result was a minor injury to both a regulated animal and a member of the public. The facility must take any necessary steps to ensure the

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USDA, APHIS, Animal Care 12-MAY-2023

Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000002Lemur cattaRING-TAILED LEMUR

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