



Inspection Report

The Gorilla Foundation
P.O. Box 620530
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Customer ID: **26020**
Certificate: **93-C-0768**
Site: 001

THE GORILLA FOUNDATION

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 04-DEC-2015

3.75(c)(2) REPEAT

HOUSING FACILITIES, GENERAL.

In a primary enclosure for the male gorilla the floors and toilets have missing and chipped paint in some areas. Paint is worn off of window frames and some areas of metal grating and supports. Some repairs have been initiated, including temporary measures to ensure that the floor is not peeling, and is impervious to moisture. Further repairs are planned for spring when the weather will facilitate painting.

The fencing between the small and large yards has sections with chipped, peeling, missing paint and rust, such as on the gate. Also the ceiling above the enclosure in the small yard has peeling paint, and the wood appears to be deteriorating, and this could allow particles to fall into the enclosure. An estimate for making these repairs has been obtained from a contractor, and repair planning is in progress.

All surfaces must be maintained and/or replaced on a regular basis. Failure to maintain and/or replace surfaces can impede cleaning, create hazards, and otherwise put the health and well-being of the animals at risk.

Repeat citation, previously cited in 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, and 3/26/15, and 6/17/15.

An exit interview was conducted with a facility representative.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
26020	93-C-0768	001	THE GORILLA FOUNDATION	04-DEC-15

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Gorilla gorilla</i>	WESTERN GORILLA
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