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Inspection Report

Brecs Baton Rouge Zoo 3601 Thomas Rd. Baton Rouge, LA 70807 Customer ID: 4769

Certificate: 72-C-0179

Site: 001

BREC'S BATON ROUGE ZOO

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 18-OCT-2016

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OUTDOOR HOUSING FACILITIES.

On the night of July 13, 2016, three spot nosed guenons were attacked by two outside dogs. This incident happened after hours of operation. Two of the guenons were discovered dead and one was euthanized the following morning. A small terrier type dog was captured on surveillance video and a beagle was trapped and removed from inside the facility the following night. After the incident, staff at the facility did a perimeter fence check and found one spot where ground had sunk, providing a six inch gap and a route of possible entry for the dogs. Part of the perimeter gate that is used to allow train access was noted to have some damage that resulted in an opening through which the dogs could have also gained access. Personnel stated at the time of inspection that these gates are open during business hours and the dogs could have possibly entered during this time and then shut inside the facility at night. The perimeter fencing encompasses 148 acres of wooded property and gates are opened during operative hours. Perimeter fencing must be constructed so that it protects non human primates by restricting unauthorized humans and animals the size of dogs, skunks and raccoons from going through it or under it and having contact with the nonhuman primates. The perimeter fencing is ineffective at restricting entry of unauthorized animals. The facility must take measures to prevent access of unauthorized humans and animals into the facility.

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Since the incident occurred, the facility now checks the perimeter fencing integrity monthly, traps are placed around the perimeter fencing area, and exterior fencing at the facility's train exit and entry point were constructed to prevent further unauthorized access.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the general curator.

Additional Inspectors

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	Acinonyx jubatus	СНЕЕТАН
000001	Atelerix albiventris	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG (MOST COMMON PET HEDGEHOG)
000006	Ateles geoffroyi	BLACK-HANDED SPIDER MONKEY
000001	Bison bison	AMERICAN BISON
000001	Bos taurus	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
800000	Capra hircus	DOMESTIC GOAT
000004	Capra nubiana	NUBIAN IBEX
000001	Cephalophus silvicultor	YELLOW-BACKED DUIKER
000001	Cercopithecus neglectus	DE BRAZZA'S MONKEY
000002	Cercopithecus petaurista	LESSER SPOT-NOSED GUENON
000005	Cervus elaphus	RED DEER
000002	Chinchilla lanigera	CHINCHILLA (DOMESTICATED)
000002	Chrysocyon brachyurus	MANED WOLF
000003	Colobus guereza	EASTERN BLACK-AND-WHITE COLOBUS / GUEREZA
000006	Cynomys Iudovicianus	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000002	Diceros bicornis	BLACK RHINOCEROS
000001	Didelphis virginiana	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000001	Echinops telfairi	LESSER MADAGASCAR HEDGEHOG TENREC
000002	Equus asinus asinus	DONKEY / BURRO / ASS
000001	Equus grevyi	GREVY'S ZEBRA
000005	Equus quagga	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000005	Gazella thomsonii	THOMSON'S GAZELLE
000002	Giraffa camelopardalis	GIRAFFE
000002	Hexaprotodon liberiensis	PYGMY HIPPOPOTAMUS
000001	Hippotragus equinus	ROAN ANTELOPE
000003	Hippotragus niger	SABLE ANTELOPE
000002	Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris	CAPYBARA
000005	Kobus megaceros	NILE LECHWE
000004	Leontopithecus rosalia	GOLDEN LION TAMARIN
000002	Lontra canadensis	NORTH AMERICAN RIVER OTTER
000002	Lynx rufus	BOBCAT
000003	Macaca nigra	SULAWESI CRESTED MACAQUE
000001	Macaca silenus	LION-TAILED MACAQUE
000005	Madoqua kirkii	KIRK'S DIKDIK / KIRKS DIK-DIK
000001	Muntiacus muntjak	INDIAN MUNTJAC
000001	Mustela putorius	EUROPEAN POLECAT
000004	Odocoileus virginianus	WHITE-TAILED DEER
000004	Oryctolagus cuniculus	DOMESTIC RABBIT / EUROPEAN RABBIT
000001	Osphranter rufus	RED KANGAROO
000004	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS



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000003	Panthera onca	JAGUAR
000004	Panthera tigris	TIGER
000001	Petaurus breviceps	SUGAR GLIDER
000002	Potamochoerus porcus	RED RIVER HOG
000028	Pteropus giganteus	INDIAN FLYING FOX
000002	Rhinoceros unicornis	INDIAN RHINOCEROS
000001	Sus scrofa	WILD BOAR
000003	Symphalangus syndactylus	SIAMANG
000002	Tapirus bairdii	BAIRD'S TAPIR
000001	Tolypeutes matacus	SOUTHERN THREE-BANDED ARMADILLO
000005	Tragelaphus angasii	NYALA
000004	Tragelaphus eurycerus	BONGO
000001	Tragelaphus strepsiceros	GREATER KUDU
000001	Tremarctos ornatus	SPECTACLED BEAR
000002	Varecia rubra	RED RUFFED LEMUR
000002	Varecia variegata	BLACK-AND-WHITE RUFFED LEMUR
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