



Inspection Report

East Coast Exotic Animal Rescue Inc
320 Zoo Rd
Fairfield, PA 17320

Customer ID: **7182**

Certificate: **23-C-0153**

Site: 001

East Coast Exotic Animal Rescue
Inc

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 31-AUG-2023

2.75(b)(1)

Repeat

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

During a review of records, it was observed that the facility only accounts for 44 fallow deer on their inventory records but there are 67 fallow deer at the facility. Facility representatives stated that fallow deer born this year had not yet been added to the records.

Exhibitors need to make, keep, and maintain records which fully and correctly disclose animals owned, held, or otherwise in their possession and these records need to include any offspring born. Failure to do so can inhibit animal tracking efforts.

Correct by ensuring that records include correct counts of animals and include all births.

3.78(d)

Repeat

Outdoor housing facilities.

A large tree has fallen onto the perimeter fence, behind the vervet enclosure, which has caused the fencing to collapse to the ground. The facility has removed some of the branches, but the majority of the tree trunk remains on the fencing. Areas of the perimeter fence which are in a state of disrepair impact the integrity of the fence and can potentially allow the entry of other animals.

Perimeter fences must be constructed so that they prevent entry of unauthorized persons or other unwanted species.

Correct by removing the tree from the perimeter fence.

3.84(c)

Repeat

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

There are tall weeds surrounding the outside housing area for the three brown capuchins. The weeds are approximately two feet in height and surround a majority of the enclosure.

Uncontrolled weeds can make it difficult to facilitate cleaning of the premises and can allow for harborage of pests.

The weeds must be cut in order to maintain proper husbandry practices and pest control.

3.125(a)

Critical

Repeat

Facilities, general.

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During the inspection, a Patagonian cavy was observed with two wounds on the left side of its neck. When asked about the animal, the facility representative stated that it had wounded its neck on the fencing material in its previous enclosure on Saturday. After the incident, both cavyes were moved to a different enclosure, and the Attending veterinarian was consulted for further instructions regarding the care of the animal.

In the fallow deer enclosure, there are several areas in a state of disrepair. The temporary fence in the front of the enclosure, has partially fallen causing sharp points to be exposed to the animals. In the same area, there is a gap in the bottom corner of the temporary fencing approximately 1 foot high by 1 foot wide where an animal could become entrapped. Adjacent to this area, there is a pile of metal fencing on the ground with sharp points exposed and the potential for entanglement. On the small building in the same enclosure, there are multiple wooden boards which are detaching from the structure.

Enclosures with gaps, sharp edges, or unstable structures can allow for the entrapment, serious injury, escape, or death of the animals.

The facility must remove, repair, or replace the above mentioned items in the fallow deer enclosure to protect the animals from injury and contain them.

3.158(d)

Cleaning, sanitization, housekeeping, and pest control.

An accumulation of rodent feces was found on the storage shelves and unused food bowls in the facility's indoor bird area. The facility stated that they have attempted several pest management techniques, however, their current program does not appear to be effective in eliminating the pests.

Failure to maintain an effective program to control mammalian pests can have a negative impact on the the health of the birds through the spread of disease by contamination of animal areas and feed.

The licensee must correct by implementing an effective pest control program in all animal areas.

Correct by: 09/07/2023

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representatives.

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Species Inspected

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
7182	23-C-0153	001	East Coast Exotic Animal Rescue Inc	31-AUG-2023

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Bos primigenius indicus</i>	ZEBU
000001	<i>Cebus capucinus</i>	WHITE-HEADED / WHITE-THROATED CAPUCHIN
000011	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000002	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000002	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	RED FOX (INCLUDES SILVER FOX & CROSS FOX)
000001	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	CHINCHILLA (DOMESTICATED)
000002	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000008	<i>Sapajus appella</i>	BROWN CAPUCHIN / TUFTED CAPUCHIN
000001	<i>Cynomys parvidens</i>	UTAH PRAIRIE DOG
000067	<i>Dama dama</i>	FALLOW DEER
000001	<i>Nasua narica</i>	WHITE-NOSED COATI
000003	<i>Petaurus breviceps</i>	SUGAR GLIDER
000001	<i>Atelerix albiventris</i>	FOUR-TOED HEDGEHOG
000003	<i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus</i>	VERVET
000005	<i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i>	EMU
000003	<i>Psittacus erithacus</i>	CONGO AFRICAN GREY PARROT / GRAY PARROT
000004	<i>Nannopsittaca dachyloides</i>	AMAZONIAN PARROTLET / MANU PARROTLET
000001	<i>Nymphicus hollandicus</i>	COCKATIEL
000001	<i>Ara ararauna</i>	BLUE-AND-YELLOW MACAW / BLUE-AND-GOLD MACAW
000001	<i>Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus</i>	HYACINTH MACAW
000002	<i>Ara macao</i>	SCARLET MACAW
000001	<i>Ara severus</i>	CHESTNUT-FRONTED MACAW / SEVERE MACAW
000001	<i>Cacatua alba</i>	WHITE COCKATOO / UMBRELLA COCKATOO
000001	<i>Anas platyrhynchos domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC DUCK INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000124	Total	