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Inspection Report

Laredo Safari and Adventure Park LLC

1521 Palmer Dr. Laredo, TX 78045 Customer ID: 6003124

Certificate: 74-C-1128

Site: 001

Laredo Safari and Adventure Park

LLC

Type: RE-LICENSE INSPECTION

Date: 07-MAY-2024

2.40(b)(2)

Attending veterinarian and adequate veterinary care (dealers and exhibitors).

In the petting zoo section of the park, an alpaca was observed to have lower incisors that were excessively long and sticking out of its mouth. The alpaca had a good body condition. When asked, the Attending Veterinarian said it had been six months since they had been trimmed. Dental issues can be painful and can cause the animal not to eat. The licensee must have the teeth trimmed and must have them trimmed on a more regular basis so the teeth don't get excessively long again.

2.131(c)(1)

Handling of animals.

When the general public enters the main building on site, they walk right past the serval enclosure. The sidewalk leading up to the building comes right up to the corner of the serval enclosure. People walking past can easily stick their hands into the enclosure as there is no barrier in between the enclosure and the sidewalk preventing them from doing so. Not having proper barriers in place doesn't ensure the safety of the animals or the public. A barrier must be established to assure the safety of the animals and the public.

3.75(c)(1)(i)

Housing facilities, general.

Two of the primate enclosures had rust covered beams that the primates were able to come into contact with. Rust in the enclosures doesn't allow for the proper cleaning and sanitization of that enclosure. The rust needs to be removed or covered in a manner so as to prevent the primates from coming into contact with it.

3.82(a)

Feeding.

Carrots stored in the fridge were observed to have black spots on them and were soft to the touch indicating they have spoiled. Spoiled food fed to the animals can result in illness. Spoiled food must be discarded in a timely manner and must not be fed to any animals.

Note: This was corrected during the inspection.

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Separation.

In the rear section of the park that housed the majority of the hoof stock a zebu was observed to be holding its right front leg up. When asked the licensee stated the zebu is under veterinary treatment. He stated the animal was injured from a fight with a cow. Animals housed in the same enclosure that are not compatible with each other can result in fighting and injuries as is the case here. Animals shall not be housed near or with other animals that interfere with their health or cause them discomfort. These two animals should be separated as they have shown they are not compatible being housed in the same enclosure.

Note: These two animals were separated prior to inspection.

3.160(b)

Compatibility and separation

An emu was observed to have a loss of feathers with the pin heads of the feathers showing. When asked the licensee stated the ostrich has been plucking the feathers of the emu. At one point during inspection, we observed the ostrich to pick/pluck at the emu as it went past the ostrich. A bird constantly having its feathers plucked by another bird can be stressful to that bird. In addition, the bird's feathers help protect the bird from the elements of the weather. Birds may not be housed with other animals unless they are compatible. The licensee must separate these two birds from each other as the ostrich has shown it is not compatible with the emu.

This is a (1st/2nd) Re-License Inspection for a Class ("A"/ "B"/ "C") license. The inspection and exit briefing were conducted with the applicant.

All items must be in compliance within (2 / 1) more inspection(s) or by (date-60 days counted from 1st RL Inspection) or the applicant will forfeit the license fee and must wait 6 months to reapply. Please contact your inspector to schedule your next Re-License Inspection.

Regulated activity can continue under your existing USDA license until it expires.

Additional Inspectors:

KEVIN WILKEN, ANIMAL CARE INSPECTOR

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Species Inspected

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0	Calantifia Nama	Common Name
Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000030	Ammotragus Iervia	BARBARY SHEEP
000002	Elaphurus davidianus	PERE DAVID'S DEER
000004	Kobus leche	RED LECHWE / SOUTHERN LECHWE
000013	Equus quagga	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000007	Capra caucasica	ALBINE IBEX / WEST CAUCASIAN TUR
000035	Oryx dammah	SCIMITAR-HORNED ORYX
000006	Addax nasomaculatus	ADDAX
000010	Bison bison	AMERICAN BISON
000020	Axis axis	AXIS DEER / SPOTTED DEER / CHITAL
000020	Antilope cervicapra	BLACKBUCK
		DOMESTIC GOAT
000015	Capra hircus	
000004	Giraffa camelopardalis	GIRAFFE
000006	Lemur catta	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000004	Lama pacos	ALPACA
000004	Lama glama	LLAMA
000001	Osphranter rufus	RED KANGAROO
000003	Chlorocebus pygerythrus	VERVET
000030	Ovis aries aries	SHEEP INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000003	Camelus dromedarius	DROMEDARY CAMEL
000012	Bos taurus	CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI
000002	Dromaius novaehollandiae	EMU
000005	Struthio camelus	COMMON OSTRICH
000004	Anser anser domesticus	DOMESTIC GOOSE
000004		WHITE-TAILED DEER
000002	Odocoileus virginianus	
800000	Gallus gallus domesticus	DOMESTIC CHICKEN (INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS /
	-	TURKIN / COCK / HEN / ROOSTER)
000004	Numida meleagris	DOMESTIC GUINEAFOWL / HELMETED GUINEAFOWL /
	•	PEARL HEN
000002	Meleagris gallopavo domesticus	DOMESTIC TURKEY
000001	Macaca nemestrina	PIG-TAILED MACAQUE
000002	Leptailurus serval	SERVAL
000001	Crossarchus obscurus	KUSIMANSE
000001	Ara chloropterus	RED-AND-GREEN MACAW / GREEN-WINGED MACAW
000001	Nymphicus hollandicus	COCKATIEL
000002	Dolichotis patagonum	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000002	Connochaetes taurinus	BRINDLED WILDEBEEST
000004	Cervus elaphus	RED DEER
000004	•	SIKA DEER
	Cervus nippon	
000014	Dama dama	FALLOW DEER
000001	Bos primigenuis indicus	ZEBU POMENTIO PURILI NOLLI INDIA ALL POMENTIO PREEDO
000010	Anas platyrhynchos domesticus	DOMESTIC DUCK INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS
000002	Papio hamadryas	HAMADRYAS BABOON
000005	Ovis aries gmelini	ARMENIAN MOUFLON
000001	Pavo cristatus	INDIAN PEAFOWL / COMMON PEAFOWL / PEAHEN /
		PEACOCK



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