

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

The Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary

Po Box 77057

Jacksonville, FL 32226

Customer ID: 7460

Certificate: 58-C-0630

Site: 001

THE CATTY SHACK RANCH WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 08-AUG-2017

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ATTENDING VETERINARIAN AND ADEQUATE VETERINARY CARE (DEALERS AND EXHIBITORS).

Two tigers (Binky & Terry) have paralysis of both rear legs. This condition has existed for a couple of years and they have had veterinary examinations, tests, and prescribed treatments for several years without any apparent observable improvements.

Both of these cats drag their hind quarters and legs along the ground surface. Terry's enclosure and pool has now created or contributed to pressure ulcers, wounds & scrapes with resulting skin irritations and exposure of muscle mass that were observed today. This is partly due to the substrate of his enclosure that he lives in as he drags his body around or rubs it along the rough pool walls.

Terry's enclosure is also wet and muddy. The present condition and construction of this enclosure does not minimize dirt & bacteria from entering these open wounds/ulcers/scrapes which can also attract feeding flies (as well as) cause infections, irritation, pain, or distress.

Binky also has a small bright red oval wound on his shoulder and a generalized reddish-pink area on his inner thigh. His enclosure consists of a wood floor.

The last veterinary examination of Terry occurred on February 12, 2017. Binky's last examination was on 5/16/17

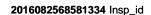
Considering the chronic, ongoing nature of this condition of these two cats these animals shall be examined more frequently to evaluate their quality of life, effectiveness (or non effectiveness) of ongoing prescribed treatments, as well as the suitability of the enclosures that they are presently living in. Your veterinarian shall develop & document a schedule of timely examinations, evaluations & inspections of their enclosures to ensure that these animals have the proper type of enclosure for these medical conditions; and are having a quality of life and are not in pain/distress, or suffering.

Correct by August 11, 2017

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FACILITIES, GENERAL.

The metal shift door in the five females enclosure has deteriorating flaking rust which has compromised its structural strength. .

All enclosures shall be maintained in good repair to contain & protect the animals from injury.

Correct by August 31, 2017

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee

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000001	Lynx rufus	BOBCAT
000004	Nasua nasua	SOUTH AMERICAN COATI
000002	Panthera leo	LION
000003	Panthera pardus	LEOPARD
000022	Panthera tigris	TIGER
000004	Puma concolor	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000002	Vulpes lagopus	ARCTIC FOX
000038	Total	