



Inspection Report

Capital Of Texas Zoo L L C
376 A Jenkins Rd.
Cedar Creek, TX 78612

Customer ID: **332212**
Certificate: **74-C-1010**
Site: 001
Capital of Texas Zoo L L C

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 13-APR-2015

3.27(b)

FACILITIES, OUTDOOR.

Currently the guinea pigs have access to go into the outdoor portion of the enclosure. The inspector observed the guinea pigs freely going into the outdoor enclosure and back into the indoor enclosure. There are no approved variances for this facility to house guinea pigs outdoors. Guinea pigs shall not be housed outdoors unless the facility is located in an appropriate climate and prior approval is obtained from the Deputy Administrator. A letter requesting a variance for outdoor housing for guinea pigs may be sent to the USDA APHIS Animal Care office in Fort Collins, CO. The letter should describe the enclosure, location and climate. Additional information such as photos of the housing area may be included and useful in determining if a variance is granted.

Correct by May 15, 2015

USDA APHIS Animal Care
Building B Mail Stop 3W11
2150 Centre Ave.
Ft Collins, Co 80526

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FACILITIES, GENERAL.

There is an excessive amount of bear feces piled 15 to 20 feet from the bear enclosure and is producing a foul odor. The licensee informed the inspector this is where the feces are normally dumped once out of the enclosure. The buildup of animal waste can potentially create a hazard that may promote disease and can attract vermin and pests to the facility. Eliminate the excessive buildup of animal waste through proper disposal from the facility as often as necessary to minimize vermin infestation, odors, and disease hazards.

Correct by April 21, 2015

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SANITATION.

Inside the enclosure containing a coatimundi named Kiki, there is old feces inside the shelter box that has become greyish in color. The licensee informed the inspector that the feces have not been cleaned out in several days. The shelter inside the enclosure containing the zebras has an excessive accumulation of feces that has built up past the bottom 2x6 wood frame. Excreta should be removed as often as necessary to prevent contamination of the animals contained and reduce disease hazards and reduce odors. The cleaning schedule of this enclosure should be more timely and effective to prevent the build-up of excreta.

Correct by April 21, 2015

The hippo pool has become dirty with excessive feces floating on the top and has a foul odor. The licensee informed the inspector that the water pump has been broken for 1.5 weeks and has taken no attempt to drain and clean it out. The licensee ordered the parts to fix the water pump but informed the inspector the parts will not be available for another week. Hippos spend a great part of their day in the water and providing clean water is necessary to maintain their health and well-being. The hippo pool must be cleaned and the filter maintained as often as necessary to keep the pool water clean to minimize disease hazards, reduce odors, and prevent contamination.

Correct by April 28, 2015

3.131(d)

SANITATION.

Inside the feed storage building, there is an excessive amount of rat feces around the bags of feed. On the window sill on the bear shelter, there are rat feces on the window sill where the licensee occasionally puts enrichment food for the bears. Evidence of rat feces is an indicator of an ineffective pest control program. Rat droppings can harbor disease causing organisms and could cause potential contamination in animal areas.

Inside the Ringtail lemur and Bettong enclosure, red ants have formed a mound next to the shelter. The animals enclosed can be stung by the ants causing pain to the animals. The applicant should ensure an effective pest control program is in place to control pests and reduce potential contamination.

Correct by May 5, 2015

Inspection and exit interview conducted by APHIS personnel with facility representative.

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Additional Inspectors

Moore Mary, Veterinary Medical Officer

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Atherurus africanus</i>	AFRICAN BRUSH-TAILED PORCUPINE
000010	<i>Bettongia penicillata</i>	BRUSH-TAILED RAT-KANGAROO
000001	<i>C. pygerythrus</i>	VERVET
000001	<i>Camelus dromedarius domestic</i>	DOMESTIC DROMEDARY CAMEL
000002	<i>Canis lupus dingo</i>	DINGO
000014	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000004	<i>Cavia aperea</i>	BRAZILIAN GUINEA PIG
000052	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEA PIG
000001	<i>Connochaetes gnou</i>	BLACK WILDEBEEST
000004	<i>Cryptoprocta ferox</i>	FOSSA
000010	<i>Dama dama</i>	FALLOW DEER
000005	<i>Dorcopsis luctuosa</i>	GREY FOREST WALLABY
000003	<i>Equus quagga</i>	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000004	<i>Erythrocebus patas</i>	PATAS MONKEY
000005	<i>Eulemur fulvus</i>	COMMON BROWN LEMUR
000003	<i>Felis chaus</i>	JUNGLE CAT
000001	<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>	HIPPOPOTAMUS
000002	<i>Lama glama</i>	LLAMA
000004	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000002	<i>Leptailurus serval</i>	SERVAL
000002	<i>Lynx rufus</i>	BOBCAT
000001	<i>Muntiacus muntjak</i>	INDIAN MUNTJAC
000007	<i>Nasua nasua</i>	SOUTH AMERICAN COATI
000007	<i>Nasua olivacea</i>	MOUNTAIN COATI
000005	<i>Notamacropus agilis</i>	AGILE WALLABY
000001	<i>Oryx dammah</i>	SCIMITAR-HORNED ORYX
000002	<i>Paguma larvata</i>	MASKED PALM CIVET
000001	<i>Panthera leo</i>	LION
000002	<i>Panthera pardus</i>	LEOPARD
000001	<i>Panthera tigris</i>	TIGER
000004	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000001	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	RACCOON
000047	<i>Rousettus aegyptiacus</i>	EGYPTIAN FRUIT BAT
000002	<i>Sus barbatus</i>	BEARDED PIG
000010	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	WILD BOAR
000008	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000002	<i>Ursus thibetanus</i>	ASIATIC BLACK BEAR
000233	Total	