



Inspection Report

CODY BRELAND
84 OUR RD
MC HENRY, MS 39561

Customer ID: **504739**
Certificate: **65-C-0569**
Site: 001
CODY BRELAND

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: 14-APR-2022

2.40(a)

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

The licensee does not have an adequate program of veterinary care and is not following all aspects of the current written program of veterinary care (PVC).

*The PVC states that carnivores and coatis will be vaccinated against rabies annually, but the cougar has not been vaccinated against rabies since 2/12/20 (over 2 years ago) and the coatis have also not been vaccinated against rabies since 2020.

*The PVC states that sampling and treatment for intestinal parasites will be performed "yearly or as needed more frequency" but the licensee stated that he empirically treats the goats, Zebu, and previously treated the alpacas with commercially available dewormer once per quarter and has not spoken to the Attending Veterinarian (AV) about the use of this dewormer.

*The licensee has not found a veterinarian to provide care for a male adult dromedary camel which was acquired in July 2021. The camel is thin but has not been tested for parasites and is not on a fecal testing or deworming schedule; the camel also has potential dental issues that have not been evaluated by a veterinarian.

*The licensee stated that the AV has not been made aware of a young female hyena that was acquired in December 2021. The hyena has not been evaluated by the AV and is not on any parasite testing or treatment schedule despite living

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outdoors.

A program of veterinary care is essential for animal health and wellbeing. The veterinarian must be aware of all animals on site and must have the authority to provide care for those animals. Animals without adequate veterinary care may suffer from disease, illness, malnutrition, or parasitism. Correct by 5/1/22 by establishing a program of veterinary care that includes all regulated animals on the property, and by following all instructions from the attending veterinarian. The PVC must also be complaint with 2.40(b).

3.80(a)(1)

Primary enclosures.

Three adult ring-tailed lemurs are housed in an outdoor enclosure. The wire fence making up the outer walls of the enclosure had approximately 8 holes in it, two of which were approximately 2-inches in diameter. Holes or openings in animal enclosures may allow animals to escape, or may entrap parts of the animal resulting in injury. Correct by 5/1/22 by ensuring that enclosures for nonhuman primates are maintained in good repair to adequately contain the animals. Corrected during the inspection.

3.127(b)

Facilities, outdoor.

The enclosure housing one female adult lion does not provide adequate shelter from rain. The only source of shelter from rain is a structure which has walls that are made of cinderblock in the lower areas and welded wire in the upper areas. The welded wire sections of the walls allow entry of rain into the shelter structure. The previous night it had rained, and approximately 1/2 inch of standing water was evident on 90% of the floor of the shelter structure. There was no elevated platform or dry resting area for the cat to use within the structure. Animals who experience exposure to rain without adequate shelter may become cold or stressed. Correct by 5/1/22 providing a shelter that will protect the animal from the elements and allow the animal to stay dry during periods of heavy rain.

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Facilities, outdoor.

There is an approximately 40-foot long gap in the perimeter fence behind the big cat enclosures. A few sections of the perimeter fence have approximately 10-inch gaps between the bottom of the fence and the ground. In one area behind the lion enclosure the top and bottom panels of the fence are not secured together adequately to prevent separation. A perimeter fence is essential for preventing contact between unauthorized people or animals and the captive animals. A perimeter fence is also important for animal safety as it acts as a secondary containment system in the event that an animal escapes from its primary enclosure. Correct by 6/1/22 by ensuring the perimeter fence is at least 8-feet tall for dangerous animals, 6-feet tall for non-dangerous animals, and is adequate to prevent contact between animals in enclosures and those outside the perimeter fence.

3.132 Critical

Employees.

In July 2021, a volunteer put a generous amount of sweet feed into an enclosure housing 3 Patagonian cavy and 2 capybara. According to facility management, one adult cavy consumed the sweet feed and suffered from severe gastrointestinal illness as a result, and despite veterinary treatment the animal died from its illness. According to facility management, sweet feed is not permitted to be fed to cavy because it is not an appropriate diet and can be harmful to these animals. The facility maintains a list of appropriate food items for cavy, and sweet feed is not on this list. Employees who are not adequately trained to handle or feed exotic animals may make mistakes that cause animal illnesses, injuries, or death. Correct from this day forth by ensuring that a sufficient number of adequately trained employees are utilized to maintain professionally acceptable husbandry standards, including the feeding of appropriate diets to animals. Corrected at the time of inspection.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the facility owner.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Sapajus appella</i>	BROWN CAPUCHIN / TUFTED CAPUCHIN
000002	<i>Hystrix cristata</i>	AFRICAN CRESTED PORCUPINE
000001	<i>Panthera pardus</i>	LEOPARD
000002	<i>Sus scrofa domestica</i>	DOMESTIC PIG / POTBELLY PIG / MICRO PIG
000001	<i>Nasua olivacea</i>	MOUNTAIN COATI
000001	<i>Lynx lynx</i>	NORTHERN/EURASIAN LYNX
000001	<i>Bos primigenius indicus</i>	ZEBU
000001	<i>Caracal caracal</i>	CARACAL
000003	<i>Panthera tigris</i>	TIGER
000002	<i>Potos flavus</i>	KINKAJOU
000002	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000001	<i>Choloepus didactylus</i>	LINNAEUS'S TWO-TOED SLOTH
000001	<i>Ateles geoffroyi</i>	BLACK-HANDED SPIDER MONKEY
000001	<i>Coendou prehensilis</i>	PREHENSILE-TAILED PORCUPINE
000002	<i>Nasua narica</i>	WHITE-NOSED COATI
000002	<i>Dolichotis patagonum</i>	PATAGONIAN CAVY / MARA
000002	<i>Aonyx cinereus</i>	ORIENTAL SMALL-CLAWED OTTER
000002	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>	CAPYBARA
000003	<i>Osphranter rufus</i>	RED KANGAROO
000003	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000002	<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	CRAB-EATING MACAQUE / CYNOMOLGUS MONKEY
000001	<i>Puma concolor</i>	PUMA / MOUNTAIN LION / COUGAR
000001	<i>Crocuta crocuta</i>	SPOTTED HYENA
000001	<i>Vulpes zerda</i>	FENNEC FOX
000001	<i>Tamandua tetradactyla</i>	SOUTHERN TAMANDUA
000001	<i>Panthera leo</i>	LION
000001	<i>Ursus americanus</i>	NORTH AMERICAN BLACK BEAR
000002	<i>Leptailurus serval</i>	SERVAL
000001	<i>Equus quagga</i>	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000001	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	DROMEDARY CAMEL
000003	<i>Capra hircus</i>	DOMESTIC GOAT
000001	<i>Erythrocebus patas</i>	PATAS MONKEY
000000	<i>Lama pacos</i>	ALPACA
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