



Inspection Report

Natural Bridge Zoo, LLC
PO Box 88
Natural Bridge, VA 24578

Customer ID: **6012863**

Certificate: **21-C-0498**

Site: 001

Natural Bridge Zoological Park,
LLC

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 27-MAR-2024

2.75(b)(1)

Records: Dealers and exhibitors.

The facility does not have a current inventory of animals on hand, including records of births and deaths. The facility has moved out a large number of animals and although disposition records are available for review, the overall inventory of animals on hand has not been updated. Additionally, there is no record on a muntjac born a few weeks ago that went missing the following day. Accurate records of animals on hand, including acquisitions and dispositions (including births and deaths) are necessary to assess the health and wellbeing of the animals on site and allow tracking of animals being used for regulatory purposes. Correct by 10 April 2024 by ensuring the inventory of all animals on hand is up to date and all acquisitions and dispositions are being recorded including animals born on site or any deaths.

3.154

Environment enhancement to promote psychological well-being.

The facility does not have a developed and documented environmental enhancement plan for the birds at the facility. Failure to develop and document an environmental enhancement program for birds can negatively impact their health and well-being, causing unnecessary psychological distress. Correct by 12 April 2024 by developing, documenting, and following a species-appropriate plan for environmental enhancement that is adequate to promote the psychological well-being of the birds. The plan must be approved by the attending veterinarian and must be in accordance with the regulations in subpart G and with currently accepted professional standards as cited in appropriate professional journals and reference guides. This plan must be made available to APHIS upon request. The plan must address each category listed in 3.154.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with facility representatives.

Additional Inspectors:

CHRISTINA RADZAI, VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER

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Title: VETERINARY MEDICAL
OFFICER

Date:

08-APR-2024

Received by Title: Facility Representative

Date:

08-APR-2024



Species Inspected

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6012863	21-C-0498	001	Natural Bridge Zoological Park, LLC	27-MAR-2024

Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000001	<i>Tragelaphus angasii</i>	NYALA
000004	<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>	GIRAFFE
000006	<i>Dama dama</i>	FALLOW DEER
000002	<i>Lynx lynx</i>	NORTHERN/EURASIAN LYNX
000001	<i>Panthera tigris</i>	TIGER
000003	<i>Muntiacus reevesi</i>	REEVE'S MUNTJAC
000009	<i>Gallus gallus domesticus</i>	DOMESTIC CHICKEN (INCLUDING ALL DOMESTIC BREEDS / TURKIN / COCK / HEN / ROOSTER)
000008	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	DOMESTIC GUINEAFOWL / HELMETED GUINEAFOWL / PEARL HEN
000004	<i>Balearica regulorum</i>	GRAY CROWNED-CRANE / AFRICAN CROWNED-CRANE / GOLDEN CROWNED-CRANE
000001	<i>Bucorvus leadbeateri</i>	SOUTHERN GROUND-HORNBILL
000039	Total	