



Inspection Report

METRO RICHMOND ZOO

8300 Beaver Bridge Rd
Moseley, VA 23120

Customer ID: **2469**

Certificate: **52-C-0028**

Site: 001

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Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 06-JAN-2022

3.125(a)

Facilities, general.

Several of the facility's older enclosures are in need of maintenance and repair.

*The floor in the Bactrian camel barn is made up of dirt and contains several large holes approximately 10-15" in width with some holes holding water and urine that is not draining in the barn area. The floor in the barn needs to be maintained in good condition for the safety and health of the camels.

*In the Zebra yard, there is a section of wire under the bridge that is in disrepair with wires protruding in the yard. This section of wire should be removed or replaced to keep the area in good repair and safe for the animals.

*There is some fencing down in one of the antelope enclosures that could be a safety hazard to animals as they could inadvertently run into the downed fencing and injure themselves. This fencing should be removed to keep the area in good repair and for the safety of the animals.

*The windbreak flaps hanging in the bongo stalls leading to the outside runs are in disrepair with the rubber coating flaking and peeling off. These flaps should be replaced or maintained in good repair for the safety of the animals and to reduce flaking of materials into the stall area and inadvertently become an ingestion hazard to the animals.

*The shift doors in the bear and tiger indoor housing are rusted and are beginning to degrade at the base of the door. Rusting of metal can affect the structural integrity of the enclosure and must be maintained in good repair.

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Correct by 21 January 2022 by maintaining all facilities in good repair to protect the animals from injury ensure the structural integrity of the enclosures.

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Facilities, general.

Thawing fish in the facility's cooler are not being protected from contamination. Frozen fish are thawed in large plastic tubs stored on a rack in the cooler. The racks holding the tubs have a lot of debris caked on the wires. Additionally, some of the tubs have open bags of fish with no cover to protect them from the debris on the rack above falling into the tub when the bins are moved around. Food that is not protected during storage can lead to contamination or deterioration of the diet and cause potential disease hazards or other illnesses to the animals being fed. Correct by 12 January 2022 by ensuring all food supplies are stored in facilities that protect them against deterioration, molding, or contamination.

3.129(b)

Feeding.

Tube feeders used by guests to feed the camels are not being kept clean and sanitary at all times. There are two tube feeders at the camel enclosures that allow the public to feed alfalfa treats. The tubes are several feet long and angled from the walkway down into a small trough within the enclosure. Both feeders contained a large amount of food dust, some loose and some wet and caked on the sides of the tube. One feeder had a blockage of treats visualized from the top of the feeder. Caked and deteriorated food in feeders can become unwholesome, unpalatable, and contaminated, leading to potential disease hazards or other illnesses. Correct by 14 January 2022 by ensuring all food receptacles are kept clean and sanitary at all times and measures are taken to prevent deterioration or caking of food.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the licensee.

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Species Inspected

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Count	Scientific Name	Common Name
000002	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	VIRGINIA OPOSSUM
000005	<i>Osphranter robustus</i>	HILL WALLAROO
000002	<i>Tolypeutes matacus</i>	SOUTHERN THREE-BANDED ARMADILLO
000018	<i>Osphranter rufus</i>	RED KANGAROO
000022	<i>Procavia capensis</i>	ROCK HYRAX
000001	<i>Aotus griseimembra</i>	GRAY-HANDED / GRAY-LEGGED NIGHT MONKEY
000005	<i>Ateles fusciceps</i>	BROWN-HEADED SPIDER MONKEY
000003	<i>Hexaprotodon liberiensis</i>	PYGMY HIPPOPOTAMUS
000006	<i>Dama dama</i>	FALLOW DEER
000001	<i>Euphractus sexcinctus</i>	YELLOW ARMADILLO
000001	<i>Myrmecophaga tridactyla</i>	GIANT ANTEATER
000016	<i>Lemur catta</i>	RING-TAILED LEMUR
000008	<i>Cebus capucinus</i>	WHITE-HEADED / WHITE-THROATED CAPUCHIN
000008	<i>Saimiri sciureus</i>	COMMON SQUIRREL MONKEY
000004	<i>Choloepus didactylus</i>	LINNAEUS'S TWO-TOED SLOTH
000026	<i>Callicebus cupreus</i>	COPPERY TITI
000008	<i>Pongo abelii</i>	SUMATRAN ORANGUTAN
000003	<i>Uncia uncia</i>	SNOW LEOPARD
000003	<i>Equus quagga</i>	BURCHELL'S / GRANT'S / CHAPMAN'S / PLAINS ZEBRA
000007	<i>Eulemur albifrons</i>	WHITE-FRONTED LEMUR
000005	<i>Varecia variegata</i>	BLACK-AND-WHITE RUFFED LEMUR
000002	<i>Saguinus geoffroyi</i>	GEOFFROY'S TAMARIN
000002	<i>Saguinus oedipus</i>	COTTON-TOP TAMARIN
000001	<i>Cebus olivaceus</i>	WEEPER CAPUCHIN
000005	<i>Varecia rubra</i>	RED RUFFED LEMUR
000007	<i>Pithecia pithecia</i>	WHITE-FACED SAKI
000002	<i>Cephalophus monticola</i>	BLUE DUIKER
000017	<i>Alouatta caraya</i>	BLACK HOWLER
000016	<i>Cercopithecus diana</i>	DIANA MONKEY
000011	<i>Pan troglodytes</i>	CHIMPANZEE
000001	<i>Hystrix indica</i>	INDIAN CRESTED PORCUPINE
000004	<i>Panthera leo</i>	LION
000004	<i>Ateles geoffroyi</i>	BLACK-HANDED SPIDER MONKEY
000006	<i>Symphalangus syndactylus</i>	SIAMANG
000043	<i>Cynomys ludovicianus</i>	BLACK-TAILED PRAIRIE DOG
000013	<i>Allenopithecus nigroviridis</i>	ALLEN'S SWAMP MONKEY
000006	<i>Lophocebus aterrimus</i>	BLACK MANGABEY
000003	<i>Colobus guereza</i>	EASTERN BLACK-AND-WHITE COLOBUS / GUEREZA
000005	<i>Hylobates lar</i>	LAR GIBBON
000002	<i>Eidolon helvum</i>	STRAW-COLOURED FRUIT BAT
000010	<i>Cercopithecus neglectus</i>	DE BRAZZA'S MONKEY



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000021	<i>Cercopithecus petaurista</i>		LESSER SPOT-NOSED GUENON	
000002	<i>Panthera tigris</i>		TIGER	
000002	<i>Arctictis binturong</i>		BINTURONG	
000004	<i>Canis lupus</i>		GRAY WOLF / GREY WOLF / TIMBER WOLF	
000002	<i>Macaca nigra</i>		SULAWESI CRESTED MACAQUE	
000001	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>		CAPYBARA	
000003	<i>Dasyprocta leporina</i>		BRAZILIAN AGOUTI	
000040	<i>Pteropus giganteus</i>		INDIAN FLYING FOX	
000005	<i>Oryx dammah</i>		SCIMITAR-HORNED ORYX	
000034	<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>		CHEETAH	
000002	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>		STRIPED SKUNK	
000002	<i>Sus scrofa</i>		WILD BOAR	
000003	<i>Camelus bactrianus</i>		BACTRIAN CAMEL	
000001	<i>Lama glama</i>		LLAMA	
000002	<i>Leptailurus serval</i>		SERVAL	
000009	<i>Suricata suricatta</i>		SLENDER-TAILED MEERKAT	
000003	<i>Ursus thibetanus</i>		ASIATIC BLACK BEAR	
000001	<i>Aonyx capensis</i>		AFRICAN CLAWLESS OTTER	
000003	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>		WHITE RHINOCEROS	
000001	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>		DOG ADULT	
000002	<i>Vulpes zerda</i>		FENNEC FOX	
000005	<i>Procyon lotor</i>		RACCOON	
000003	<i>Phacochoerus africanus</i>		WARTHOG	
000003	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>		DROMEDARY CAMEL	
000002	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>		WHITE-TAILED DEER	
000004	<i>Tapirus bairdii</i>		BAIRD'S TAPIR	
000004	<i>Tapirus terrestris</i>		SOUTH AMERICAN TAPIR	
000010	<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>		GIRAFFE	
000002	<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>		BRINDLED WILDEBEEST	
000007	<i>Nanger granti</i>		GRANT'S GAZELLE	
000003	<i>Potamochoerus porcus</i>		RED RIVER HOG	
000022	<i>Antilope cervicapra</i>		BLACKBUCK	
000015	<i>Nanger dama</i>		ADDRA GAZELLE	
000034	<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>		GREATER KUDU	
000031	<i>Capra hircus</i>		DOMESTIC GOAT	
000029	<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>		IMPALA	
000002	<i>Capra falconeri</i>		MARKHOR	
000001	<i>Damaliscus pygargus</i>		BONTEBOK / BLESBOK	
000049	<i>Gazella thomsonii</i>		THOMSON'S GAZELLE	
000003	<i>Bos primigenius indicus</i>		ZEBU	
000005	<i>Oryx gazella</i>		GEMSBOK	
000008	<i>Oreotragus oreotragus</i>		KLIPSPRINGER	
000002	<i>Bison bison</i>		AMERICAN BISON	
000017	<i>Tragelaphus eurycerus</i>		BONGO	
000011	<i>Bos taurus</i>		CATTLE / COW / OX / WATUSI	
000028	<i>Tragelaphus angasii</i>		NYALA	
000006	<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>		COMMON ELAND	
000021	<i>Hemitragus jemlahicus</i>		HIMALAYAN TAHR	
000016	<i>Ovis aries vignei</i>		URIAL SHEEP	



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000015	<i>Addax nasomaculatus</i>			ADDAX
000003	<i>Cephalophus silvicultor</i>			YELLOW-BACKED DUIKER
000005	<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>			COMMON WATERBUCK
000002	<i>Muntiacus muntjak</i>			INDIAN MUNTJAC
000005	<i>Cervus elaphus canadensis</i>			ELK
000849	Total			