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Tonya Woods, FOIA Director
Legislative and Public Affairs
Freedom of Information Act
4700 River Road, Unit 50
Riverdale, MD 20737

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Re: FOIA Request for Sale Records

To Whom It May Concern:

I am hereby requesting records of the birth, sale, trade, loan, death, acquisition, transfer or gifting of tigers and tiger cubs under the US Freedom of Information Act 5 U.S.C. § 552, for the USDA licensed facility, Wildlife World Zoo and Aquarium in Litchfield Park, AZ. The facility's license number is 86-C-0022.

Time period for requested records is 1/1/00 to the present.

If your agency does not maintain these public records, please let me know who does maintain them and include the proper custodian's name and address.

I anticipate that you will make the requested materials available within the statutorily prescribed period. I also request that you waive any applicable fees since disclosure meets the standard for waiver of fees as it is "in the public interest." Born Free is a non-profit charitable organization, and the information requested is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the activities of the government and is not primarily for any commercial purpose.

In the event that you deny my request for fee waiver, please notify me before you send the documents if the fee amount exceeds \$30.00.

You may fax or mail the documents to my attention at the following:

Born Free USA
1122 S Street
Sacramento, CA 95811.
Fax: (916) 447 3070

Thank you for your cooperation with this request.

Sincerely,

Melanie Scheible
Executive Assistant

