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Animal Care

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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT
#7007 0710 0000 9577 6424
RE: Cust. # 2246
Lic/Reg # 23-C-0013
Warning Notice
APHIS Form 7060

Vincent Hall
Claws N Paws Wild Animal Park Inc.
1475 Ledgesdale Road
Lake Ariel, PA 18436

Dear Mr. Hall:

The enclosed APHIS Form 7060, "Official Warning, Violation of Federal Regulations," is being issued to you for alleged violations of the Federal Animal Welfare Act. This notice is being issued at this time as a serious warning that if you fail to comply with the requirements of the Animal Welfare Act in the future, this citation and all past and future documented violations will be used to justify a more severe penalty. The Animal Welfare Act provides for penalties of up to \$3,750 per violation. If you have any questions regarding this citation or the Animal Welfare Act, please contact this office at the above address or phone (919) 855-7100.

Sincerely,

for: Elizabeth Goldentyer, DVM
Eastern Regional Director
Animal Care

Enclosure

cc: R. Huttenlocker, IES
M. Geib, DVM
M. Smith, SACS
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PA (2246) 23-C-0013



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OFFICIAL WARNING



VIOLATION OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

PA 10047

VIOLATOR

Customer # 2246
Certificate # 23-C-0013
Vincent Hall
Claws N Paws Wild Animal Park Inc.

ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

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The Department of Agriculture has evidence that on or about **July 19, 2010 - November 30, 2009** you or your organization committed the following violation of Federal Regulations:

9 CFR, SECTION

Failure to

3.125 (a)

- **Construct facility of such material and of such strength as appropriate for the animals involved. Indoor and outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals.**

(Two coyotes escaped from their enclosure on July 14, 2010, through a lower left corner at the back of the enclosure where the wire mesh fencing was pulled aparnd and away from the wood post.)

Titles 7 & 9 Code of Federal Regulations were promulgated to help prevent the spread of animal and plant pests and diseases and assure the humane treatment of animals. Since violations of the regulations can have serious and costly impact detrimental to the public interest, you are warned of this violation. Any further violation of these regulations may result in the assessment of a civil penalty or criminal prosecution. If you have any questions concerning this warning or violation, please contact the listed APHIS Official.

APHIS OFFICIAL (Name and Title)

Elizabeth Goldentyer, DVM

Regional Director

SIGNATURE

DATE ISSUED

Elizabeth Goldentyer

3 Aug 2010

FOR PERSONAL SERVICE - RECEIVED BY: (Name and signature)

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