

of enhancement of the species through captive propagation.

*Applicant: Raymond M. Moses, Davie, FL, PRT-140293*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Scott A. Keyes, Granville, OH, PRT-142713*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Mitchel Kalmanson, Maitland, FL, PRT-073486*

The applicant requests a permit to re-export and re-import one male captive-born tiger (*Panthera tigris*), "Fuji", to worldwide locations for the purpose of enhancement of the species through conservation education. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a three-year period and the import of any potential progeny born while overseas.

#### Marine Mammals

The public is invited to comment on the following applications for a permit to conduct certain activities with marine mammals. The applications were submitted to satisfy requirements of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), and the regulations governing marine mammals (50 CFR Part 18). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of the complete applications or requests for a public hearing on these applications should be submitted to the Director (address above). Anyone requesting a hearing should give specific reasons why a hearing would be appropriate. The holding of such a hearing is at the discretion of the Director.

*Applicant: Bob Hudson, Oxford, MS, PRT-129586*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Lancaster Sound polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Kurt A. Fetzer, Chadds Ford, PA, PRT-141741*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Philip M. Ripepi, Jefferson Hills, PA, PRT-141939*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Roger Kolassa, Heron, MT, PRT-142186*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Philip J. Dunne, Friendswood, TX, PRT-142251*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Gerald W. Schave, Highland, MI, PRT-142252*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Russell A. Young, Woodstock, IL, PRT-142450*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

*Applicant: Chris E. Klar, McFarland, WI, PRT-142711*

The applicant requests a permit to import a polar bear (*Ursus maritimus*) sport hunted from the Western Hudson Bay polar bear population in Canada for personal, noncommercial use.

Dated: December 15, 2006.

**Michael S. Moore,**

Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Receipt of Applications for Permit

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of applications for permit.

**SUMMARY:** The public is invited to comment on the following applications to conduct certain activities with endangered species.

**DATES:** Written data, comments or requests must be received by February 20, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358-2281.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358-2104.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Endangered Species

The public is invited to comment on the following applications for a permit to conduct certain activities with endangered species. This notice is provided pursuant to Section 10(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). Written data, comments, or requests for copies of these complete applications should be submitted to the Director (address above).

*Applicant: Milwaukee County Zoological Gardens, Milwaukee, WI, PRT-134697*

The applicant requests a permit to import one male jaguar (*Panthera onca*), originally removed from the wild in Belize as a nuisance animal, from the Belize Zoo for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through captive breeding and public display.

*Applicant: The Zoological Society of San Diego, San Diego, CA, PRT 778487*

The applicant requests reissuance of their permit for scientific research with four giant pandas (*Ailuropoda melanoleuca*) currently held under loan agreement with the Government of China under the provisions of the

USFWS Panda Policy. The proposed research will cover all aspects of behavior, reproductive physiology, genetics, nutrition, and animal health and is a continuation of activities currently in progress. This notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a five-year period.

*Applicant: Smithsonian's National Zoological Park, Washington, DC, PRT 700309*

The applicant requests amendment of their permit, which allows import, export, re-export and interstate and foreign commerce with biological samples of exotic endangered and threatened species for the purpose of scientific research, to add salvage specimens of the native gray wolf (*Canis lupus*) for specific scientific studies into the genetic relationship of the species. This amendment is for the duration of the permit though 11/13/2010.

*Applicant: Daniel M. Alegre Sr., Fallon, NV, PRT-141476*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Gary W. John, Prescott, AZ, PRT-141388*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Molly M. Hedgecock, High Point, NC, PRT-137759*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one

male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Louis M. Blanchard, Las Vegas, NV, PRT-138763*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Thomas R. Lentz, Wichita, KS, PRT-141937*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophy of one male bontebok (*Damaliscus pygargus pygargus*) culled from a captive herd maintained under the management program of the Republic of South Africa, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Timothy G. Fitzsimmons, Cape Haze, FL, PRT-134393*

The applicant requests a permit to import the sport-hunted trophies of two male Formosan sika deer (*Cervus nippon taiouanus*) taken in the United Kingdom, for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species.

*Applicant: Randy Miller's Predators In Action, Big Bear City, CA, PRT-835802, 063077, 012984*

The applicant requests permits to export three captive born tigers (*Panthera tigris*) to worldwide locations for the purpose of enhancement of the species through conservation education. The permit numbers and animals are: 835802, Shirkon; 063077, Tara; and 012984, name unknown. This

notification covers activities to be conducted by the applicant over a three-year period and the import of any potential progeny born while overseas.

Dated: December 8, 2006.

**Lisa J. Lierheimer,**

*Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Issuance of Permits

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of permit for marine mammals.

**SUMMARY:** The following permit was issued.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents and other information submitted with this application are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203; fax 703/358-2281.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Division of Management Authority, telephone 703/358-2104.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that on the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Fish and Wildlife Service issued the requested permit(s) subject to certain conditions set forth therein.

## MARINE MAMMALS

Permit No.	Applicant	Receipt of application <b>Federal Register</b> notice	Permit issuance date
130727 .....	Bradford T. Black .....	71 FR 60561; October 13, 2006 .....	December 6, 2006.

Dated: December 22, 2006.

**Michael L. Carpenter,**

*Senior Permit Biologist, Branch of Permits, Division of Management Authority.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Issuance of Permits

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of permits for marine mammals.

**SUMMARY:** The following permits were issued.

**ADDRESSES:** Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division