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 the following office within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203. Phone: (703/358-2104); FAX: (703/358-2281).


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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Notice of Receipt of Applications for Permit

Endangered Species

The following applicants have applied 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.):

Applicant: Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo, Omaha, NE PRT±031707
The applicant requests a permit to import one male and one female Pan paniscus from the Zoo, from Wolong, China for the purpose of scientific research.

Applicant: Davis, Davis, CA, PRT±031804
The applicant requests a permit to import two female Pygmy chimpanzee Pan paniscus from the Zoo, from Wolong, China for the purpose of scientific research.

Applicant: University of CaliforniaÐDavis, Davis, CA, PRT±031759
The applicant requests a permit to import serum samples of Oriental white stork Ciconia boyciana, red-crowned crane Grus japonensis, and white-naped crane Grus vipio from Japan for the purpose of enhancement of the survival of the species through captive propagation.

Applicant: Mark B. Misner, Germantown, TN, PRT±031759
The applicant requests a permit to import two female bontebok Damaliscus pygargus dorcas 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: Columbus Zoo, Powell, OH, PRT±028532
The applicant requests a permit to import two female captive-born giant pandas Ailuropoda melanoleuca from Wolong, China for the purpose of scientific research and enhancement of the survival and propagation of the species.

Written data or comments should be submitted to the Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Management Authority, 4401 North Fairfax Drive, Room 700, Arlington, Virginia 22203 and must be received by the Director within 30 days of the date of this publication.