



State of Wisconsin  
Governor Scott Walker

Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection  
Ben Brancel, Secretary

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George Carden Circus Int., Inc.  
Attn: Loretta Clay  
3901 W. State Highway O  
Springfield, MO 65803

Dr. Glenn DeGraffenreid  
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Dear Ms. Clay and Dr. DeGraffenreid;

Your request for a Circus, Rodeo, & Menagerie Import Permit for the elephants named Bo and Betty listed on Minnesota Certificate of Veterinary Inspection certificate numbers 41-1368371 and 41-1368370 is denied. This denial is based on "Reactive" test results on the Stat-Pak and positive results on MAPIA on tests performed on December 20, 2010 and December 15, 2011. Bo and Betty are prohibited entry into Wisconsin based on failure to complete the requirements under the Guidelines for the Control of Tuberculosis in Elephants 2010, section 7 Group 3D.

Your request for a Circus, Rodeo, & Menagerie Import Permit for the elephants named Jenny, Janice, Cindy, and Vicky listed on Minnesota Certificate of Veterinary Inspection certificate numbers 41-1368369 through 41-1368371 is approved. The appropriate import permit information will be sent directly to you.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions please contact us, and we look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

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