

**IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & LAND STEWARDSHIP**

*Animal Welfare Bureau*  
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*Wallace State Office Building*  
*502 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street*  
*Des Moines, IA 50319*

**APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO OPERATE IN IOWA AS A  
FEDERALLY LICENSED FACILITY WITH DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS**  
(as defined by Iowa Code, Chapter 717F)

*Permit Fees are Non-Refundable*

Under Iowa Code, **Chapter 717F, DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS -- PROHIBITIONS.**

Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, a person shall not do any of the following:

1. Own or possess a dangerous wild animal.
  2. Cause or allow a dangerous wild animal owned by a person or in the person's possession to breed.
  3. Transport a dangerous wild animal into this state.
20. A person who keeps a dangerous wild animal pursuant to all of the following conditions:
- a. The person is licensed by the United States department of agriculture as provided in 9 C.F.R. ch. I.
  - b. The person is registered by the department of agriculture and land stewardship. Upon a complaint filed with the department of agriculture and land stewardship, the department may inspect the premises or investigate the practices of the registered person and suspend or revoke the registration for the same causes and in the same manner as provided in section 162.12.

**Permit Fee for USDA Licensed Facilities** **\$175.00**  
**with Dangerous Wild Animals as defined by Iowa Code Chapter 717F**

The applicant shall make request for a permit and complete the separate form if licensing in each of the categories (where applicable) in which he is doing business. The fee submitted should be the total of the individual fees of business categories for which this application is being made.

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

USDA, AC Certificate Number (**REQUIRED**): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Township: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) and Address (es) of branch operation: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of animal abuse or neglect? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Have you ever had a license revoked by the federal, state or local government to breed, care for or sell animals? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**License permit fees shall accompany the application. Make checks or money orders payable to IDALS (Iowa Department of Agriculture & Land Stewardship).**

**Mail to: Iowa Department of Agriculture & Land Stewardship**  
**Animal Welfare Bureau**  
**Wallace State Office Bldg.**  
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**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_