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**DANGEROUS WILD ANIMAL REGISTRATION FORM**

SECTION 1:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

SECTION 2:

1. Have you ever been convicted of animal abuse or neglect? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
2. Have you ever had a license revoked by the federal, state or local government to breed, care for or sell animals? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
3. In the past 10 years have you ever been convicted of a felony in this or any other state? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
4. In the past 10 years have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or drug offense in this or any other state? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

SECTION 3:

Please list the dangerous wild animal you possess and the species.  
 Species: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Scars: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Distinguishing Marks: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 4:

Electronic ID manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Electronic ID manufacturer number: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 5:

Veterinarian who cares for the animal:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTION 6:

Location where the wild animal is kept: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

- Attach a current copy of your liability insurance policy.
- Attach a color photograph of each animal that is being registered.
- Attach a photograph of each primary enclosure for each animal being registered.
- Attach a letter from the Veterinarian who cares for the animal certifying that the animal is in good health.

I do hereby acknowledge and affirm that I have completed this registration form and it is true and accurate. I also understand that State of Texas law, specifically HSC Subchapter 822, requires that I acknowledge that I have read and comply with all requirements of that Subchapter and that all facilities used to confine or enclose the animal(s) comply with the requirements of that Subchapter.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

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Notary Public

Send all information to:

ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
DANGEROUS WILD ANIMAL REGISTRATION  
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Texas Health and Safety Code-Section 822.101 defines "Dangerous Wild Animal" as:  
A lion; a tiger; an ocelot; a cougar; a leopard; a cheetah; a jaguar; a bobcat; a lynx; a serval; a caracal; a hyena; a bear; a coyote; a jackal; a baboon; a chimpanzee; an orangutan; a gorilla; or any hybrid of an animal listed in this subdivision.