KENTUCKY EXOTIC WILDLIFE LISTS

PERMIT-EXEMPT EXOTICS
(Import, transport, possession)

- Alpaca
- American bison
- Goat (domestic varieties)
- Camel (Bactrian and dromedary)
- Long-tailed chinchilla
- Canary
- Cockatoo and Cockatiel (family Cacatuidae)
- Domestic ducks and geese (morphologically distinct)
- Domestic European rabbit (morphologically distinct)
- Domestic mink (if adults over 1.15kg or distinct fur)
- Domestic Norway rat, black rat or house mouse
- Domestic turkeys recognized by American Poultry Association and USDA
- Domestic yak
- Mongolian gerbil
- Guineafowl
- Guinea pig
- Hamster (Mesocricetus – includes golden, Turkish, Romanian, Ciscaucasian)
- Indian Hill mynah
- Llama
- Parrot, lovebird, cockatiel, budgerigar, macaw, parakeet (except monk parakeet) and macaws (families Psittacidae, Psittaculidae, Psittrichasiidae)
- Peafowl
- Pigeon (domestic pigeon or rock dove)
- Ratite
- Toucan

Law: Kentucky Rev. Statutes 65.877; 301 Kentucky Admin Regs 2:082
INHERENTLY DANGEROUS EXOTIC WILDLIFE:

Reptiles:

- Alligator
- Caiman
- Crocodile
- Gavial
- Gila Monster
- Beaded Lizard
- **Komodo Dragon**
- Venomous Exotic Snakes (Viperidae, Atractaspidae, Elapidae, Hydrophidae, Colubridae) except hognose snakes
- Hybrids

Mammals:

- African Buffalo
- Hippopotamus
- Rhinoceros
- Hyena
- Bear
- Elephant
- Cheetah
- Clouded Leopard
- Lion
- Jaguar
- Leopard
- **Lynx**
- Snow Leopard
- Tiger
- Old World Badger
- Honey Badger
- Wolverine
- Nonhuman Primate
- Hybrids of above
POTENTIALLY INJURIOUS SPECIES

Birds:

- Baya Weaver
- Blackbirds (exotic) (Agelaius)
- Cape Sparrow
- Cowbird (exotic)
- Cuckoo (exotic)
- Dioch
- European Blackbird
- Fieldfare
- Hawaiian Rice Bird
- Java Sparrow
- Madagascar Weaver
- Mistle Thrush
- Monk Parakeet
- Mute Swan
- Sky Lark
- Song Thrush
- Starling (plus pink starling) except Indian Hill Mynah
- Weaver Finch except House Sparrow
- White Eyes
- Yellowhammer

Amphibians:

- Cane Toad
- Tongueless/African Clawed Frog

Mammals:

- Fruit Bat
- Fox (Genera Cerdoycon, Lycalopex, Otocyon, Urocyon and Vulpes)
- Gambian Giant Pouched Rat
- Multimammate Rat
- Nutria
- Prairie Dog
- Raccoon Dog
- San Juan Rabbit
- Slender-tailed Meerkat
- Wild European rabbit not morphologically distinguishable from native ones
- Jack Rabbit
- Wild rabbits, hares and pikas (Lagomorpha)
- Swine (nondomestic)
- Viverrids (all)
- Peccary
- Javelina