

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

AWA Docket No. D-08-0149

In re: WAYNE EDWARDS, d/b/a
OKLAHOMA WILDLIFE
PRESERVE, INC.,

Petitioner

ORDER

An oral hearing was scheduled in this matter on March 11, 2009 in Washington, D.C. On the date and time set for the hearing, the Petitioner failed to appear, either in person, or by counsel. The Respondent was represented by Colleen A. Carroll, Esquire, Office of General Counsel, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. At the hearing, the Respondent moved that the Request for Hearing be Dismissed for failure to prosecute the Request for Hearing.

Being sufficiently advised, noting the Petitioner's failure to appear at the hearing, the Motion is **GRANTED**, and the case will be **DISMISSED**, with prejudice.

Copies of this Order will be served upon the parties by the Hearing Clerk.

Done at Washington, D.C.
March 11, 2009

PETER M. DAVENPORT
Administrative Law Judge

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