Montana Department of Livestock Import Regulations

Controlled Exotic Species

Health Certificate - issued within 30 days of entry
Official identification, testing and statements listed on health certificate

Import Permit - To obtain a permit number:
Permit Line: 406-444-2976
Email: livpermits@mt.gov (Monday-Friday 8am-4:30pm)
Fish, Wildlife, and Parks Permits are required for import of these animals please contact: 406-444-0136

Import Permit Numbers are Required for Hand-Written Paper Health Certificates ONLY

Official Identification
Microchips are required
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A controlled species is a live, exotic wildlife species, subspecies, or hybrid of species that may not be imported, possessed, sold, purchased, or exchanged in Montana unless a person obtains written authorization from Montana Fish, Wildlife, and Parks Department.

**Controlled Species Definition**

**Animal List**

- Badger
- Bats
- Beaver
- Black Bear
- Bobcats
- Cougar (Mountain Lions)
- Coyote
- Elephants
- Fisher
- Foxes
- Northern Flying Squirrel
- Lions
- Martin
- Mink
- Muskrat
- Otter
- Porcupine
- Raccoons
- Sable
- Skunks
- Tigers
- Wolverine
- Wolves