THE INTERNATIONAL PRIMATE PROTECTION LEAGUE

REPORT ON AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors The International Primate Protection League Summerville, South Carolina

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of The International Primate Protection League as of December 31, 2009, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The International Primate Protection League at December 31, 2009, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Luciano, Cobert & Ket, LLC.
North Charleston, South Carolina

April 7, 2010

THE INTERNATIONAL PRIMATE PROTECTION LEAGUE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2009

ASSETS

Current assets	
Cash and cash equivalents Prepaid expenses Inventories	\$ 93,009 22,419 4,268
Total current assets	119,696
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	1,007,635
Other assets	
Investments Cash surrender value - life insurance	3,063,511 68,191
Total other assets	3,131,702
Total assets	\$ 4,259,033
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Current liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$ 29,486
Total liabilities	29,486
Net assets	
Unrestricted Permanently restricted	4,209,547 20,000
Total net assets	4,229,547
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 4,259,033

(See notes to financial statements)

THE INTERNATIONAL PRIMATE PROTECTION LEAGUE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

	UNRESTICTED	PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED	TOTALS
PUBLIC SUPPORT AND REVENUE			
Public Support Contributions Grants Legacies and bequests	\$ 500,011 387,518 256,337	\$ - - -	\$ 500,011 387,518 256,337
Total public support	1,143,866	<u> </u>	_1,143,866
Revenue Membership dues Investment income Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments Miscellaneous income Merchandise Total revenue Total support and revenue	75,283 115,859 45,940 139 1,773 238,994	- - - - - - -	75,283 115,859 45,940 139 1,773 238,994 1,382,860
EXPENSES			
Program Services Primate care investigation and education Supporting Services Management and general Fundraising	973,267 137,291 15,364		973,267 137,291 15,364
Total supporting services	152,655		152,655
Total expenses	1,125,922	_	1,125,922
Change in net assets	256,938		256,938
Net assets at beginning of year	3,952,609	20,000	3,972,609
Net assets at end of year	\$ 4,209,547	\$ 20,000	\$4,229,547

THE INTERNATIONAL PRIMATE PROTECTION LEAGUE STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

	Program Services		Supporting S	ervices	
	Primate Care				
	Investigation				Total
	and Education	and General	Fundraising	Total	Expenses
Salaries and wages	\$ 191,026	\$ 40,080	\$ 3,281	\$ 43,361	\$ 234,387
Payroll taxes	15,439		265	3,504	18,943
Total salaries, wages and					
related expenses	206,465	43,319	3,546	46,865	253,330
Advertising	_	8,904	_	8,904	8,904
Animal food	57,585	-	-	-	57,585
Auto expenses	14,807	_	-	_	14,807
Bank charges	1,610	102	-	102	1,712
Conferences	976	-	-	-	976
Contract labor	12,071	15,704	-	15,704	27,775
Cost of merchandise	-	4,212	-	4,212	4,212
Credit card fees	-	3,915	-	3,915	3,915
Dues and subscriptions	3,437	511	-	511	3,948
Education center expenses	207	-	-	-	207
Grants-sanctuary and other	401,189	-	-	-	401,189
Insurance	22,198	4,323	-	4,323	26,521
Internet expenses	1,916	-	_	-	1,916
Investigation	5,572	-	-	-	5,572
Miscellaneous	1,205	-	-	_	1,205
Office supplies and postage	32,097	2,511	10,284	12,795	44,892
Professional fees	20,194	14,650	-	14,650	34,844
Reports and other literature	26,336	969	-	969	27,305
Publications (newsletters)	45,511	_	-	-	45,511
Rent	4,800	-	_	_	4,800
Repairs and maintenance	13,773	1,590	-	1,590	15,363
Software maintenance	-	7,489	-	7,489	7,489
Supplies	19,478	-	-	-	19,478
Taxes and licenses	-	1,908	-	1,908	1,908
Telephone	680	5,281	-	5,281	5,961
Travel	12,477	_	-	-	12,477
Utilities	13,908	877		877	14,785
Total expenses before					
Depreciation	918,492	116,265	13,830	130,095	1,048,587
Depreciation expense	54,775	21,026	1,534	22,560	77,335
Total expenses	\$ 973,267	\$ 137,291	\$ 15,364	\$ 152,655	\$1,125,922

THE INTERNATIONAL PRIMATE PROTECTION LEAGUE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

Cash Flows from Operating Activities

Change in net assets Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash	\$	256,938
provided by operating activities Depreciation Gains on sales of investments Unrealized gains on investments (Increase) in cash surrender value of life insurance (Increase) in prepaid expenses Increase in accounts payable		77,335 (838) (45,102) (3,504) (191) 1,825
Net cash provided by operating activities	_	286,463
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Purchase of property and equipment Proceeds from sales of investments Purchase of investments	_	(16,696) 471,605 (721,331)
Net cash (used) in investing activities		(266,422)
Net (increase) in cash and cash equivalents		20,041
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		72,968
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	93,009

Note 1. Nature of Activities and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of Activities

The International Primate Protection League (IPPL) is a nonprofit organization whose purpose is to educate the public on issues of primates, investigate the illegal trafficking in primates, and to provide a facility for the care and rehabilitation of gibbons released from research facilities. The Organization is supported primarily through donor contributions grants and bequests.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of IPPL have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and, accordingly, reflect all significant receivables, payables and other liabilities.

Basis of Presentation

Financial statement preparation follows the recommendation of the Financial Accounting Standards Board in its Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117, Financial Statements of Not-For-Profit Organizations. Under SFAS No. 117, IPPL is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets and permanently restricted net assets.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, IPPL considers all highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

Property and Equipment

The Organization capitalizes all expenditures for property and equipment in excess of \$300. Property and equipment is carried at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is provided over the estimated useful life of the related assets using straight-line methods. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged to expense as incurred.

Note 1. Nature of Activities and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Functional Expenses

Directly identifiable expenses are charged to programs and services. Expenses related to more than one function are charged to programs and supporting services on the basis of personnel time and space utilized for the related activities. Management and general expenses include those expenses that are not directly identifiable with any other specific function but provide for the overall support and direction of the Organization.

Restricted and Unrestricted Revenue and Support

Contributions received are recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support, depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor restrictions.

Donor-restricted support is reported as an increase in temporarily or permanently restricted net assets, depending on the nature of the restriction. When a restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the Statement of Activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Promises to Give

Unconditional promises to give are recognized as revenues or gains in the period received and as assets, decreases of liabilities, or expenses depending on the form of the benefits received. Conditional promises to give are recognized only when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met and the promises become unconditional.

Donated Services

Donated services are recognized as contributions in accordance with SFAS No. 116, Accounting for Contributions Received and Contributions Made, if the services (a) create or enhance non-financial assets of (b) require specialized skills, are performed by people with those skills, and would otherwise be purchased by the Organization. Volunteers also provided administrative services throughout the year that are not recognized as contributions in the financial statements since the criteria for SFAS No. 116 are not met.

Note 1. Nature of Activities and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Donated Assets

Donated marketable securities and other non-cash donations are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair values at the date of donation.

Income Taxes

IPPL is a not for profit organization and is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. By reference, the State of South Carolina adopted this code; hence, IPPL is also exempt from South Carolina income taxes. Classification by the Internal Revenue Service is other than a private foundation.

Investments

Investments in marketable equity securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are stated at fair market value. Investment income of endowment funds, unless restricted to a specific purpose or required to be added to the principal of the endowment, is available for unrestricted purposes and, if any, is included in the change in unrestricted net assets.

Inventories

Inventories consist of retail merchandise available for sale to the general public. Inventories are stated at cost determined on the first-in, first-out method.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Note 2. Related Party Transactions

IPPL houses some of the gibbons on three acres of land leased from a former employee of the Organization. The lease is accounted for as an operating lease and may be canceled by either party with a 30 day written notice. Lease expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 amounted to \$4,800.

Note 3. Credit Risk

IPPL has accounts held by one banking institution. Amounts held by the institution are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to \$250,000. As of December 31, 2009 the entire bank balances of \$115,562 was fully insured.

The risk of loss from any uninsured cash balances during the year is mitigated by the use of nationally recognized financial institutions and is monitored by the management.

Note 4. Investments

Investments are stated at fair market value, and consist of the following at December 31, 2009:

	Cost	Fair Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)		
Money market funds	\$ 298,524	\$ 298,524	ş –		
Certificates of deposit	1,859,099	1,854,000	(5,099)		
US Agency securities	71,979	70,891	(1,088)		
Corporate bonds	402,841	417,283	14,442		
Mutual funds	435,681	421,880	(13,801)		
Common stocks	7,301	933	(6,368)		
Total investments	\$3,075,425	\$3,063,511	\$ (11,914)		

Investment return is summarized as follows for the year ended December 31, 2009.

Interest and dividend income	\$ 115,859
Net realized and unrealized gains	45,940
Total investment income	\$ 161,799

Note 5. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment consist of the following as of December 31, 2009:

Land, buildings and improvements \$1,067,014
Furniture, fixtures and equipment 666,121
Less accumulated depreciation (725,500)

Net \$1,007,635

Depreciation expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 was \$77,335.

Note 6. Restrictions on Net Assets

Permanently restricted net assets consist of endowment fund assets to be held indefinitely. The income from the assets can be used to support the Organization's general activities.