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Dear Mr Tredoux

WARNING W5773 IN TERMS OF THE ANIMALS PROTECTION ACT NO. 71 OF 1962

In respect of the inspection at your abattoir today, herewith please find the concerns that were discussed with Mr Jean Tredoux.

1) There were 5 downer pigs laying in the pre-slaughter race. The workers picked these pigs up by their ears and tails. This is in direct contravention of the Animals Protection Act. As advised by Inspector Chiwawa, a suitable way of moving these downers needs to be established. The workers must be educated in this regard. This must be rectified with immediate effect and Inspector Chiwawa will do a recheck to establish the process in this regard.

2) There was a dead calf on the off loading ramps. Any dead animal must be removed immediately.

This warning has been issued in terms of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act No 169 of 1993

Failure to comply with this warning may render you liable for prosecution under the Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 and/or Performing Animals Protection Act No 24 of 1935.

Any Person who:- obstructs, hinders or resists an officer authorised in terms of the Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 or conceals any animal shall be guilty of an offence in terms of Section 8(4) of the aforementioned Act.

Kind regards,

Patrick Chiwawa
Inspector
Swartland and West Coast SPCA