

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3958

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 11 STRAND STREET
Suburb: LONGACRES
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-11-18
Time of Inspection: 11:50

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: Marili
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: Marili
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Owner
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-11-18 12:40

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Free roaming - in property

General Report Comments: Upon arrival, I was met and granted access to the property by the owner.

The owner accompanied me to the feedroom, where I observed about 20 oathay bales, 20x straw bales, and Equifeeds Balanced, and Equifeeds 10% concentrate. The owner also had new stick of concentrates in her vehicle that must still be offloaded . There was about 6x 40kg bags. The bales are placed under roof, and on pallets raised off the floor. The concentrates are placed in sealed bins. The horses are fed concentrates 2x day (morning and afternoon) and are provided with 6 x teff nets in the morning, afternoon and evening, due to there not being available grazing in their paddock.

I was then accompanied to the stabled area. The horses are kept here during the night and also during adversed weather conditions. These stables are build with wooden poles and the back sections are 3-sided enclosed, providing adequate protection against the weather elements. The stables are each 6m x 4m. There are 3x stables, 1 for each horse. There are 50 L water containers inside with clean fresh water. Half of the stable is cement and the other (front) section is sand.

I was then accompanied to the horses. The 1x horse was busy with a dressage leason with her daughter. The other 2x horses were in their paddock. There is 2x large 100 L water bins inside the paddock and I could see they were given twff nets this morning as the nets were finished , however alot of the roughage was on the ground and the horses were still eating it.

The horse interacted with me in a friendly manner, as well as towards eachother. The horses are in good condition with no veterinary or health concerns observed. Their hooves are done every 6-8 weeks. They were all dewormed with Pegasol on the 3rd of Nov 2024.

Based on the nature of complaint, I will monitor their weight monthly, over the course of the next 3 months. As if the horses are not fed according they will loose weight over this period, however for now there is no concern or contraventions observed in terms of the APA .

ACTIONS

NO ACTION REQUIRED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2024-12-27

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x HORSES / DONKEYS (THOROUGHBRED) - A STERILISED MALE (COLOUR: Bay) CONDITION: Fair BCS 2.5/5

Description:

1 x HORSES / DONKEYS (FLEMISH X) - A STERILISED MALE (COLOUR: Dark Bay) CONDITION: Fair BCS 2.5/5

Description:

1 x HORSES / DONKEYS (BOERPERD X) - FEMALE (COLOUR: Skewbald) CONDITION: Good BCS 3.5/5