

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3974

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 408 BETTER LIFE STREET
Suburb: GEORGE COURAGE
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-11-19
Time of Inspection: 13:45

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: LUNGISWA NCAPHANE
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: Melikhaya Canzibe
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Child/Family Member
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-11-19 15:21

CHECKLISTS

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

General Report Comments: Accompanied by Trainee Insp Mathabela

Upon our arrival, we observed through the property fence and gate, 5x adult dogs and 5x puppies that appear to have severe skin conditions. Some of the dogs had raw skin exposed as well.

We called out and a man, who identified himself as Mr. Melikhaya Canzibe, approached us from the house. We advised Mr Canzibe about the nature of our inspection and shared our concerns regarding the poor conditions the dogs are in. Mr Canzibe advised that the dogs belong to his sister, Ms Lungiswa Ncaphane, who is currently not present as she is at work.

We explained to Mr Canzibe that a warning will be issued indicating that the owner has 24hrs to have the dogs taken for veterinary treatment, or that she can surrender the dogs to the SPCA, to prevent unnecessary possible further suffering. Mr Canzibe indicated that they will not surrender the dogs. It was then explained that they will have to take the dogs for veterinary treatment as all the dogs are in poor condition and likely suffering.

A warning was issued as such and Mr Canzibe advised that he will give the warning to his sister tonight when she arrives from work.

The dogs do have access to adequate protection against the weather elements, water and a fairly clean living condition, however their physical condition is of great concern.

ACTIONS

Warning Issued W6721

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2024-11-20

INSPECTION ANIMALS

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5 x DOGS (X BREED (UNKNOWN)) - UNSTERILISED CONDITION: Poor, severe skin conditions
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