

SECURITY ANIMAL INSPECTION CHECKLIST

Date of inspection: 17/03/25 Time of inspection: 10:00
Inspecting Officer's Details: J. OCTOBER

1. COMPANY / FACILITY INFORMATION

Name:	Dag and Dill	
Ability to train DH courses?		
Address:	Klipfontein Farm/N7	Province: Western-Cape
Email:	smutje@daganddill.co.za	Tel/Cell No: 082 312 3271
Owner:	Christophe Smit	
Manager:	Tobie Fortbert	082 890 5661
Supervisor:	Raile Pieterse	066 404 3854
Kennel Master:	Maria Smit	072 383 3993
Trainer:	Christophe Smit	
Trainer accredited to train DH courses?	Yes	

2. VETERINARY / FARRIER INFORMATION

Practice Details:	Groenkloof Animal Hospital	
Veterinarian:	Dr. Heinz	Tel/Cell No: 022 487 1157
Do all staff have the details of this Vet in case of emergency?	Yes / No	
Farrier:	—	Tel/Cell No: —
Do all staff have the details of this farrier in case of emergency?	— / No	

3. WORKING DOGS / HORSES DETAILS

How many working animals are at the facility?	95
Types of working animals?	GSD, Belgian Shepherd/Malinois, Rottweiler, Beagle, Pointer, Boerboel, Frisian, Weimaraner, German Shepherd, Pointers, Belgian Malinois, Border Collies, Spaniels, X Breeds.
Details of dog/s / horses:	Names / DH levels / Identifiable # / microchip / branding

Details of dog handler/s or Riders: Names / Surnames / Cell levels / IDs	
Christophe Luit - DH5	
Dariusl Tippers - DH4	
Willem September - DH4	
Ryle Pieterse - DH5	
How many hours per day does a dog / horses work? No more than 12 hours per day	2 hours per day
How many days per week does a dog / horses work? 7 days per week not advised	Everyday
How many handlers work with one dog?	All handlers work with all the dogs
Are the dog's working day shifts or night shifts?	Day + night
Do the dogs live on-site? Not advised- due to the dogs working 24/7. Injured as guards rest	Yes
How many days per week do the dogs live on-site?	Everyday
What are the enclosures / kennels on site constructed from	
Is the site environment safe and hygienic?	Yes
If yes or no, supply details:	
Enclosures are well maintained.	
What happens to dogs / horses on handlers' rest days? E.g. - Relieve camps, grooming. Is this monitored by supervisor?	
The dogs get worked by another handler or go into relieve camps monitored by kennel master.	

4. HEALTH	
Is there a medical file available for each working dog/ horse?	Yes
General condition of dogs / horses: (e.g. poor, fair, good, , etc.)	Good some dogs are receiving medication
Do any dogs / horses appear too old to be working? We advise retirement at 10 years max	No
Do any of the dogs / horses appear sick, injured or underweight?	Yes
If yes or no, supply details: There are some dogs with eye infections	
Has treatment been administered?	Yes
If yes or no, supply details: eye ointment are been used	
Are any sick, injured or underweight dogs / horses being worked with while in that condition?	No
If yes, supply details:	
Are any of the dogs / Horses displaying signs of stereotypical behaviour i.e. kennel stress?	No
If yes, supply details:	
Are dental records available for dogs and horses?	No, available at the ref.
When last were dogs' / horses teeth checked/dentals done?	
Do the dogs' skin- and coats appear to be in good condition? Check for hair loss or hot spots	Yes
Do any of the dogs / horses appear to be lame or in pain when moving?	No

Dips
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Is there proof of clearance of hip x-rays on record that clear the dogs / horses to work?	Yes / No Yes
Are the dogs worked on hot surfaces during hottest part of the day? (12-3pm) Check the dog's paws for any signs of injuries/burns/sensitive pads.	Yes / No No
Is any horses showing sign of being overworked	Yes/No

5. DIET	
What are the dogs/ horses fed?	Dog food. Lifestyle dog pellets.
Were any dogs observed with diarrhoea	No
If yes - What was the possible cause?	—
What treatment was given?	—
Are feeding instructions being adhered to as prescribed by the Vet / Manufacturer?	Yes
When are the dogs fed?	Twice a day Morning / Afternoon
When are the horses fed?	—
How often are the dogs fed?	Twice a day
Is leftover food removed from the kennel / Paddocks?	Yes
Do all dogs / horses have fresh clean water? Make sure it is placed in the shade	Yes / No
Are any fly or rodent control methods being provided?	Yes
If yes, supply details:	Fly traps installed near kennel.

6. PARASITE CONTROL/DIPPING	
Dipping bath available? Only when alternative parasite control is not used	Yes / No
How often are the dogs dipped?	Once a week
Is the dipping bath clean and in good working order?	Yes
Other forms of parasite control being used: i.e. frontline, flea powder, etc.	Imiparic.
What dip is used on the horses?	None. No horses
Is there fly control on the horses?	—
Is there any ticks on the horses?	—
Is there records of dip treatment?	—

7. KENNEL/ENCLOSURE AREA	
How many kennels are at the facility?	110 ✓
How many stables at the facility?	—
Is there a checklist available when inspecting the kennels / stables?	Yes / No
How often does the supervisor inspect the kennels?	Everyday
Any dogs found with chokers or collars in kennels?	No

Reason:	
Warning issued	Yes / No
Are the enclosures / paddocks clean?	Yes / No
Are the enclosures in good repair with no chance of injury or escape of dogs?	Yes / No
Are the paddocks in good repair with no change of injuries of escaping?	Yes / No
If no, supply details:	
Is any poison being kept in the kennel / stable environment? Look for rodent bait boxes	Yes / No
Is faeces disposed of daily and far away from the kennels / stables and paddocks?	Yes / No
If no, supply details:	
Is proper equipment being provided to the staff to clean the enclosures and to groom the dogs / horses?	Yes / No
If no, supply details:	Yes / No
What product is being used to clean and disinfect the enclosure?	Yes / No
Is it safe to use around animals?	Yes / No
If no, supply details:	Yes / No
Are the dogs / horses removed from the enclosures during cleaning?	Yes / No
Is adequate bedding provided for the animals?	Yes / No
Are kennels exposed to direct sunlight all day long?	Yes / No
Is shade provided?	Yes / No
Are there any water bowls / food bowls secured with wire?	Yes / No
Are the kennels in the enclosures fixed to the ground?	Yes / No
If yes, supply details:	
Is any fence fighting observed between specific dogs?	Yes / No
Is food or other dominance observed between the horses?	Yes / No
Are dogs provided with chewable toys to relieve kennel stress? Note: Alternative enrichment. Chewing toys can be a risk for the dogs if accidentally swallowed. Water in suitable containers is also part of enrichment as some dogs do love swimming	Yes / No
Is grass at the facility kept short to prevent ticks and snake bites?	Yes / No
What is the size of the kennel enclosure? No smaller than 2 W x 4 L x 1.8 H advised for dogs	

4x4x1.8 - outdoor
4x2x1.8 - inside

Horses (paddocks / stables)	
If small, supply details:	
What direction are the kennel enclosures facing? Should be facing North or East	North ✓
If not N or E, supply details:	
What material are the kennels / stables constructed from?	wire / wood, roof sheets ✓
Is there proper identification on each kennel / stable or enclosure?	yes, name plates + kennel number ✓
Are kennels / sleeping boards / bedding lifted up during cleaning to clean underneath?	Yes

8. TRANSPORTATION	
Are all vehicles used for the dog / horses transportation, road worthy and in working order?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are all transport compartments safe from theft and escape?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are all transport compartments safe from sharp objects or rust that can injure dogs / horses?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are all transport compartments fitted with a nonslip floor?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are all transport compartments safe from exhaust fumes with good ventilation?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Is there any chance of contact/fighting between dogs when confined?	Yes / No No ✓
Are all transport compartments kept clean and hygienic?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are the dogs muzzled during transportation?	Yes / No No ✓
Are horses given protective gear when transported?	Yes / No No ✓ horses
Reason?	

9. FEED ROOM	
Is the feed room being kept clean and hygienic?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Is any poison or other dangerous chemical being kept in the feed room? There should be no poisons in feed room	Yes / No No ✓
If yes, supply details:	
Is there enough feed to last until the next delivery is made?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Is any food being fed that is expired?	Yes / No No ✓
Is the food kept in sealable water- and rodent proof containers? Steel is not always the best option in climates where humidity is high due to rust.	Yes / No Yes ✓
Is the food stored in a dry and cool place?	Yes / No Yes ✓

10. RELIEF/RELAXATION CAMPS	
Are there relief camps at the facility?	Yes / No Yes ✓
Are the relief camps kept clean and secure?	Yes / No Yes ✓

Is there appropriate shelter and fresh clean water provided in the relief camps?	Yes
Are all the dogs spending time in the relief camps every day? 30 min - 1 hour each	Yes
Is a roster available to prove that they are?	Yes
Does anyone take the dogs into the relief camps if the handlers are off duty?	Yes
If yes or no, supply details: Christopher Smith	

11. TRAINING	
Do they use shock collars, pinch collars or prong collars? Should not be allowed	Yes No
If yes, supply details: —	
Is the training equipment that is utilized in good working condition and well maintained?	Yes No
If no, supply details: —	
Do any of the dogs show signs of fear towards humans or each other?	Yes No
If yes, supply details: —	
What training equipment is utilized?	Bite suits, choke collars leashes.
Is training safe? Any injuries to the animals during training? No training was observed.	

12. RETIRED DOGS / HORSES	
Are all dogs / horses sterilised before being placed for adoption?	Yes
Are pre-home checks done before allowing handlers to adopt dogs / horses?	Yes
Are annual post-home checks being done after dogs / horses have been adopted by handlers?	No
Do they ever PTS retired dogs / horses?	Yes

13. EQUIPMENT DOGS / TACK HORSES	
Is equipment and tack kept in good working condition? sharp bits, broken bridles, broken saddles, small choke chains etc.	Yes No
Is equipment and tack rooms kept clean?	Yes No
Is the equipment and tack kept in a secure place to prevent theft?	Yes No
Is there a responsible person to oversee equipment and tack?	Yes

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14. OTHER ANIMALS AT THE FACILITY	
Are there any other animals kept on this property?	☒ Yes ☐ No
If yes, supply details: <i>They have some chickens.</i>	
If yes, are these animals being cared for properly?	☒ Yes ☐ No
If not, supply details: <i>—</i>	

15. CORRECTIVE MEASURES
Actions taken? <i>no actions taken.</i>
Follow-up action required?
Photos/Videos taken?
Notice or warning issued?

16. COMMENTS

INSPECTOR: _____ SIGNATURE: _____