

SANDTON SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

BID113210

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 177 SAINT GEORGES ROAD
Suburb: OBSERVATORY
Postal Code:
Inspector: GODFREY MNGUNI
Date of Inspection: 2026-04-01
Time of Inspection: 13:40

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

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

REPORT

Access Granted By: MPHO RATSHIRUMELA
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Owner
Captured By: GODFREY MNGUNI 2026-04-07 17:04

CHECKLISTS

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

General Report Comments: I went to the house in question to investigate and found the owner available. He owns a 3-year-old, tan male, Boerboel dog named "Simba" along with 4 x 8-week-old, Boerboel puppies. The dogs were free-roaming and had at least 2 wooden kennels in the backyard as shelter, and water was readily available for them. They were all in acceptable physical condition. He appeared to be breeding the dogs for sale, but not as an established/registered breeder. He revealed to me that the mother of the puppies died of poison ingestion during the dog poisoning saga in the area, but "Simba" was allegedly trained not to feed on suspicious foodstuff thrown in the yard, according to the owner.

The owner admitted to one of the female puppies barking and constantly yelping, but never out of any form of distress. He said it appears to be her vocalised temperament that she might attribute. I offered the owner to have some of the puppies sterilised for free, but he said selling them off is a good income generator as he's selling to canine (K9) specialists/trainers providing the SAPS. No offences in respect of animals were found. I still took an opportunity to educate him about some negative effects of selling puppies to unvetted individuals, which could result in irresponsible ownership of these dogs and in unsterilized dogs. He said he would consider the idea of sterilising them and get back to me before they go. I'll check in with him soon to remind him.

ACTIONS

OWNER EDUCATED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2026-04-08

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NO CONTRAVENTIONS OF THE APA -

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x DOGS (BOERBOEL) - AN UNSTERILISED MALE CALLED 'SIMBA' (COLOUR: TAN AND BLACK MUZZLE) CONDITION: ACCEPTABLE

Description:

4 x DOGS (BOERBOEL) - UNSTERILISED (COLOUR: TAN) CONDITION: ACCEPTABLE