

From: inspectorate@brakpanspca.co.za
Sent: 24 May 2022 12:30
To: 'Sanette Bosman'
Cc: 'SPCA Brakpan (Adoptions)'; 'manager@brakpanspca.co.za'
Subject: RE: Cruelty Complaint - 15 Rangeview Road Dalpark

Good day Sanette.

Thank you for the email and bringing this under our attention!

We will give feed back to you ones we have attended the Cruelty.

Can you give me some clarity on the name of the organization if possible, so that we can educate them on the rehoming of animals, to homes where there are unsterilized animals.

Kind regards,
Sanette

From: Sanette Bosman <sanbos2005@yahoo.com>
Sent: 24 May 2022 10:06
To: Mariska Venter <inspectorate@brakpanspca.co.za>
Cc: manager@brakpanspca.co.za
Subject: Cruelty Complaint - 15 Rangeview Road Dalpark

Good day,

I conducted a pre-home check on behalf of an organisation for a family that wanted to adopt a kitten. The application has been denied but during the inspection a number of concerns were noticed.

There was an enclosure housing several different animals together including rabbits, chickens etc. Upon my visit there was no visible water or food (bowls were empty and dry), there wasn't proper or enough shelter for the different species housed together and they are possibly not getting proper food for their specific dietary needs.

According to the owner the pup sleeps inside on the bed with one of her children at night, but when I questioned the owner, she said during the day the dog stays outside, normally on the porch. There was no bedding or proper shelter on the porch, there was no water bowl and I was advised the dog drinks from the fish pond. I didn't see any bowls for the kitten or dog with food which she said was upstairs but I was unable to verify this.

Even though not cruelty, she said all of the animals had their vaccinations but could not produce any vet cards (said it is effort to look for them as she's not sure where she placed them yet her current kitten is only 10 weeks and pup is 4 months)

There is a cage indoors with two large birds as well. The owner seems to love animals and wants to take care of them but lacks the knowledge and is not meeting their minimum needs such as access to water or food.

Could you kindly investigate, I have attached a few pictures taken on the day.

Kind Regards

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was done and feedback given

From: Mariska Venter <inspectorate@brakpanspca.co.za>
Sent: 09 June 2022 14:33
To: inspectorate@brakpanspca.co.za
Subject: Fwd: RE: Cruelty Complaint - 15 Rangeview Road Dalpark

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From: Mariska Venter <inspectorate@brakpanspca.co.za>
Date: 27 May 2022 17:45
Subject: RE: Cruelty Complaint - 15 Rangeview Road Dalpark
To: Sanette Bosman <sanbos2005@yahoo.com>
Cc: Manager - Brakpan SPCA <manager@brakpanspca.co.za>

Good afternoon Sanette,
Once again Thank you for your email.

We have inspected the property and fortunately found no cruelty but we did help educate and made suggestions. The family was very understanding and they are happy to sterilise Luna the Swiss Shepard female aswell as the cat. We will keep intouch with them with regards to booking the sterilisations.

If there is anything else please don't hesitate to give us a shout.

Regards,
Mariska Venter
Brakpan SPCA

On 26 May 2022 13:22, Sanette Bosman <sanbos2005@yahoo.com> wrote:
Good day Elzette

Thank you very much for your email.

The organization is PETS - Pet Empowerment in Townships. The owner Katherine Matthews is aware of responsible rehoming and does not rehome where there are unsterilised animals which is why she declined the adoption over and above the welfare concerns I noted.

The adopter never mentioned any of the other animals on her adoption form, only the kitten and puppy and the condition for adoption was that they would be sterilized, but upon finding the other animals, none of them were sterilized either.

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