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14 April 2023

**Mr. Van Rensburg
Avondgloed Boerdery
Geelhoutboom**

Dear Mr. Van Rensburg

Warning 1647- You are hereby instructed to:

In respect of the inspection conducted on 12/04/23, please see below. This is a second warning on the same concerns and need to be seen as a serious matter. First warning was issued on 14/03/2023 by Inspector Pypers.

On inspection I noticed the following concerns and should be addressed immediately.

The following need to be addressed:

- 1)** Shelters, pens and housing must be hygienically maintained and effectively cleaned to eliminate ammonia build up, dampness and mould.
- 2)** Wet and muddy outdoor areas should be minimized with good planning and well drained land. Animals shall not be kept in conditions where mud is greater than ankle deep. All dairy cattle shall have access to dry areas large enough to accommodate all the dairy cattle at the same time.
- 3)** It is advisable that Pens must have suitable bedding for dairy cattle at all times. There must be enough bedding to ensure the comfort of all animals. This is not just for comfort but to prevent calves from slipping and injuring themselves.
- 4)** Effective fly control should be used to minimize spreading of diseases.
- 5)** Feeding and water containers must be cleaned effectively and daily.

We trust that the above will be fully complied with in terms of the Animals Protection Act No. 71 of 1962, the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act No 169 of 1993, and any other relevant national legislation, failure of which may render you liable for prosecution under the aforementioned Acts.

Kind regards

**Inspector Gerda Groenewald
Garden Route SPCA**

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