



WARNING #062

To: Dogs and All (Louis and Tobie Joubert)	Date: 23 August 2024
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In light of my inspection conducted on the 22nd of August 2024, the follow concerns were observed and must be rectified at the address within 7 days

You are hereby warned that:

1. Veterinary concerns were observed with some of the dogs. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(e)*. Veterinary treatment and a veterinary report stating the issues observed and whether the dog is fit to work needs to be provided to the SPCA via email to inspectorate@wellingtonspca.co.za for the following dogs:
 - A. **Pasu (5-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000120123)**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and an injured left eye that need to be treated.
 - B. **Ceazar (7-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000075174)**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort.
 - C. **German Shepherd kept in kennel named "3 Coarser"**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and tooth decay.
 - D. **German Shepherd kept in kennel named "5" (ID# 90025000101813)**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort.
 - E. **Rottweiler kept in kennel named "4" (ID# 111100000010674)**: It appears that the dog is underweight that needs to be treated.
 - F. **Gunner (7-year-old, Mallinois, ID# 933071000037429)**: It appears that the dog has tooth decay.
 - G. **Jessie (3-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000100909)**: It appears that the dog is severely matted and has tooth decay.
 - H. **Hitler03 (7-year-old, Rottweiler, ID# 933071000063298)**: It appears that the dog is underweight that needs to be treated.
 - I. **Luna (2-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000256620)**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and an ear infection that need to be treated.
 - J. **Una (6-year-old, black German Shepherd, ID# 933071000120058)**: It appears that the dog has tooth decay that need to be treated.
 - K. **Tina (11-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 900250000183117)**: It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and tooth decay that need to be treated.
 - L. **Bolo (10-year-old, Rottweiler, ID# 900250000231904)**: It appears that the dog has open wounds, tooth decay and lethargy that need to be treated.
 - M. **Lady (9-year-old, black Shepherd, ID# 900250000231700)**: It appears that the

- dog has tooth decay that needs to be treated.
- N. **Boomer (8-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000052777):** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and tooth decay that need to be treated.
 - O. **Delta (8-year-old, White Shepherd, ID# 933071000100896):** It appears that the dog is matted that needs grooming.
 - P. **Jordon (6-year-old, Malinois, ID# 933071000100893):** It appears that the dog has tooth decay that needs to be treated.
 - Q. **Dayan (9-year-old, white Shepherd, ID# 900250000319112):** It appears that the dog has an ear infection that needs to be treated.
 - R. **Light Tan Boerboel kept in a kennel named "Frost":** It appears that the dog has multiple open wounds on its lower legs that need to be treated.
 - S. **German Shepherd kept in a kennel named "Duke":** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and matted fur that need to be treated.
 - T. **Willow (5-year-old, brown Boerboel, ID# 933071000174289):** It appears that the dog has multiple open wounds on its lower legs that need to be treated.
 - U. **Bullet (5-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 991001000566529):** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and hair loss on its tail that need to be treated.
 - V. **Shadow (6-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000120049):** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort, underweight and tooth decay that need to be treated.
 - W. **Jack (2-year-old, Brown and white Boerboel, ID# 933071000227937):** It appears that the dog is underweight and has multiple open wounds on its lower legs that need to be treated.
 - X. **Maya (10-year-old, Rottweiler, ID# 900250000231680):** It appears that the dog is underweight, has injured right leg, pale gums and open wounds that need to be treated.
 - Y. **Aussie (8-year-old, Weimaraner, ID# 933071000162443):** It appears that the dog is underweight, has a growth on chest, has flystrike on its ears, tooth decay and long nails that need to be treated.
 - Z. **Turbo (9-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 900250000397632):** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort and tooth decay that need to be treated.
 - AA. **Troy (9-year-old, German Shepherd, ID# 933071000023540):** It appears that the dog has hip discomfort, tooth decay and a runny but dry nose that need to be treated.
2. In relation to the above, some of the dogs should be retired and should not be working unless stated otherwise by a veterinarian. It is inhumane to keep animals suffering inside a kennel environment if they are not working anymore. Cease working those dogs immediately or provide larger enclosures for these dogs. You have the option to surrender the dogs to the SPCA if the veterinary costs are too expensive to maintain their health. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(1)(d).*
3. Mr. Nduwimana could not handle two of the aggressive dogs on site kept in cages named "Frost" and "Duke". This is unacceptable as the dogs need basic care. Ensure to get a trained staff member to work with the dogs on site to prevent the dogs from living in dirty and



4. parasitic conditions and have no access to clean, potable water and food. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(c) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(2) & 4(3)(b)(e).*
5. Your enclosures provided affords inadequate space.
 - A. Kennels/Enclosures for each dog should be 2 meters wide X 4 meters long x 1,8 high. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(2)(c) and PSIRA Act (Canine Protection).*
6. Kennels/Enclosures were seen with unsuitable flooring (gravel), puddles of dirty water and no suitable drainage. This could cause disease and cause injuries. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(e).*
 - A. Solid concrete flooring with no gaps and suitable drainage must be provided for the dogs kept inside these kennels/enclosures. *See PSIRA Act (Canine Protection) and Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(c).*
7. The kennels/enclosures were seen to have a thin shade cloth around the kennels that does not provide adequate additional shelter against the elements as it is not water or weatherproof. Ensure all enclosures/kennels have adequate cover or waterproof material on the enclosure to protect the dog against all weather elements. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(f).*
8. Some of the wooden kennels inside the kennels/enclosures were broken down, full of algae and had gaps in the roof, walls and flooring that can cause injuries and disease. Ensure all shelters provided are fixed or replaced to protect the dog against all weather elements. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(f).*
9. Some of the food and water bowls were inadequate with sharp edges that can cause injury. *See PSIRA Act (Canine Protection) and Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(b) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(4)(a).*
 - A. All dogs need to have access to suitable water and food bowls at all times.
10. Some of the dogs, especially "Turbo" was observed to be extremely scared of the worker on site. They also do not have proper or enough exercise runs available. All the dogs need to have space provided for daily exercise as they are high energy breeds. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(d).*



11. Upon arrival, it was observed that one of the gates were left open with an unidentified German Shepherd dog was roaming freely in the facility. This dog could have escaped and was left unattended when we arrived. Ensure that there are always a trained Dog Handler on site to monitor the dogs in case of emergency. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a) & (e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(b)(ii).*
12. Fence fighting between dogs were observed by dogs kept next to each other. Ensure to provide separations between every kennel/enclosure to prevent the dogs from injury. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(f).*
13. None of the trailers were observed to have non-slip flooring and some of the trailers were extremely rusted. This can cause the trailers to corrode, break and injure dogs being transported. Some of the trailers were not properly cleaned from previous visits *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(4)(h).*
 - A. Ensure to fix the rusted trailers and provide each travel compartment with non-slip flooring for all the trailers on site including CK 16602, CK 35841, CK 40498, CK 13494, CK 38755.
 - B. Ensure to clean all compartments after every trip.
14. Upon arrival, the facility was left unattended with 36 dogs. A while later, a staff member named Hassan Nduwimana (Passport/ID #DBNBDI255131008) arrived at the facility claiming he is the only staff member at the facility taking care of all the dogs. He also could not present us with his PSIRA Card. Provide the SPCA with Hassan Nduwimana's PSIRA credentials. *See Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(2) and PSIRA Act (Canine Protection).*
15. Some of the kennel/ enclosures are kept next to old wood rubble. This is a fire hazard and can cause parasitic conditions. This needs to be removed away from where the dogs are kept. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(4)(a).*
16. Overgrown grass was observed and can cause parasitic conditions and pose a fire hazard. Grass needs to be kept short at all times. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(4)(a).*
17. All the dogs but two German shepherds were observed being kept inside the kennels/enclosures for the period we were there. Provide the dogs on site with suitable exercise runs as they are high energy breeds. The dogs need to be rotated so that all of them can exercise daily. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(d).*
18. Provide the SPCA with proof of a valid Performing Animals Protection Act license to be able to train and keep these dogs. *See Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016.*



19. Provide the SPCA with proof of the company, Hassan Nduwimana (Asylum Seeker Number DBNBDI255131008), all dogs on site and the management staff's PSIRA numbers and Dog Handler Levels. *See Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016.*
20. Some of the dogs did not have microchips or their microchips were not registered. The dogs' kennels/enclosures were marked incorrectly. The worker on site cannot identify each dog. Ensure to microchip all dogs and register them. *See Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(a).*
21. A Rottweiler was used at the entrance at Boland Bins onsite. This kennel/ enclosure had excess faeces in between the flooring and on top of it. The grass surrounding it was long and bags of faeces were kept next to it. *See Animals Protection Act No 71 of 1962 Section (2)(1)(a)(e) and Performing Animals Protection Act 4 Of 2016 Section 4(3)(b).*
 - A. Ensure to clean the dog's living environment from excess faeces and cut the grass to prevent parasitic conditions at all times.
 - B. Find a suitable surface to move this kennel/enclosure to ease cleaning.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Ensure to store open bags of food in sealable containers to prevent parasitic conditions, contamination and animals falling ill.
- Pine Gel was observed being used for cleaning. Ensure to use animal safe products for cleaning such as F10 products.
- To keep organized medical and DH level records of all dogs kept on the property.
- Place the fly traps at least 10 meters away from where the dogs are kept and not against their kennels/enclosures.

We remind you to adhere to all the provisions of the Animals Protection Act 71 of 1962, Performing Animals Protection Act 24 of 1935 (as amended in 2016) & its supporting Regulations.

This warning has been issued in terms of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 169 of 1993.

Failure to comply with this warning may render you liable for prosecution under the Animals Protection Act 71 of 1962 and/or Performing Animals Protection Act 24 of 1935.

Any person who:- obstructs, hinders or resists an officer authorised in terms of the Animals Protection Act 71 of 1962 or conceals any animal shall be guilty of an offence in terms of Section 8(4) of the aforementioned Act.

SIGNED & ACCEPTED BY: Sent via email

PLACE: Cape Town DATE: 23 August 2024

INSPECTOR: Elani Graham