

WELLINGTON SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

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Complaint Reference No.

Building: OUDE WELLINGTON BRANDY ESTATE
Street: BAINSKLOOF ROAD
Suburb:
Postal Code: 7654
Inspector: INSPECTOR ONE
Date of Inspection: 2024-07-30
Time of Inspection: 14:35

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: ROLF SCHUMACHER
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REPORT

Access Granted By: Rolf Schumaker
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Owner
Captured By: INSPECTOR ONE 2024-07-30 16:27

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	No ***	Excess faeces,algae and food in bird cages
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes	
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No	
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Caged - adequate space	Birds

General Report Comments: Elani and I,Hugh arrived at the property and called from the outside.Rolf then called from the outside giving us access to the house.

We then entered and we greeted him.We then explained to him that we are here to do the follow up inspection and he then mentioned that his wife who's the owner of the birds was not there at the moment.We then said it's fine and he was willing to show us around.When asked about the husky he said he will take us to where the husky is kept.

We then went to the husky and noticed it was in okay condition .The husky was also kept apart from the rest because the dogs apparently fight amongst each other.

We then walked towards the big aviary to see the environmental enrichment that they added .We noticed that they have added some enrichment but Elani mentioned that it was still too little as the birds were alot.He was then very sarcastic and saying that he believes it's enough because they want the birds to fly.Elani then mentioned that they still need place to perch because they cannot fly day and night aswell as hang upside down 24hours.He then mentioned again that he felt it was enough.

We then walked towards the other side of the property towards the other cages that was all on one spot.We then noticed that they had moved the mustache parakeets to a larger cage with shelter.The sun canary was also looking better,more energetic and less stressed. We then had a problem with built up algae on the bottom aswell as left over foods.The cages seemed as if it hadn't been done for a while.When asked when they had done it the last time he mentioned Friday. We then mentioned that it's better if there were raised flooring so food,excess faeces and algae doesn't attach itself to the bottom of the cage.

We then walked back and Rolf asked the cleaner when last she cleaned the cages and she said she does it Mondays aswell as Fridays which means that she claims it's been done yesterday. We then noticed more birds next to the big aviary and we walked towards it. We first saw the rainbow lorikeet that has a very disgusting environment to live in(parasitic environments). We mentioned to the cleaner and she said she has a hard time cleaning that one as she needs help from someone.We then mentioned to her that the owner has to take responsibility for it being done.Further inspection also exposed inadequate roofs built.

Rolf then mentioned he is going to bed because he was not feeling to well and we continued speaking to the cleaner.We mentioned everything we expect from them and that the owner should help her aswell as provide her with adequate equipment to work with.She agreed to our demands and was also hesitant when asked for her to explain it to Zhu-Zhu. We convinced her that she was not wrong in requesting better equipment and she agreed.

Warning 036 was then issued to:

- 1.Most cages had excess faeces and food,algae built-up on the walls and floor.Clean all cages properly from excess waste within 7days(especially Rainbow lurikeets).
- 2.Provide proper roofing for the Galah birds within 14 days/move the birds to another enclosure.
- 3.Ensure all the enclosures(smaller) are raised from the flooring/ have suitable drainage for the excess faeces and food to be cleaned out within 14 days.
- 4.Ensure ro provide additional perching space for the parrot enclosure next to the house within 14days(e.g.ropes,sticks,etc)

To follow up Tuesday.

ACTIONS	
Warning Issued	036

REPORT OUTCOMES	
Follow-up inspection to be conducted	2024-08-06

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

50 x BIRDS (BIRD) - (COLOUR: Various parakeets, cockatiels, maaws and cockatoos, ringnecks) CONDITION: UNSPECIFIED

Description:

1 x DOGS (BOERBOEL) - MALE CALLED 'Gino' (COLOUR: Brown) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x DOGS (SAINT BERNARD) - MALE CALLED 'Einstein' (COLOUR: White brown black) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x DOGS (SIBERIAN HUSKY) - FEMALE CALLED 'Crystal' (COLOUR: Typical) CONDITION: UNSPECIFIED

Description:

1 x DOGS (RHODESIAN RIDGEBACK) - A STERILISED MALE CALLED 'Rocco' (COLOUR: Brown) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x DOGS (ROTTWEILER) - A STERILISED MALE CALLED 'Remi' (COLOUR: Black and brown) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x DOGS (ROTTWEILER) - A STERILISED MALE CALLED 'Romi' (COLOUR: Black and white) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x DOGS (X BREED (UNKNOWN)) - A STERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Vlooi' (COLOUR: Black and white) CONDITION: Good

Description:

1 x HORSES / DONKEYS (HORSE) - AN UNSTERILISED FEMALE CALLED 'Ameera' (COLOUR: Grey) CONDITION: Swayback