



VETERINARY REPORT

To whom it may concern

On 14 November 2023, the dog was surrendered to the SPCA by Cheryl Lynne.

ANIMAL DETAILS

Species: Canine
Breed: Rottweiler
Sex: Male
Age: Adult
Tattoo/Microchip/Other: Nil
Name: Unknown
Description: Black and Tan
Weight: 16.5 kg
Admission number: A10335

EXAMINATION FINDINGS

On examination, the dog was had a temperature of 39.4 degrees. Blood smear done, no abnormalities noted. Dog had episodes of diarrhoea.

According to Nestlé PURINA Body Condition System, this dogs body condition score was 1.5/9. The dog also had presence of fleas.

COMMENTS

The dog is temperamental when handled and requires behavioural assessment.

The dog is currently being treated with antibiotics and supportive treatment for diarrhoea.

This dog is extremely underweight. Being denied food or a medical condition (e.g. chronic diarrhoea/ untreated episodes of diarrhoea) leading to the exceptionally poor body condition should have required sooner intervention. The dog should have received timeous veterinary intervention to prevent suffering and treatment. Denying the dog appropriate care was extremely neglectful and resulted in this animal suffering.

Yours sincerely

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