



Licence no: PAL/08/801/249

PERFORMING ANIMALS PROTECTION ACT, 2016 (Act No. 4 of 2016)

LICENCE TO USE ANIMALS FOR SAFEGUARDING

This licence is hereby granted to –

Name of applicant: Michael Bertram

Designation: Owner

Trading as **(Company/Business name):** Ranger Guard Services (PTY) LTD

Permanent address (primary facility) Frankdale Road, Visserhok, Milnerton

Details of **other licenced facilities (secondary)** where security services are rendered:

Name of facility	Address	Date and duration of intended stay
Ranger Office	19 Demisi Street Brooklyn, 7405	As per contract

This licence is applicable to the following **animals**:

Species /Breeds	Nature of Activity	Number
Dogs – German Shepherd	Safeguarding	4

Special conditions in terms of Act 24/35 Sec 7 (d), Read with Amendment Act 4 of 2016 Sec 3C (1) (h):

1. On request, the PAPA licence must be presented to a police officer, including an animal welfare inspector authorised as a police officer in terms of Section 8 of the Animal Protection Act, (Act 71 of 1962).
2. A police officer must be allowed access, in terms of Act 4 of 2016, Section 4, at any reasonable time to a premise, place or vehicle whereby performing animals may be used.
3. When animals under this licence are moved to a facility not listed on this licence, the licencing officer has to be notified 7 days before the intended movement, in line with Regulation 6. This will also be applicable to movements of new animals to this facility.
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5. Any restraining methods used on the animals shall not cause pain, injury or suffering and should be supplemented with species appropriate measures to reduce stress.
6. It remains the responsibility of the licence holder to feed, care for and house all the above mentioned animals and maintain the facilities, transport and other equipment to meet all the animal welfare needs.
7. It remains the responsibility of the licence holder to ensure that the facility veterinarian will visit the facility at least twice per year at an interval of at least 4 months apart.
8. The officer has to be informed if there is any change to the number or type of species used

9. *It remains the responsibility of the licence holder to ensure that he/she submits the correct PAPA application form, correctly completed, at least 2 months before a valid PAPA licence expires, to papa@dalrrd.gov.za and Cc Dr Pepler here in the province Ansulize.Pepler@westerncape.gov.za and papa.els@westerncape.gov.za. The form is available on the Elsenburg website: <https://www.elsenburg.com/veterinary-services/> .
The full address is: <https://www.elsenburg.com/performing-animals-protection-act-licensing/>.*
10. *It remains the responsibility of the licence holder to ensure that the facility veterinarian will visit the facility at least twice per year at an interval of at least 4 months apart.*
11. *Only fit, healthy and appropriately trained dogs and/or horses may be used.*
12. *Safeguarding dogs may only work with a PSIRA registered dog handler (DH) trained to the same level as the dog, for example DH2-patrolling and deter crime, DH4-searching and apprehension off-leash or DH5-detection.*
13. *Assessment of dogs and dog handlers to confirm/maintain their grading and update their certification should be conducted annually*
14. *For short resting periods during a working shift, the dog must be secured in an appropriate sized duty enclosure with an appropriate sized kennel and fresh water. The dog may not be left unattended at a facility during or between working shifts.*
15. *Dogs must return to an off-site off-duty enclosure (primary facility) between working shifts and off days where appropriate care and exercise routines are maintained.*
16. *If off-duty enclosures are not located off-site (animals are permanently on site) the enclosures must be built, equipped and the animals managed during the off-duty period at the same standard as at a primary facility. A registered DH1 (minimum requirement) dog handler and/or inspector must check on the dogs off-duty and take them to a safe exercise camp/area/activity where the dog has the opportunity for natural behaviour, including elimination behaviour (urination and defaecation) and possibly playing activities/exercise, at least once in a 12 hour off-duty period. During this time the enclosure should be cleaned*
17. *For short resting periods during a working shift, the dog must safely be removed from the vehicle, to allow for urination/defaecation, movement/exercise and have fresh water. The dog may not be left unattended in a vehicle during or between working shifts.*
18. *Minimum operating, equipment and facility (vehicle) standards should be maintained in order to ensure the welfare of the animals, for example fresh air and a comfortable ambient temperature is required.*
19. *Should dogs be utilised at facilities that are not listed on the current licence for a period longer than five days, the licence holder must supply (email) the relevant site details (client, address, contract period) as well as any additional number of animals used, amendments to SOP's, etc. to the licencing officer, requesting an amendment of the licence, within 7 days after the dogs' arrival at the new facility. . Please always Cc papa.els@westerncape.gov.za and Dr Pepler: Ansulize.Pepler@westerncape.gov.za .*
20. *This licence is issued subject to the registration of Dog Handlers (DH) with PSIRA. Registration is only valid upon submission of DH training by a PSIRA/SASSETA registered training facility.*

This licence is valid from date of issue: **13 March 2023** until expiry date: **12 March 2024**

Convictions/contraventions in terms of the PAPA, 2016 (Act No. 4 of 2016) and APA, 1962 (Act No. 71 of 1962) if applicable: None.

This licence is granted subject to the provisions of the **Performing Animals Protection Act, 2016 (Act No. 4 of 2016)**, the **Animals Protection Act, 1962 (Act No. 71, 1962)**, the **Regulations** made under the aforementioned Acts.

This licence does not absolve the licence holder from obtaining any other relevant permissions, movement notices, licenses and/or permits.

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Expire: 12 March 2024

Licensing Officer: Dr Ansulize Pepler

Official Stamp

Signature:



Place: Worcester

Date: 13 March 2023

State Veterinarian: Worcester

Email address: PAPA.els@westerncape.gov.za

Official telephone: 021 808 5253

