

PET SHOP CHECK LIST**Inspection Details**

This is an internal document to be used by Inspectors to guide them in undertaking a basic pet shop inspection. The most common species have been included here together with common concerns but it is up to the inspector to find out more information, ask questions and ensure that appropriate action is taken to ensure the welfare of the animals is protected.

Explanatory Note: When completing this checklist, the relative observations can be circled or underlined and or inspectors comments recorded on the line above. For example:

Hygiene of cages: Overall good – cages being cleaned during inspection Hamsters
Good Fair Bad Excess Faeces Old/Soiled Food

Name of Pet Shop: Christopher Danks Burgundy Pet Shop
 Address: A23 Milnerton business park Milnerton
 Name of Owner: Christopher Danks Cell: 0825551373
 Tel: 021 5580159 Fax/Email: _____
 Veterinarian: Panorremis vet Tel: _____

GENERAL

What happens to sick animals: take it to a vet

 What happens to animals after hours: h

 What treatment do Puppies get: N/A

 What treatment do Kittens get: N/A

 Quarantine Cages Provided: Yes

 Rodent control: glue traps

 Suppliers of animals: breeders

 Do they breed: NO

 If breeding, what happens to offspring: N/A

 If removed for hand rearing, from what age: N/A

 Reason for hand rearing: N/A

RODENTS

Numbers: Rats 0 Mice 0 Guinea Pigs 0 Hamsters 12
 Group structures small group
 Compatibility of Groups _____
 Space _____
 Cage Maintenance _____
 Are cages raised off the ground to prevent handling/accidental kicking/reduce stress: Yes
 Hygiene of cages _____
 Ventilation _____
 Draughts _____
 Temperature _____
 Do they allow breeding _____
 How do staff handle animals _____
 Do they allow public to handle the animals _____
 Hiding areas _____
 Bedding eco pellets
 Is bedding clean & absorbent _____
 Cleaning routine 2 per day 2 per week
 Water _____
 Hygiene of water provision _____
 Diet _____
 Frequency of feed daily Do they remove old food? Yes ☒ No _____
 Is the diet _____
 Are the animals fully weaned _____
 Condition of animals _____
 Describe Concerns N/A
 How are rodents transported from the shop Carreir
 Where are unweaned rodents kept N/A
 Are unweaned rodents sold live? N/A
 How are rodents killed (as reptile food)? N/A

PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Puppy Numbers & Breeds: _____

Kitten Numbers: _____ Rabbit Numbers: _____

Group structures _____

Compatibility of Groups _____

Space _____

Cage Maintenance _____

Hygiene of cages _____

Ventilation _____

Draughts _____

Temperature _____

Shelter provided in outside pens _____

Do they allow breeding _____

How do staff handle animals _____

Do they allow public to handle animals: Adults _____ Children (Age) _____ Under supervision _____

Floor construction: _____

Bedding: _____

Is Bedding Clean & Absorbent: _____

Cleaning routine _____ per day _____ per week

Water _____

Hygiene of water provision _____

Diet for Puppies _____ Kittens _____

Diet for Rabbits _____

Is the diet _____

Frequency of feed _____ Do they remove old food? Yes _____ No _____

Are the animals fully weaned? _____

Condition of animals _____

Describe Concerns _____

FISH

Hygiene of tanks _____

Is water clean _____

Is equipment (nets/heaters) in good repair Yes

Do the tanks have efficient aeration _____

Do the tanks have filtration YesIs water in tanks tested appropriately for temperature/pH/ammonia/nitrites/oxygen Yes ☒ No _____Are the tanks enriched Some don't haveAre the tanks overstocked SAre lights turned off at night for fish to rest NO

Do tanks have covers _____

Water at proper level (should be small gap between top of water and cover) Yes

Condition of animals _____

Describe Concerns N/ATemperature Suitable Yes

How often are the fish fed: _____

Is enough species specific food given _____

In the event of a power failure is the pet shop owner / attendant informed: Yes

How do staff handle animals _____

Any dead fish observed: Describe Reason NO

Compatibility of Groups _____

How are fish destroyed when necessary Take to a vetDo Aquatic Amphibians have a shelf or floating island to enable them to get out of the water
N/A

How do the buyers transport the fish from the shop _____

Is the chlorine removed from tap water before adding to tanks
(Aerated for 24 hours or a de-chlorinating product used)? Yes

BIRDS

Bird Numbers & Breeds 40
 Group structures _____
 Compatibility of Groups _____
 Space _____
 Cage Maintenance _____
 Hygiene of cages old faeces
 Ventilation _____
 Are birds exposed to draughts _____
 Are birds left in full sun _____
 Temperature _____
 Shelter provided in outside pens N/A
 Adequate perch space _____
 Are perches placed above each other (causing faeces to drop onto birds below) _____
 Suppliers of birds breeders
 How do staff handle animals _____
 Cleaning routine _____ per day 2 per week
 Water _____
 Hygiene of water provision _____
 Diet for Birds species specific food
 Frequency of feed: day once a day Do they remove old food: Yes No _____
 Is the diet _____
 Are the animals fully weaned _____
 Condition of animals _____
 Describe Concerns N/A
 How are birds transported from the shop carriers

REPTILES

Reptile Numbers & Breeds _____

Group structures _____

Compatibility of Groups _____

Space _____

Cage/Tank Maintenance _____

Hygiene of cages _____

Are reptiles left in full sun _____

Temperature Suitable _____

How do staff handle animals _____

Do they allow public to handle the animals _____

Handled by: Adults _____ Children (Age) _____ Only under supervision _____

Venomous snakes: Are staff trained to handle _____

Security/safety _____

Are tank covers secure to prevent escape _____

Enrichment/Hiding Area _____

Bedding _____

Is bedding clean & absorbent _____

Cleaning routine _____ per day _____ per week

Heating _____

Safety of heat source _____

Water _____

Hygiene of water provision _____

Diet for reptiles _____

Source of prey _____

Frequency of feed _____ Do they remove old food? Yes _____ No _____

Condition of animals _____

Describe concerns _____

How are reptiles transported from the shop _____

SPIDERS & SCORPIONS, INSECTS

Numbers & Breeds: _____

Group structures _____

Compatibility of Groups _____

Space _____

Cage/Tank Maintenance _____

Hygiene of cages _____

Are Tarantulas protected from bright lights/full sun which will dry them out _____

Temperature Suitable _____

How do staff handle animal _____

Do they allow public to handle the animals _____

Handled by: Adults _____ Children (Age) _____ Only under supervision _____

Security/safety _____

Are tank covers secure to prevent escape _____

Enrichment/Hiding Area _____

Substrate _____

Is substrate Clean & Absorbent _____

Cleaning routine _____ per day _____ per week

Heating _____

Safety of Heat Source _____

Water _____

Hygiene of water provision: _____

Diet for Animals _____

Source of Food _____

Frequency of feed _____ Do they remove old food: Yes _____ No _____

Condition of animals _____

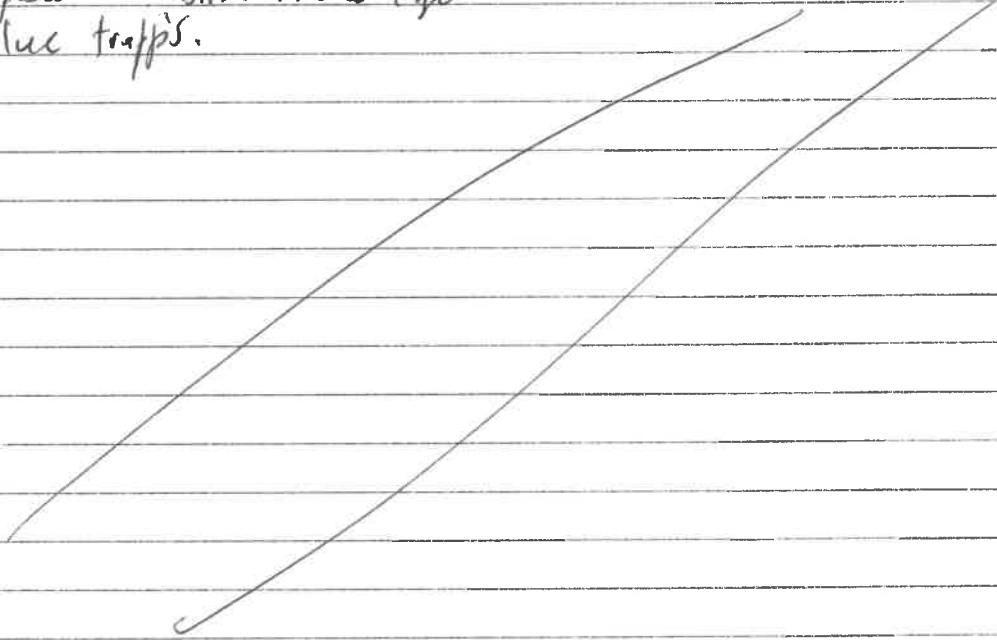
Describe concerns _____

How are animals transported from the shop: _____

ON COMPLETION OF INSPECTION COMPLETE THIS SECTION:

Was a warning given? (Copy to be attached)

Yes Yes No _____Comments:

1. environmental enriched for birds within 7 days
 2. environmental enriched for birds within 7 days
 3. cleaning of the cages daily
 4. different species of birds in one cage
 5. 14x glue traps.
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