



BOARDING FACILITY INSPECTION CHECKLIST

Name of Boarding facility: The hope foundation for cats Area: Melkbosrand

Physical address: 14 Teuton Rd, Melkbosstrand, Cape Town

Owner name & surname: Mirinda De Jonge Cell: 078 905 3134

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Manager name & surname: _____ Cell: _____

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Veterinarian Hakuna Matata Veterinarian Tel/Cell: 021 554 2115

Animal related qualifications (manager/care taker): None

Describe operation Rescue organization

Date of inspection: 09/19/2023 Time arrived: 13:15 Time departure: 13:53

Inspector/s Jason Page

GENERAL	
Emergency Plan in place and accessible?	Yes Fire / flood evacuation etc
Are all staff members aware of this plan?	Yes
Are there disinfectant protocols in place	F10 Recommend F10 disinfectant
Rodent control	None Open Poison/Poison Stations/Poison Pipes/Live Traps/Rat Traps
Howe many staff?	6

Type and number of animals:

Dogs	Cats	Rodents	Birds	Farm	Other
0	69	0	0	0	0

HYGIENE	
Are the general areas clean and neat?	Yes
Cleaning products used?	F10 Recommend F10 disinfectant
Rodent control?	N/A Open Poison/Poison Stations/Poison Pipes/Live Traps/Rat Traps
Fly control?	Fly Glue Traps Fly traps / Correctly placed and filled / Areas clean / Describe
Fly traps suitably sited?	Close enough to lure flies but not so close to animals that they attract flies
Fly protection on animals	None

HEALT MANAGEMENT	
Must animals be vaccinated before accepted?	Yes
Does each animal come with a vaccination record?	Yes

What happens to sick animals	Taken to vet	Self-medicate	New owners must treat	Taken to vet		
Quarantine Area Provided	Yes	Yes	No	None Seen	Separate Room	
Current external parasite control protocol	A product called advantage					
Average body condition of animals?	Fair	Underweight	Poor	Fair	Good	Other

KENNELS / ENCLOSURES	
Number of kennels/enclosures	N/A
Size of kennels/enclosures	Should be large enough to allow the confined animal to express its natural behaviour
Description of kennels/enclosures	Free roaming on property
Number of exercise runs	
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Description of exercise runs	
Group structures	All together, very old cats seperated All together
Compatibility of Groups	Good, no fighting observed Fighting Bullying Describe Above
Maintenance of kennels/enclosures	Good Well maintained no harmful features Minor maintenance required Poorly maintained/harmful features (describe)
Is the flooring suitable and well maintained?	Yes Flooring should be non-slip Flooring should not have holes (often caused by pawing of animals)
Is the drainage suitable?	Yes Urine or water doesn't pool in an area or if so this is swept out daily
Type & Quantity of bedding	Blankets, cat beds (Must be deep enough for comfort/rest/absorption) Shavings Newspaper Other (describe)
Is bedding hygienic?	Yes Faeces/ Urine lifted daily & more bedding added All bedding replaced weekly / bi-monthly Unsuitably soiled & high ammonia
Describe water containers?	Water gountains, ceramic water bowls Water containers Other
Describe feed containers?	Plastic flat plates, stainless steel food bowls Plastic flat plates Stainless steel food bowls Other (describe) Not advisable
How do staff handle animals	Good Good Fair Poor Unacceptable
Environmental enrichment	Good

KITCHEN / FEED ROOM	
Are the feed room/s clean?	Yes Messed food swept away daily / no spoilage on the floor(s) / unhygienic smell
Are feed drums labelled?	No Recommended to avoid errors in feeding
Is there a feed board?	No Especially where there are many animal feed boards record what animals should be fed when and what
Is medication stored separately from feed area?	Yes Preferable to avoid contamination

Photos taken Yes Warning Issued No Warning Number _____

Comments by Inspector:

Even though no contravention in terms of the APA, they have 69 cats in a residential property which is in contravention of the bylaws.