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Inspectors: Jeffery Mani + Julian v/d Zandt

Re: Injury of cow that fell into a drain/ hole.

I hereby certify that I attended to an injured cow on Mr Braaf's farm in Macassar on the 2nd of October 2024.

The cow had multiple abrasions all over her body, especially around the hind quarters, probably caused by the struggle to get out of the drain.

The most severe lesion was a cut wound medial and above the hoof coronet of the left hind leg. The leg was also swollen from the hoof coronet to the hock.

The cow was slightly lame in the left hind leg, but was walking freely, and eating and drinking water.

Mr Braaf immediately treated the cow with antibiotics after the incident on 30/09/24.

I treated the cow with an analgesic and antibiotics, and left some for Mr Braaf to inject.

The cow has a good prognosis and should recover completely.

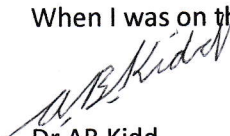
I contacted Mr Braaf on 7/10/2024, and he was satisfied with the recovery of the cow.

Inspector Rudolf Philander:

Re: Three calves of Mr Braaf that were injured in a motor vehicle accident in July 2024.

I contacted Mr Braaf about the case, and he confirmed that all three calves recovered.

When I was on the farm on 2/10/24 and I did not see the calves.


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