



PET SHOP CHECK LIST

Case Number: 200469

Date of Inspection: November 28, 2024

Time of Inspection: 13:05

Name & Surname of Inspector/s: Rowan Davids

Name of Petshop: Lansdowne petshop

Address: Main road , 558 Lansdowne road
Lansdowne

Name of Owner: ragmaan Abduragmaan

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Does this shop sell animals? Yes

GENERAL

What happens to sick animals? Self medicate

What happens to animals after hours: Kept in shop

What treatment do Puppies get: N/A

What treatment do Kittens get: N/A

Quarantine Cages provided for sick or new animals: No

What Rodent control does the shop use? Cat

Suppliers of animals:

	Animal type	Supplier name	Contact
1	Birds	Private breeder	Staff don't know
2	Fish	Daro	Staff don't know
3	Rabbits	Private breeder	Staff don't know

Do they breed? No

If breeding, what happens to the offspring? N/A

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

RODENTS

Are there Rodents? Yes

Numbers of live rodents

	Total number
Guinea Pigs	2

Group Structures Same sizes together

Compatibility of Groups Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space Good (Play & move normally)

Cage Maintenance Good

Hygiene of cages Smell of urine

Are cages raised off the ground to prevent handling/accidental kicking/reduce stress: Yes

Ventilation Poor (Ammonia Smell) ***

Draughts No

Temperature Comfortable (20°C- 24°C)

Do they allow breeding? No

How do staff handle animals? Fair

Do they allow public to handle the animals? No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	N/A	Yes	N/A	Yes

Hiding areas Fair (not enough) ***

Bedding description

	YES or NO	Type of bedding	Does it need to be changed?	Comments?
Is the bedding clean and absorbent?	No ***	Straw	Yes ***	Smells of urine

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done		2 times

Water provision

	YES or NO	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Clean	None

Is the diet	Good & Nutritious
Diet	Good Pellets
Frequency of feeding?	Twice a day
Do they remove old food?	Yes
Are the animals fully weaned	Yes (feeding themselves well)
Health concerns	No concerns noted
How are rodents transported from the shop	Travel boxes
Where are unweaned rodents kept?	N/A
Are unweaned rodents sold live?	No (Good)
How are rodents killed (as reptile food)?	N/A

Please describe any concerns relating to the rodents

Urine smell

PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Are there puppies, kittens &/or rabbits? Yes

Numbers of live puppies, kittens & rabbits

	Numbers	Breeds
Puppies	N/A	N/A
Kittens	N/A	N/A
Rabbits	5	X breed

What treatment do Puppies get:	N/A
What treatment do Kittens get:	N/A
Group Structures	Same sizes together
Compatibility of Groups	Good (Play & Positive Interaction)
Space	Good (Play & move normally)
Cage Maintenance	Good
Hygiene of cages	Urine smell

Draughts	No
Ventilation	Good (Fresh & Clean)
Temperature	Comfortable (20°C- 24°C)
Shelter provided in outside pens	Not applicable
Do they allow breeding?	No
How do staff handle animals?	Fair
Do they allow public to handle the animals?	No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	N/A	Yes	N/A	Yes

Hiding areas Fair (not enough) ***

Floor construction: Glass tanks

Bedding Straw

Bedding description

	YES or NO	Type of bedding	Does it need to be changed?	Comments?
Is the bedding clean and absorbent?	No	Straw	Yes	Smell of urine

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done		2 times

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	None

Diet

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
Puppies	N/A				
Kittens	N/A				
Rabbits	Pallets/hay	2 x Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	

Are the animals fully weaned Yes (feeding themselves well)

	Condition of animals
Puppies	N/A
Kittens	N/A
Rabbits	Good

Health concerns No concerns noted

How are animals transported from the shop Travel boxes

Please describe any concerns relating to Puppies, Kittens and/or Rabbits

The rabbits living environment is dirty as there is a smell of urine and lack of hiding places

FISH

Are there Fish? Yes

Numbers of live fish

	Breed	Numbers
1	Cichlids	3
2	Guppy	15
3	Koi	45
4	Angel fish	10

Hygiene of tanks Good

Is water clean Clear (see fish clearly)

Is equipment (nets/heaters) in good repair Good

Do the tanks have efficient aeration Good (Bubbles)

Do the tanks have filtration Good

Is water in tanks tested appropriately for temperature/pH/ammonia/nitrites/oxygen Yes

Are the tanks enriched Plants

Are the tanks overstocked Good

Are lights turned off at night for fish to rest Yes

Do tanks have covers Yes

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

Condition of animals Good

Describe Concerns	No concerns observed
Temperature Suitable - Goldfish 10°C – 22°C	Yes
Temperature Suitable - Tropical fish 23°C- 27°C	Yes
How often are the fish fed:	Daily
Is enough species specific food given	Yes
In the event of a power failure is the pet shop owner / attendant informed:	Yes
How do staff handle animals	Good
Any dead fish observed: Describe Reason	None
Compatibility of Groups	Good
How are fish destroyed when necessary	Acceptable - submersion in clove oil (and other suitable chemicals)
Do 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	In strong plastic bags pumped with pure oxygen
Is the chlorine removed from tap water before adding to tanks(Aerated for 24 hours or a de-chlorinating product used)?	Yes
Please describe any concerns relating to the fish	Little to no hiding places

BIRDS

Are there Birds? Yes

Numbers of live birds

	Breed	Numbers	Condition of birds
1	Pigeon	9	Fair
2	Finch	22	Fair
3	Cockatiel	3	Fair
4	Tokozeli	2	Fair
5	Budgies	7	Fair

Diet - with reference to the table above

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
1	Various species specific food	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	None

Group Structures	Same sizes together
Compatibility of Groups	Good (Play & Positive Interaction)
Space	Good (Play & move normally)
Cage Maintenance	Good
Hygiene of cages	Good
Ventilation	Good (Fresh & Clean)
Are birds exposed to draughts?	No
Are birds left in full sun?	No
Temperature	Comfortable
Shelter provided in outside pens	Not applicable
Adequate Perch Space - Note: Birds need more horizontal space than vertical. Approx 10cm horizontal space per bird such as parakeets	Good (all can rest on perches at same time)
Is the thickness of the perch adequate?	Yes
Are perches placed above each other (causing faeces to drop onto birds below?)	Yes ***
Do they allow breeding?	No
Suppliers of birds	Private breeder
How do staff handle animals?	Good
Do they allow public to handle the animals?	No

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	N/A	Yes	N/A	Yes

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done		2 times

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	None

Are the animals fully weaned Yes (feeding themselves well)

Health concerns No concerns observed

How are birds transported from the shop

Please describe any concerns relating to Birds

Food bowls are under the perches

REPTILES

Are there reptiles? **Not sold**

SPIDERS, SCORPIONS & INSECTS

Are there spiders, scorpions &/or insects? Not sold

General comments

Lack of maintenance with the rabbits and guinea pigs tanks, no hiding places in the fish tanks and the birds food bowls are under the perches.

Was a warning issued? Yes

Warning number 21211

Is a follow up necessary Yes

Date for follow up December 3, 2024