



PET SHOP CHECK LIST

Case Number: 208486

Date of Inspection: December 10, 2024

Time of Inspection: 15:35

Name & Surname of Inspector/s: Clodeen Arnolds

Name of Petshop: Premium Pets

Address: 2, Annandale
Kuilsriver

Name of Owner: Belal Hossain

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Does this shop sell animals? Yes

GENERAL

What happens to sick animals? Self medicate, Taken to vet

What happens to animals after hours: Kept in shop

What treatment do Puppies get: None

What treatment do Kittens get: None

Quarantine Cages provided for sick or new animals: Yes

What Rodent control does the shop use? N/A

Suppliers of animals:

	Animal type	Supplier name	Contact
1	Birds	Public	N/A
2	Fish	Nembwe	0839487007
3	Rabbits	Public	N/A
4	Rodents	Public	N/A

Do they breed? No

If breeding, what happens to the offspring? Parent Reared

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

RODENTS

Are there Rodents?

Yes

Numbers of live rodents

	Total number
Rats	0
Mice	0
Guinea Pigs	0
Hamsters	1
Other	0

Group Structures

Mother & Young Separate

Compatibility of Groups

Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space

Good (Play & move normally)

Cage Maintenance

Good

Hygiene of cages

Fair

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

Yes

Ventilation

Good (No 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?

Not seen

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

Hiding areas

Good (Box/Plastic Container)

Bedding description

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

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	Once a day	Everyday

Water provision

	YES or NO	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Clean	

Is the diet	Good & Nutritious
Diet	Good Pellets, Fresh Vegetables
Frequency of feeding?	Daily
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	Buyers usually have carriers.
Where are unweaned rodents kept?	Good (with mother)
Are unweaned rodents sold live?	No (Good)
How are rodents killed (as reptile food)?	Not Applicable - purchase dead rodents
Please describe any concerns relating to the rodents	N/A

PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Are there puppies, kittens &/or rabbits? Yes

Numbers of live puppies, kittens & rabbits

	Numbers	Breeds
Puppies	0	
Kittens	0	
Rabbits	15	

What treatment do Puppies get:	None
What treatment do Kittens get:	None
Group Structures	Mother & Young Separate
Compatibility of Groups	Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space	Good (Play & move normally)
Cage Maintenance	Good
Hygiene of cages	Fair
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?	Not seen

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	N/A		N/A	

Hiding areas Good (Box/Plastic Container)

Floor construction: Plastic cage bottom

Bedding Sawdust, Cardboard box

Bedding description

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

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	Once a day	Daily

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	

Diet

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
Puppies	0				

Do the tanks have filtration	Good
Is water in tanks tested appropriately for temperature/pH/ammonia/nitrites/oxygen	Yes
Are the tanks enriched	Plants, Hiding areas, Rocks, Gravel
Are the tanks overstocked	Fair
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	Fair
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	Fair
Any dead fish observed: Describe Reason	Nkne
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	Cages is fairly kept.

BIRDS

Are there Birds? Yes

Numbers of live birds

	Breed	Numbers	Condition of birds
1	Lovebirds	7	Fair
2	Halfcorneal	2	Fair
3	Fins	10	Fair

Diet - with reference to the table above

	Feed type and brand	Frequency	Is the diet?	Do they remove old food	Comments
1	Wild bird	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	Fairly mixed
2	Parrot	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	Fairly mixed
3	Parrot tropical	Daily	Good & Nutritious	Yes	Fairly mixed

Group Structures Mother & Young Separate

Compatibility of Groups Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

Space Good (Play & move normally)

Cage Maintenance Good

Hygiene of cages Fair

Ventilation Good (Fresh & Clean)

Are birds exposed to draughts? No

Are birds left in full sun? No

Temperature Comfortable

Shelter provided in outside pens Good

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?) No

Do they allow breeding? No

Suppliers of birds Public

How do staff handle animals?

Fair

Do they allow public to handle the animals?

Not seen

	Adults	Supervised	Children	Supervised
Handling	N/A		N/A	

Cleaning routine

	Per day	Per week
How often is cleaning done	Daily	Daily

Water provision

	YES or NO	Bowl type	Hygiene of water provision	Comments
Water	Yes	Non-Tip Bowl	Clean	

Are the animals fully weaned

Yes (feeding themselves well)

Health concerns

No concerns observed

How are birds transported from the shop

Buyers usually have carriers

Please describe any concerns relating to Birds

Birds are fairly kept

REPTILES

Are there reptiles?

Not sold

SPIDERS, SCORPIONS & INSECTS

Are there spiders, scorpions &/or insects?

Not sold

General comments

Owner is keeping up with what has been told.

Was a warning issued?

No

Is a follow up necessary

No