

INSPECTOR NOTE

Building:	37623
Street:	48 KHALI STREET
Suburb:	KHAYELITSHA
Postal Code:	7784
Date:	2025-10-10
Time:	12:31
Inspector:	DOCKET REGISTERED
Type:	DOCKET DISCUSSION
Follow-Up Date:	
Comments:	I received a phone call from the IO, a Det/Cst. Magoda who explained to me that they will be closing the case and not prosecuting anyone as in their opinion there was no intention to injure or starve the dog – thus the elements of a crime are not present. I explained that under the Animal Protection Act they still committed an offence in cruelly chaining the dog and failing to provide care to the dog , regardless of any intention. I went as far to read the applicable sections of the Animal Protection Act to the IO, I informed the IO that even the vet report indicated that this suffering was prolonged . Still the IO said there is no case and they will be closing the docket. I informed the IO that I will chat to the Chief and our Attorney to provide further guidance. Cst. Magoda stated that they will make a note in the SAP5.
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