



VETERINARY REPORT

On the 7th of February 2025,

I, Dr Anja Coulthard, was requested to perform a veterinary report on a dog confiscated by the SPCA by Inspector Jeffrey Mfini from address 69 Epsom Road, Beacon Valley, Cape Town.

ANIMAL DETAILS

Name: Unknown
Species: Canine
Breed: Pitbull
Sex: Male intact
Age: ~ 6 weeks to 2 months
Description: Tan and white
Case number: Admission number A55586

EXAMINATION FINDINGS

- **Description** of the condition

The puppy presented dull, weak and severely emaciated with a body condition score of 1 out of 9 on the Nestle Purina body condition system. He had a severe flea burden and ticks in his ears. Heart rate and respiratory rate were within normal limits.

Duration of the condition

Subacute to chronic.

- **Cause** of the condition

In my experience emaciation of this extent occurs due to prolonged malnutrition

- **Prognosis** – Poor.

- **Comment:** This dog was unfortunately euthanized and therefore further examination and further comments can not be provided.

Yours sincerely

Dr A Coulthard (BVSc)

Veterinarian

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