



Inspector's Report

Case number:219433

Address:16 Oppermanspoord, Strandfontein

Stage of investigation:Initial Investigation

Date of inspection:August 5, 2025

Time of inspection:15:48

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS :

☒ Details:

Name & surname:Roslin Hermanus

ID number:8211190123088

REPORT :

Access granted by:Roslin Hermanus

Were any animals seen on the property?Yes

List animals seen:

	Type	Breed	Sex	Age	Colour	Name
Animal 1	Dog	xbreed	Female	adult	black/White	Roxy
Animal 2	Sheep	typical		adult	white/Black	
Animal 3	Sheep	typical	Male	adult	Brown/White	
Animal 4	Sheep	typical		adult	White	
Animal 5	Sheep	typical		Juvenile	White/Black	
Animal 6	Poultry	mixed		x12	typical	

FINDINGS :

Confinement of animal/s:Free roaming - in property

Adequate space:Yes

Clean living environment:No ***

Water available:	No ***
Adequate shelter available:	Yes
Animal/s in good condition:	Yes
Veterinary problems / health concerns:	No

Comments, if any:

Upon arrival, myself and Inspector Davids introduced ourselves and explained to the owner of the animals that we are conducting door-to-door inspections. the owner then allowed us access to the property.

We observed a total of 4 sheep on the property, which included a lamb and the mother as well. There was adequate space for the sheep and there was shelter as well. There was no water available and the enclosure for the sheep was partially filled with water resulting in the sheep standing wet mud for an extended period of time. The roughage for the sheep was also strewn across the muddy and wet surface, which is a concern as they may ingest mud or sand and could cause sand colic potentially. there was also no straw/bedding for the sheep.

The area was shared by 12 chickens as well, they had adequate shelter, there was no water available and they were also in a wet muddy area that required mucking out or drying.

The owner also had one xbreed dog that had access to adequate shelter in the form of a small room that leads from the outside into the house and provided protection from the elements and also allowed for adequate space. There was water available for the dog in that area where it sleeps.

A warning was issued by Inspector Davids to:

1. Ensure all the animals have access to water at all times.
2. Dry and clean the farm animals living environment within 7 days.
3. Put down straw/bedding for the sheep.

A follow up will be conducted to ensure that the owner is compliant with the warning which has been issued.

Legislation:

Section 2(1) (c), (e) in terms of the Animals Protection Act 71 of 1962 for failing to ensure water is available at all times and not withheld unnecessarily and failing to maintain a clean and hazard free living environment

ACTION TAKEN :

☒ Warning issued

Number: 22275

OUTCOME / FOLLOW-UP :

☒ Follow-up inspection to be conducted

Follow-up inspection date / period: **August 12, 2025**