

INSPECTOR NOTE

Building: INFORMAL HAWKERS

Street: CNR HINDLE ROAD

Suburb: DELFT

Postal Code: 7100

Date: 2025-08-21

Time: 08:38

Inspector: JULIAN VAN DER ZANDT

Type: CASE DISCUSSION NOTE

Follow-Up Date:

Comments:

Case number: 219436
Address: C/O Hindle Road and Delft Main Road, Delft

Stage of investigation: Initial Investigation
Inspector/s: Julian Van Der Zandt and Rowan Davids
Date of inspection: 05-08-2025

Time of inspection: 11:16
Details:
RESPONDENT'S DETAILS
Name & surname: Kadhanga

REPORT

Access granted by: Annatoria Mbaimrai

Were any animals seen on the property? Yes
List animals seen: Type Breed Sex Age Colour Name
Animal 1 Poultry Chicken adult white x27
Animal 2
Animal 3
Animal 4
Animal 5
Animal 6
Animal 7
Animal 8
Animal 9
Animal 10

FINDINGS

Confinement of animal/s: Caged - inadequate space ***
Reason for being chained or caged: Informal Hawkers
Adequate space: No ***
Clean living environment: Yes
Water available: No ***
Adequate shelter available: Yes
Animal/s in good condition: No ***

Upon arrival, Inspector David's and I introduced ourselves to the chicken hawker and informed her that we are conducting inspections in the area specifically for hawking sites and she allowed us to conduct our inspection.

Unfortunately the owner of the site was not present and the worker did not have any details besides her last name.

We observed 27 chickens inside the cages, there was no water available even though there was water and water buckets on-site. We informed the worker that the chickens must have water at all times. The

cages appeared to be fairly clean and there was no excessive faeces observed. There was an issue of overcrowding and we ensured that the worker moved some chickens to different cages to allow for more space. The cages did not appear to have any protruding edges/wires and there was flooring to prevent dirt or faeces dropping on the birds below.

The worker was observed carrying birds without due care and by the wings as well, we immediately corrected this and told her to immediately stop doing so. We also observed a one chicken that had a significant wound to its rear side that the other chickens were pecking at excessively. We made her separate this chicken and told her that she must either seek adequate veterinary attention or we can slaughter it, she chose to have it slaughtered and keep the carcass.

I then removed the injured chicken and took it behind our vehicle so that it would be out of sight of the other chickens. Inspector David's held the chicken and i slaughtered it by cutting the head off in one motion with a sharp knife whihc I had checked before proceeding. We allowed the chicken to bleed out for 90 seconds.

Inspector David's issued a warning stating:

1. Refrain from lifting/carrying the birds by the wings.
2. Chickens must have access to water at all times.
3. refrain from overcrowding.
4. Sick or injured birds must not be sold.

A follow-up will be conducted to ensure compliance.

ACTION TAKEN

Warning issued 1203

Veterinary problems / health concerns: Yes ***

OUTCOME / FOLLOW-UP

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