

AFFIDAVIT

IN THE MATTER OF: A FEMALE DOG KEPT AT #5 WYNBERG PLACE, 33 GOSPORT ROAD, WYNBERG

I, the undersigned,

SAMANTHA LIDDELL

ID number: 7204220160080

do hereby make oath and state that:

Introduction

1. I am an adult female residing at #4, Wynberg Place, 33 Gosport Road, Wynberg, Cape Town.
2. The facts set out below are within my personal knowledge, unless the contrary is stated or appears from the context, and are to the best of my belief true and correct.
3. I make this affidavit at the request of Inspector Rudolph Philander, Inspectorate Supervisor of the Cape of Good Hope SPCA, in support of an application to remove a dog from the premises where it is kept.

The dog and where she is kept

4. The dog is a female dog, pitbull, grey in colour ("the dog").
5. The dog is kept by the occupant of #5, Wynberg Place, 33 Gosport Road, Wynberg ("the keeper"). I do not know the keeper's name.
6. The dog's living area is a small paved outside area at the back of the keeper's unit, which adjoins my property. From my window, I can see directly into this area over the boundary wall. I have been able to observe the dog there on a regular basis since at least November 2025.

What I have observed about her living conditions

7. During the period in which I have observed the dog, she has been kept in the paved outside area day and night. I have rarely seen her taken for walks, and she has never been let inside the unit.
8. The paved area has contained the dog's faeces for days/weeks. I have not noticed any visible shelter.
9. The dog frequently cries at the wall that separates my property from the one she lives at. I have photographs of the area and of the dog, which I have already provided to the SPCA.
10. Timeline of events
11. On 27 July 2026, I saw two men examining the dog in the paved area, with the keeper present. At that time, it appeared to me that the dog was in heat.
12. On or about 27 July 2026, the dog was no longer in the paved area.
13. By 10 August 2026, the dog was back in the paved area, and I saw her there.
14. On or about 8 September 2026, I observed that the dog's abdomen appeared enlarged/swollen, and that she appeared to me to be pregnant.
15. On 28 September 2026, I was contacted by telephone by Inspector Philander. I confirmed to him that, to my knowledge, the dog was no longer on the property, and that I would inform

the SPCA if she returned. The dog had been absent since approximately 25 September 2026, and I did not see her on the property during that period.

16. On Thursday, 1 October 2026, at approximately 7:00 am, I saw the dog back in the paved area at the keeper's unit. I first noticed her when I heard her whimpering, and I looked over the wall.
17. When I saw her on 1 October 2026, the dog appeared to me to be pregnant / to have recently given birth, because she has a swollen abdomen, enlarged teats.

The dog's condition on 1 October 2026

18. I observed that the dog had difficulty using her hind legs. Specifically, she dragged her back legs / her hind legs appeared weak and gave way when she tried to stand or walk / she moved by pulling herself with her front legs. I observed this for approximately 20 minutes.
 19. I recorded a video of this on 1 October 2026 at approximately 09:50, using my cellphone. The video file is named "1000032403.mp4". At 09:57 on 1 October 2026, I emailed the video to Inspector Philander.
 20. I did not see any food / water / veterinary care / human interaction provided to the dog while I was observing her.
 21. My actions
 22. After seeing the dog on 1 October 2026, I recorded the video, then emailed Inspector Philander at 09:57.
 23. I have not touched, fed, treated or removed the dog, and I have not entered the keeper's property. I have on occasion thrown toys over the wall in an attempt to alleviate the boredom and loneliness of the dog.
 24. I have no objection to the Cape of Good Hope SPCA relying on this affidavit, and I am willing to give further information or testify if required.
- I know and understand the contents of this affidavit.



DEPONENT: SAMANTHA LIDDELL

Certificate of Commissioner of Oaths

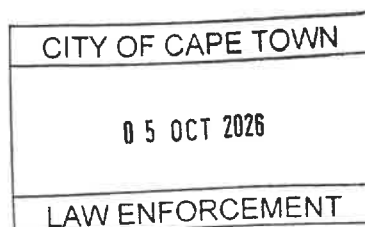
I certify that the deponent has acknowledged that she knows and understands the contents of this affidavit, which was signed and sworn to before me at Girassy Park on this 05 day of October 2026, and that the Regulations contained in Government Notice R1258 of 21 July 1972, as amended, and Government Notice R1648 of 19 August 1977, as amended, have been complied with.

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