

INSPECTOR NOTE

Building:	
Street:	32 OTTO MEYER AVENUE
Suburb:	GLENHAVEN
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Comments:

From: joy kronenberg <joyfaithkronenberg@yahoo.co.uk>
Sent: Thursday, October 8, 2026 2:20 PM
To: Rudolph Philander <insp12@spca-ct.co.za>
Subject: Fw: COGH SPCA: Pella visit case 144636

dear Madam/Sir

Thanks so much for the sterling work done by all of you.

Now I need to report that the family residing at 32 Otto Meyer Road, Glenhaven has a beautiful white pitbull called Lukas. I feed him regularly as the family often does not even have food for themselves. I am saddened by the fact that the owner of Lukas, Jerome Vink, uses substances and I heard from one of his friends that Lukas has been involved in dog fights. I questioned Jerome about this, but he denied it. Recently Lukas was bitten again by a dog near to Stilwaney street and once again Jerome said it was an accident. Lukas was badly injured and Jerome carried him to your facility for treatment. One lady, whose husband owns a factory near to Sacks Circle transported them and Lukas was booked in for three days. After he was discharged his leg was still bruised and then Jerome allowed one of his friends to take Lukas for a walk. Needless to say, I was horrified as his leg was still in pain. Two days ago I overheard how Jerome shouts at Lukas and chased him out of their home..and once again I confronted him as I was shocked and Jerome's brother informed me that he often shouts at Lukas. I am often suspicious of the fact that Jerome and his friends use their substances in their home and I sincerely hope that they do not give Lukas substances as well.Of course all these abusive practices affect me deeply as I am passionate about all God's creatures.

Jerome always informs me that he loves Lukas, but I cannot understand this "sick" love where his dog gets hurt in the process. A while back Jerome took in a new tenant by the name of Leigh, and his whole body is covered in tattoos... not that I judge people by their appearances ... for as an ordained minister, i cannot condemn any human being as we are all created in the image of God. Jerome informed me that he has given Lukas to Leigh, since the latter loves Lukas(??)However since most of the tenants living there are using substances, I fear mostly for Lukas.

This morning when I passed their home and stopped by to give Lukas some dog biscuits, I was shocked to see the bruises in his face and confronted Jerome, the owner. And he informed me that Leigh and Lukas had been away for a few days and after their return Jerome saw all the bruises and NEEDLESS TO SAY, I AM DEVASTATED as Jerome does not seem particularly perturbed. I even offered to take Lukas to the AACL for treatment, but Jerome refused. He also mentioned that Leigh had been arrested last night by Bellville Police and did not yet return and he does not know which crime he had committed. This Leigh regularly fights with his girlfriend who also stays in the same house with them and I have spoken to her several times about this and everytime she leaves him, but returns back to him and I do realise its their addiction to Crystal meth, mandrax etc which makes her return... so in all HE IS AN ABUSIVE PERSON and needs assistance..

Until now I have not had any responses to my previous emails to you and find this rather unprofessional..and I do realise that you are all inundated with animal abuse, neglect etc I sincerely hope that you could investigate this matter and keep my involvement confidential.

Needless to say, I am disgusted and deeply saddened by these inhumane practices in our communities and what shocks me even more, is that no one has never reported to you Could you kindly regard the above as a matter of urgency.

With gratitude and appreciation for your compassion and kindness towards our furry family.

May God bless you and your loved ones

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