

COGH SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

INSP237448

Complaint Reference No.

Building: SAAMBOU PRIMARY SCHOOL
Street: RUIME ROAD
Suburb: HEIDEVELD
Postal Code: 7764
Inspector: JEFFREY MFINI
Date of Inspection: 2026-10-06
Time of Inspection: 11:20

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: ZACK
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: S Lombard
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Worker
Captured By: JEFFREY MFINI 2026-10-07 16:27

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	No ***	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	No ***	Old poo
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes	
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No	
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Caged - adequate space	Security dog

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Date & Time: 06 October 2026 @ 11h20

Address: Saambou Primary School, Ruime Road, Heideveld, Cape Town, Western Cape

Inspector: Jeffrey Mfini

Warning No: 25930

1. PERSON RESPONSIBLE

- Owner Name: Zack
- ID No: Not available
- Cellphone No: 075 985 0201
- Warning signed and accepted by: Mrs S Lombard (School Principal)

2. ANIMALS FOUND - TOTAL: 1

- 1 x Adult German Shepherd - Pitch black in colour - Sex not confirmed (dog was sitting)

3. OBSERVATIONS / FINDINGS

On my arrival at the school I met with the security officer who claimed to be one of the forum people . She led me into the office where I met with the receptionist. She told me that I must wait for the principal. It took time for the principal to arrive. Then the caretaker of the school arrived. He took me to where the dog was.

I observed a German Shepherd that was kept inside an enclosure that was approximately 3m x 1.5m.

- Shelter: Inside the enclosure there was no shelter.
- Hygiene: The living environment was not clean. There was old faeces on the floor.
- Flooring: The floor of the enclosure was not cemented or rubberised, which makes cleaning difficult.
- Tethering: The dog was inside the enclosure with a choke chain, which is not acceptable as the dog might hang itself.

4. ACTION TAKEN / WARNING ISSUED

Warning No 25930 was issued and signed and accepted by Principal Mrs S Lombard, who promised to hand over to the owner as soon as he comes.

Warning requirements as follows:

1. To provide the dog with proper and adequate shelter against the elements within 48 hours.
2. To pick up the old faeces and keep the enclosure clean at all times .
3. Enclosure to be placed on cemented or rubberised flooring in order to be easy to clean and prevent urine smell.
4. To provide the SPCA with Performing Animals Protection Act (PAPA) license within 48 hours. If you do not have the PAPA license, then you must refrain from using the dog for safeguarding immediately.
5. To remove the choke chain when the dog is kept inside the enclosure immediately .

5. WAY FORWARD

Follow-up inspection to check compliance within 48 hours. If no PAPA license, owner must stop using dog for security.

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ACTIONS

Warning Issued	25930
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REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted	2026-10-09
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INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

NIL