

Building: HAWK ANIMAL SHELTER
Street: NO NUMBER RIVERLANDS SMALL HOLDING
Suburb: RIVERLANDS
Postal Code:
Inspector: JAMESON OCTOBER
Date of Inspection: 2024-12-02
Time of Inspection: 14:00

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: ANDRE VERBIEST
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: Andre Verbiest
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Owner
Captured By: JAMESON OCTOBER 2024-12-03 06:33

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Free roaming - in property

General Report Comments: I was successful in obtaining a warrant from the Magistrates court in Malmesbury to seize the Maltese poodle from Hawk animal shelter. I was accompanied Swartland law enforcement. Upon arrival we were met by Andre Verbiest who is the owner of the shelter. Trainee inspector Chiwawa and I went onto the property. I issued Andre with the warrant and told him that I'm here to confiscate the Maltese poodle with the bad skin condition which he lied about, receiving veterinary treatment. Andre told us that he gave the Maltese poodle called Blondie back to her owners. Trainee inspector Chiwawa and I did not believe him and started searching the premises to see if we can find Blondie. Andre Verbiest walked with us, we searched the room where he kept the Maltese poodle but she was not in that room. We then went inside the house, the workers living quarters and also searched Venessa and Steven's places who also works for Andre Verbiest. We could not find Blondie on the premises. I asked Andre again where Blondie is and he told me again that he gave her back to her owners. We left the property and went to search for Blondie in the community by showing a picture of her to kids and grown ups who might recognize her. We found two young people and presented the picture to them, the girl immediately recognized Blondie and directed us to where the owner stays. Upon arrival at the owners house we were met by Steph Jonkers who told us that she is the owner of Blondie. Steph told me that she gave Blondie to her cousins daughter, Zandie who works at Andre 2x weeks ago because, Blondie started to scratch herself and Zandie told her that Andre Verbiest might be able to help with treating the dog. I asked Steph if Blondie is back in her care and she said no, the last time she spoke to Zandie the dog was still at Andre Verbiest's place. We went back to Hawk and asked for Zandie because she is the person who brought the dog to Hawk, Zandie was not at Hawk and we found out where she stays. We went to Zandie's house but her mother told us that she went to Chatsworth earlier. Steph Jonkers told me that she will come back to Zandie's house later and ask her where Blondie is, I told Steph that I will give her a call later. Will follow up.

ACTIONS

FURTHER DISCUSSION WITH MANAGER

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

235 x DOGS (TERRIER X) - (COLOUR: Brown, black and tan, tan, white, brown) CONDITION: Acceptable

Description:

125 x DOGS - CONDITION: UNSPECIFIED

Description:

5 x CATS - CONDITION: UNSPECIFIED

Description:

20 x POULTRY (CHICKEN) - CONDITION: UNSPECIFIED