

SWARTLAND WEST COAST SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

I3532

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 11 DRYANDRA STREET
Suburb: VREDENBURG
Postal Code:
Inspector: CARINA BODENSTEIN
Date of Inspection: 2024-07-10
Time of Inspection: 10:20

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

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

REPORT

Access Granted By: ANSIE
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner: Other
Captured By: CARINA BODENSTEIN 2024-07-10 11:03

CHECKLISTS

WATER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	No ***	Dog is on a short chain
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes	
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	Yes	
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	No	
CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Static Chain - inadequate length **	Jumps the fence

General Report Comments: PROACTIVE

Upon arrival, I observed 1x Pitbull dog chained to the vibracrete wall post. The chain is approximately 3m long attached to his chain fitted through a hosepipe collar. The dog was laying in his kennel, which had a thick blanket inside and appeared to be dry.

A woman approached me and identified herself as Ansie, the property owner. Ansie advised that the dog's owner moved to Langebaan last week and she is not sure if he will come and collect the dog. I asked who is currently caring for the dog and she indicated that she is the current care taker. I advised her that in terms of the APA the responsibility for the dog is with her now and that she will have to uplift the dog's welfare.

I asked why the dog is chained, and Ansie advised that she is not comfortable with the dog and that there are a lot of children on the property and the dog jumps onto them. I advised her that until they have a permanent plan with the dog, she will have to install a runner for the dog to have more space as the current chained method is not suitable. She understood and said she will speak with the owner. I also advised her that they are welcome to surrender the dog, she seemed keen and again said she will discuss this with the owner.

I issued a warning:

1. Place the dog on a runner

7 days granted

ACTIONS

Warning Issued	W5112
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REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted	2024-07-17
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INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

1 x DOGS (PITBULL) - AN UNSTERILISED MALE (COLOUR: WHITE/BROWN) CONDITION: Fair BCS 2.5/5