

SANDTON SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

PEFU15452

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: 33 ERIDGE ROAD
Suburb: FOREST TOWN
Postal Code: 2193
Inspector: STEPHEN MAILA
Date of Inspection: 2022-08-25
Time of Inspection: 11:48

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: Yousoef Mayet
Company:
Identification:
Email: yousoefm@me.com
Tel 1:
Tel 2:

REPORT

Access Granted By: Yousoef Mayet
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: No

CHECKLISTS

General Report Comments: On Monday, the 4th July 2022 at approximately 11am an inspection was conducted at 33 Eridge Road, Forest Town property:-
I met with Mr. Yousoef Mayet (Applicant) and his father. They both gave me access and permission to conduct an inspection of their plans to have a religious slaughter of 10 sheep on Sunday, the 10th July 2022.
Upon entry on the property the following observations were recorded:

- 3 lairage pens where the sheep will be sub dividedly kept:- 3,3 & 4 sheep will be kept so that they are not overcrowded.
- No animals were present.
- The pens were placed closer to shady area to provided protection for the animals against heat or sun conditions.
- They showed me an area where there will be a pit hole erected. The pit hole will be where the actual slaughter be conducted and where the blood will go and the blood will be covered with sand/or soil every after slaughter.
- The skinning area will be performed away from the pit hole and there will be shade cloth erected to protect the other sheep not to witness the death of others.
- A knife which was approximately 250mm was presented and appeared to be sharp and suitable for slaughter of sheep.

Further to the above, we discussed the following:

- that they will provide the sheep with food and water,
- that they will have a knife sharpener present to sharpen the knife.
- they declined our offer to assist with pre-stunning because it is not consistent with their religion.
- the animals will not be dragged by their fleece, horns or legs and that they will be carried to the slaughter area.
- that the sheep will arrive on Saturday, the 09th July 2022. They will contact me for the actual time of arrival.
- that SPCA will be allowed to enter the property and conduct an inspection of the slaughter of the animals.
- that the person who is going to slaughter is competent and that animals will not be made to wait that long.
- that they will be done with slaughtered of the sheep by 12 or 13h00 on Sunday, the 10th July 2022.
- A Qurbani Animal Care Guidebook was given to the family to familiarize themselves with SPCA expectations on the day.

In light of the above, the Sandton SPCA have no objection in people practicing their religion . Our mandate and intervention will be to ensure that the Animals Protection Act is adhered and that the welfare of the animals is not compromised.

ACTIONS

OWNER EDUCATED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

NIL