

INSPECTOR NOTE

Building:
Street: 4 YORK STREET
Suburb: KENSINGTON
Postal Code:
Date: 2026-01-14
Time: 22:00
Inspector: XOLANE MNCUBE

Type: CALL RECORD - MADE

Follow-Up Date:

Comments: insp Xolane Mncube, On 14 January 2026 at approximately 22:00pm, I attended the premises for the purpose of conducting an animal welfare inspection.
Upon arrival, I observed two dogs within the property: Adult male cross Rottweiler, black and tan in colour, appearing to be sterilised and adult female cross Collie, tan in colour. Access to the premises was not granted and I was therefore unable to conduct a full inspection. Both dogs were observed at the gate roaming freely within the yard at the time of attendance.

I attempted to contact the owner Dr Antony Samuel, telephonically however my phone call was not answered. Photographic and video evidence was obtained from outside the property through the gate (see attached).

On 15 January 2026, I made telephonic contact with Dr Antony Samuel and requested access to the premises in order to conduct a full inspection of the animals. Dr Samuel advised that he was currently busy attending to his patient and stated that he would make contact at a later date to arrange an inspection appointment. He further indicated that he was not willing to allow entry to his premises in his absence.

During our conversation, Dr Samuel stated that the dogs are adequately cared for and expressed the view that he felt harassed by the SPCA busy coming to his property He further advised that the dogs are only confined when necessary but not limited to occasions when garden services are present, vehicles are entering or exiting the property or visitors are on the premises in order to prevent potential dog bites.

A full inspection has not been conducted due to lack of access to the premises .
CILIA MALAHLELA 2026-01-14 22:00

Captured By: