

SPRINGS SPCA
INSPECTOR REPORT

IEJT14334

Complaint Reference No.

Building:
Street: MAIN ROAD
Suburb: SUNDRA AH
Postal Code: 2210
Inspector: ANNECIA MORTON
Date of Inspection: 2022-10-29
Time of Inspection: 14:34

RESPONDENT'S DETAILS

Name: JOHANNES BASSON VILJOEN
Company:
Identification:
Email:
Tel 1:
Tel 2: 0823283538

REPORT

Access Granted By: JOHANNES BASSON VILJOEN
Comment:
Were Animals Seen on the Property: Yes
Relationship to Property Owner:
Captured By: ANNECIA LE ROUX 2022-10-29 14:38

CHECKLISTS

CONFINEMENT OF ANIMALS	Caged - adequate space	BEING TRANSPORTED FOR SLAUGHTER
ADEQUATE SPACE AVAILABLE	Yes	
CLEAN LIVING ENVIRONMENT	Yes	
WATER AVAILABLE	No ***	
ADEQUATE SHELTER AVAILABLE	Yes	
ANIMALS IN GOOD CONDITION	No ***	INJURED
VETERINARY PROBLEMS / HEALTH CO	Yes ***	INJURED

General Report Comments: Incident Overview

The NSPCA Farm Unit manager alerted me to an overturned truck carrying live chickens that had overturned on a roadway in Delmas. Upon receiving the call, my colleague Paulos and I proceeded to the given location. While en route, I contacted three sister SPCA Societies to be on standby in case additional assistance was required.

Upon arrival, the truck was found on its side, with multiple vehicles and personnel on-site. Forklifts were being used to reposition the poultry trolleys that had been displaced. The total estimated number of chickens involved was over 11,000.

Response Actions

Animal Recovery & Welfare Assessment:

Trolleys were systematically righted, and crates were extracted.
Chickens were assessed for injuries and mortalities.
Severely injured birds were humanely euthanized to prevent further suffering .
Surviving chickens were placed back into secure containment for transportation.
Coordination & Support:

Multiple stakeholders collaborated on-site to manage the situation effectively.
A replacement transport vehicle was arranged for the surviving birds .
Brakpan SPCA provided direct assistance without delay .
Sister Societies remained on standby throughout the operation.

Conclusion

The response to this incident was executed efficiently despite the scale of the situation . The surviving chickens were successfully transported, and deceased animals were appropriately handled.

ACTIONS

NO ACTION REQUIRED

REPORT OUTCOMES

Follow-up inspection to be conducted 2022-11-05

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REFERRED TO ANOTHER SPCA OR C KEMPTON SPCA FOR FOLLOWUP ON ARRIVAL

INSPECTION ANIMALS

Description:

11250 x POULTRY (CHICKEN) - (COLOUR: WHITE) CONDITION: INJURED