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No.9-8/2021-22/PCA

To
The Commissioner of Police,
Office of Commissioner of Police
Surat, Gujarat. -395003
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Dt: 21.05.2021

Subject: Request to take immediate action on the alleged complaint regarding the cruelty inflicted to stray dogs and their puppy's – Reg

Ref.: Email dated 15.05.2021 from Shri Chetan Jhaveri in Surat.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is brought to the notice of the Board by Shri Chetan Jhaveri from Surat stating that in Bhakti Dharam Township, Palanpur Canal Road, Surat, on 12th May 2021 at around 8:15 pm, on order of society pramukh and some building pramukh, watchman Karan, Deepak and their co-watchmen at 1-2 society residents took 3 dogs, 2 small puppies and their mother has packed in a bag and thrown out of compound wall. A copy of the complaint is attached which is self-explanatory.

2. The cruelty to animals is an offense under Section 11(1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Animal Birth Control (Dogs) Rules, 2001 and Section 428 & 429 of Indian Penal Code, 1860.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court had directed to take action against the erring officials as per the Para 77 of the S.L.P.No.(C) 11686 of 2007, Animal Welfare Board of India Vs A.Nagaraja & Others and the department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension had issued guidelines vide F.No.30/9/2006-Welfare dated 26.5.2006 to take action against such personnel violating the laws. The copies of the same is attached herewith for your information.

4. In view of the above, it is requested to kindly conduct an enquiry into the matter and take immediate necessary action as per law against the offenders and forward a copy of the action taken report to the Board at the earliest.

"Please treat this as most urgent"

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. S. K. Dutta)
Secretary

Encl: As above

Cc to: for information and further necessary action.

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