To

1. The Commissioner of Police,
   Navi Mumbai, Opposite RBI, Sector No 10,
   CBD-Belapur, Navi Mumbai-400614,
   Email: cp.navimumbai@mahapolice.gov.in

2. The Additional Commissioner,
   Commissionerate of Animal Husbandry,
   Maharashtra, Opposite Spicer College Rd, Aundh Pune-411067
   Email: cah.addcommn@gmail.com

Sub: Alleged complaint regarding the negligence of Mrs Swapna Gupta NGO in Worli Area, Mumbai - Reg

Ref.: E-mail dated 04.05.2021 received from Ms. Nalini Utekar.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is stated that the Board has received a complaint through an E-mail from Ms. Nalini Utekar stated that a big mistake made by an NGO of Swapna Gupta. The said NGO left her cat mannu along with some other stray cats in a slum area and when she asked about her cat the staff of the said NGO harassed her. Cruelty to animals is an offense under Section 11(1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960. A copy of the e-mail is forwarded for your kind perusal and further directions.

2. It is stated that the improper neutering of male cats and the surgery of cats abdomen without proper check up is the serious violations of the provisions of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Animal Birth Control Rules, 2001 and directions of the Hon’ble Supreme Court of India in S.L.P.(C) No.691 of 2009, AWBI Vs P.E.S.T & Ors. The Board has already issued an advisory dt.16.10.2018 to all the State Governments/UTs to take steps to prevent unnecessary pain or suffering stray animals (Cats) which is the responsibility of the Local Bodies.

3. In view of the above, it is requested to investigate the above complaint and take appropriate action as per law and forward action taken report to the Board immediately to take further necessary action.

“Please treat this as most urgent”.

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. S. K. Dutta)
Secretary

Cc to: for information and further necessary action.
1) Ms. Nalini Utekar, Email: utekar2222@gmail.com