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Dt: 15.02.2021

To
The Commissioner of Police,
Office of Commissioner of Police
Surat-Dumas Rd, Opp. Talati Office,
Athwalines, Athwa Gate, 395002, Gujarat.
E-mail:-cp-sur@gujarat.gov.in

Sub: Complaint regarding the cruelty against dog being dragged along the road, Surat, Gujarat.

Ref.: Email received dated 15.02.21 from Shri Chetan Jhaveri (HDAWO).

Sir,

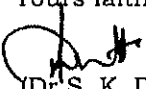
With reference to the above cited subject, it has been brought to the knowledge of the Board through an email from Shri Chetan Jhaveri, Surat, Gujarat stated, a man tied up a dog and dragged it along the road by Motorcycle(GJ05-MA-7359) at Bhagwan Mahavir College in Surat. A copy of the complaints is attached, which is self-explanatory.

Cruelty to animals is an offense under Section 3, Section 11(1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, and Section 428 & 429 of the IPC.

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.

It is therefore requested to direct the concerned authorities to take appropriate action against the offenders as per the law. A copy of the action taken report be forwarded to the Board within fifteen days from the receipt of this letter and to take immediate and necessary action to ensure that such cruelty to animals does not take place anywhere or at any time in future.

"Please treat this as most urgent"

Yours faithfully,

(Dr.S. K. Dutta)
Secretary

Encl:As above

Cc to : for information and further necessary action.

1. The District Collector, B/5, Jilla Seva Sadan-2, Athwalines, Surat-395001, Gujarat.
Email: collector-sur@gujarat.gov.in
2. The Director Animal Husbandry Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
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3. SDhri Chetan Jhaveri, Email: chetan.m.jhaveri@gmail.com