



## ANIMAL WELFARE BOARD OF INDIA

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**No.9-3/2021-22/PCA**

**Date: 08.04.2021**

To

1. District Collector,  
Collectorate office, Near LG Office,  
Surajpur, Gautam Baudh Nagar, UP-201306.  
Email:- [dmgbn@nic.in](mailto:dmgbn@nic.in)

**Subject: Alleged complaint regarding improper implementation of  
Animal Birth control (Dogs) Rules, 2001 in Noida (UP) – Reg**

**Ref: Email dated 01.04.21 received from Shri Manish Lodha.**

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is stated that the Board has received a complaint from Shri Manish Lodha stating that Animal Birth Control EOI dated 27.02.21 was cancelled, and a new EOI JOB-32/SPE/PE(PH-II)/2020-21 was issued on 27.03.21 by the Noida Authority. It is not adhering to ABC rules and AWBI SOP in its EOI/RFP. Noida Authority has been releasing contract to individual/private during the last few years in blatant violation of law. Noida Authority has given contract to AWBI Unrecognised organizations. Currently, one of two shortlisted vendors (Dr. Chawla) is a person which AWBI does not recognize. A copy of the e-mail is attached, which is self-explanatory.

2. Cruelty to animals or Killing of animals is an offense under Section 11(1) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960, Animal Birth Control (Dogs) Rules, 2001, IPC 428 & 429.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court has also issued interim orders dated 18.11.2015 & 9.3.2016 in SLP No.691 of 2009, AWBI Vs P.E.S.T & Ors directed all the local bodies to provide infrastructure as mandated in the ABC (Dogs) Rules, 2001 and implement the Rules diligently. It was specifically ordered that no innovative method or subterfuge should be adopted not to carry out the responsibility under the **PCA Act, 1960** or the **ABC (Dogs) Rules, 2001** and that any kind of laxity while carrying out statutory obligations, is not countenanced in law. The Board has also forwarded a module to all the State Govts. regarding the proper implementation of the ABC programme. The Board has uploaded the circulars / advisories on Pet Dog and the same is available in the website: [www.awbi.in](http://www.awbi.in)

4. The Board of India has issued Circular on dated 25.02.2021 requesting to all District Collectors/Municipal Commissioners of all States/UTs to give the tenders or enter into MOUs only with those AWOs/ NGOs which are having permission from the Animal Welfare Board of India for carrying out ABC/AR programme to ensure that the ABC/AR programme is being carried out by the competent AWOs/ NGOs and the cruelty to street dogs could be stopped.(Copy enclosed).

It is therefore requested to direct the concerned authorities to take appropriate action as per 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.

Kindly treat this matter as urgent.

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. S.K.Dutta)  
Secretary

Conv to: for information and further appropriate action.

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