



**ANIMAL WELFARE BOARD OF INDIA**

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To

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**Subject: Request to file an FIR into alleged complaint regarding brutal cruelty to street dog by car-reg.**

Sir,

The Board has received an email from Mrs. Harsh Lata, resident of D-193, Tagore Garden, IInd Floor stating that the Mr. Vilas Raheja intentionally caused serious injury to killed one dog. A copy of the compliant is enclosed here with which is self-explanatory.

2. The Prevention of cruelty to Animals (PCA), Act, 1960 under Section 11(1)(l) stated that *"it is a cognizable offence, if any person mutilated any animals or kill any animals (including stray dogs) by using the method of strychnine injection in the heart or in any other unnecessarily cruel manner"*. Also, it is a punishable offence under Section 11(3)(c) of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Act 1960 *"if any person the extermination or destruction of any animal under the authority of any law for the time being in force"*
3. The Section 428 of the IPC deals with the punishment for committing mischief by killing, poisoning, maiming or rendering useless any animal or animals of the value of ten rupees or upwards, and the person shall be punished with the imprisonment of either description for term which may extend to two years, or with fine or with both.
4. The board has issued advisory requesting Chief Secretaries and Director general of police of all States/UT's to issue directing all their police station and officials to enforce the provisions of The prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 and its Rules effectively and also register the FIRs wherever necessary on priority basis so that such enforcement become a deterrent to infliction of cruelty on the helpless animals.
5. Therefore, in view of the above act of gruesome cruelty to an innocent animals and violation of various sections of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act,1960, and of the Indian Penal Code 1860, it is requested to immediately file an FIR and to ensure that a punishment is given to the culprits. Also, an action taken report of the same may be sent to the Board within 15 days of issuance of this letter.

**"Please treat this as most urgent".**

Yours Sincerely

(Dr. S. k Dutta)  
Secretary

CC to:

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