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To

1. The Director,
Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services Department,
Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Agasthiar St, Padmanapan Street,
Varadharaja Puram, Ramapuram, Ambattur,
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2. The District Collector,
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62, Rajaji Salai, Chennai Collectorate,
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Sub: Alleged complaint regarding the dog ear cropping in Chennai-Tamil Nadu.

Ref.: E-mail received from Shri. Sandy Jey.

Sir,

With reference to the above cited subject, it is stated that the Board has received an e-mail from Shri Sandy Jey stating that a person named Sharath Nair in Facebook in a group called " Dog Lovers of Chennai" posting a photo of a dog with bandaged ears in upright position. He refused to disclose who the vet performed the ear cropping surgery. A copy of the e-mail is attached which is self-explanatory.

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 Section 428 & 429.

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 are attached herewith for your information.

In view of the above, it is requested to kindly direct the concerned authorities to investigate the matter and take appropriate action against the offender as per law.

A copy of the action taken report be forwarded to the Board for information and further action.

Yours sincerely,


(Dr.S.K.Dutta)
Secretary

Copy to: for information and further appropriate action.

1.The Chairman, AWBI
2.Shri.Sandy Jey, Email: sandhyaa.jeyaseelan@gmail.com