



Mandatory Corrections Notice

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Humane Police Officer O'Donnell, phone 724-954-9515, email HumaneOfficerAC@gmail.com

Case #: _____

Date: _____

Description of animal(s): _____

This notice provides guidance to meet the PA Cruelty to Animals statutes*. We hope you will make corrections to avoid potential penalties from a summary offense of up to 90 days in jail and/or a \$750 fine, to an aggravated felony of the third degree of up to seven (7) years in jail and/or a \$15,000 fine. Your animal(s) may also be removed to protective custody.

You may be cited if the officer is unable to confirm compliance and/ or the animal's welfare on the follow-up visit.

It is not our goal to separate beloved pets from loving homes. If you need assistance meeting animal care requirements, please let us know. We can help, from providing food or supplies to finding a new home for your pet(s). Call us if we can help, or if you need additional time to comply to this notice.

Areas To Be Addressed

Title 18 C.S.A. Crimes & Offenses, Subchapter B. Cruelty to Animals

- FOOD:** Provide animal(s) with appropriate food daily. (5532.1)
- SHELTER/ ENVIRONMENT:** Provide access to secure, clean, and sanitary shelter with protection from the weather that permits animal(s) to maintain body temperature and keep clean, dry, and warm (or cool during hot weather). (5532.2)
 - Remove debris or waste from animal(s) environment, clean and sanitize animal(s) environment. (5536.2.i)
 - Relocate animal(s) primary environment.
 - Increase size of animal(s) primary environment.
 - Provide animal(s) with adequate exercise and space.
- WATER:** Provide animal(s) with clean drinking water in a secure water container daily. (5532.2)
- PROFESSIONAL CARE:** Provide animal with veterinary or farrier care, submit written report from vet/farrier. (5532.3)
- TETHERING**
 - Tether no longer than 9 hours in 24-hour period, and no longer than 30 minutes in 90+ or 30- degree weather. (5536.1,iv)
 - Provide appropriate collar, tether longer than 3 times length of dog's body, or 10 feet, whichever is longer. (5536.i,ii,iii)
- OTHER:** _____

Corrections Due: _____

Caregiver: _____ Phone: _____ email: _____

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Caregiver

Date

Humane Society Police Officer

Date