

# **CRUELTY AGAINST ANIMALS IS A CRIME !!!**

**According to Sabah Animal Welfare Enactment 2015**, cruelty to animals is now an offence punishable by a maximum fine of RM100,000 or 3 years jail or both.

You are breaking the law if you:

- ✓ Cruelly beat, kick, torture or terrify any animal
- ✓ Are not providing enough food or water
- ✓ Are not providing a shelter from sun & rain
- ✓ Kill a dog or cat for food
- ✓ Are not providing veterinary treatment for disease, wound or injury
- ✓ Are keeping an animal in a small cage or on a short leash
- ✓ Abandon a puppy or a kitten or any animal causing suffering from starvation, illness or injury

**THE FIVE FREEDOMS** that owners must provide for their pets:

1. **Freedom from THIRST and HUNGER:** by providing clean water & nutritious food
2. **Freedom from DISCOMFORT:** by providing a comfortable resting area
3. **Freedom from PAIN, INJURY or DISEASE:** by providing timely veterinary care
4. **Freedom to express NORMAL BEHAVIOUR:** by providing sufficient space, proper facilities and company of the animal's own kind
5. **Freedom from FEAR and DISTRESS:** by providing a suitable environment

## **REPORT ANIMAL CRUELTY**

Speak for those who cannot speak for themselves!

# HOW TO REPORT ANIMAL CRUELTY?

- 1. Collect evidence:** Take photograph or video. The person who took the evidence is expected to be a witness in court. Therefore, please ensure name and contact are available and accurate.
- 2. Record:** Time, date, location of the incident, condition of the animal, and names and contacts of witnesses.
- 3. Describe:** The abuser such as looks, skin complexion, height and build, clothes, accessories, the license plate of the vehicle, etc.

With evidence and witness, make a report to: **\*Remember to include your name and contact number\***

Jabatan Haiwan	088-261263
Any Police Station	
SPCA Kota Kinabalu	019-8809660
SPCA Sandakan	010-2278911
SPCA Tawau	016-8266465
SPCA Lahad Datu	012-2668164
ALIR (KK/K.Belud/Kudat)	013-8885060
FAIR (KK)	016-8429595
MIRACLE'S MISSION (KK)	016-8382111

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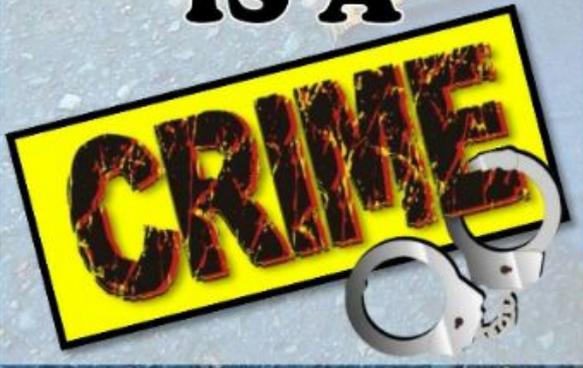
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FAIR (KK)	<b>016-842 9595</b>
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