1-STRAY DOG MANAGEMENT

1. What is stray dog?

Ans: Stray dog means, owner less, shelter less dogs which are found on street, parks, around hotels, school and college premises, hospital premises, bus and railway station premises and in other public places.

2. Whether Stray dogs can be killed?

Ans: No. Stray dogs cannot be killed, if killed it becomes criminal offence and is punishable offence.

3. How Stray dogs are controlled?

Ans: (A) <u>ANIMAL BIRTH CONTROL</u>: Stray dog population is controlled by BBMP with the sterilisation of Stray dogs by implementing ABC-ARV Programme as per the Animal Birth Control (Dog) Rules-2001.

(B) <u>scientific disposal of waste</u>: As per MSW (Management and Handling) Rules-2000.

If food is not available Stray dogs will not stay there. Therefore, hoteliers, petty food sellers, function organizers, public should not throw food left over, waste in street, gutter, storm water drains, parks, picnic spots and other public areas.

Poultry, meat, fish; egg merchants should not dispose, blood, meat, bones, heads, skin and other viscera and body parts, etc in street, drains and other public places. Public are requested to dispose the waste as per the guidelines issued by Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike from time to time. Public cooperation is sought in this regard which will help in preventing environmental pollution, in addition to reduce the stray dog population substantially. 4. How ABC Programme is implemented?

Ans: ABC-ARV Programme is allotted to Animal Welfare Organisations by calling tender through e-procurement portal by BBMP. The successful Animal Welfare Organisation in tender implements the ABC-ARV Programme by catching the stray dogs, bring them to their Animal Birth Control Operation Units, conduct sterilisation operation, vaccinate against rabies disease, administer de-worming drugs to them and finally release them back to the place from where they are caught as per the Animal Birth Control (Dog) Rules-2001.

5. How to identify the dogs which have undergone sterilisation through ABC-ARV Programme?

Ans: The tips of the ears of the sterlised stray dogs are cut in 'V' shape mark for identifying the stray dogs which have undergone sterilisation operation in ABC-ARV Programme conducted by BBMP.

6. What to do for stray dog menace?

Ans: BBMP has control room in Head office and at eight zonal offices. general public can contact any of the control rooms regarding stray dog complaints. Public can also contact the Animal Welfare Organisations, officers and staff of Animal Husbandry Division of BBMP.

- 7. If complaints are not attended whom to be approached?
 Ans: Public can approach Deputy Director (Animal Husbandry), BBMP
 Complex, Jayachamara Road, Bangalore/Joint Director (Animal Husbandry), BBMP, Narasimharaja Square, Bengaluru-02.
- 8. How to approach the concerned.

Ans: Officials/Staff of Animal Husbandry Division of BBMP, Animal Welfare Organisations can be contacted through the Central Control Room and zonal control rooms, and directly whose details are published in the Website(<u>www.bbmp.gov.in</u>).

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1	M/s. ANIMAL RIGHTS FUND (ARF)	EMANUAL	WEST, DASARAHALLI &
		9845009681	RAJARAJESHWARI NAGARA
2	M/s. COMPASSION UNLIMITED PLUS ACTION(CUPA)	080-22947302	EAST & BOMMANA HALLI
		Mr.Vijaykumar:	
		9845782064	
3	M/s. SARVODAYA SEVABHAVI SAMSTHA	080-65340127	MAHADEVAPURA & EAST
		Mr.Sheethal:	
		8050721033	
4	M/S. VETS FOR ANIMALS	Mr.Vijay:	YALAHANKA
		9620988372	
5	M/s. RICHA AGRAWAL FOUNDATION	Dr Richa Agrawal:	SOUTH
		9019629403	

9. Whether stray dogs can be reared by public?

Ans: Yes. Animal lovers can adopt the stray dogs. Stray dog gets shelter, food and in turn the number of stray dogs can be reduced substantially by public adopting stray dogs. Public can approach Animal Welfare Organisations/Assistant Director (Animal Husbandry) of the respective zones for adopting the stray dogs.

10. How can the menace and attack of stray dog can be prevented?

Ans: Usually, stray dogs do not attack/bite without any provocation/ aggression.

11. What is meant by provocation/aggression?

Ans: These are the common Provocation/aggression;

a) Sexual Aggression: Generally, dogs have two breading seasons in an year. During breading season, dogs move in packs and they are easily provoked. Therefore, public should be away from pack of dogs which are in mating period (heat).

- b) Maternal Aggression: When a female dog has delivered puppies and while mother dog is nursing the pups, usually 8-12 weeks, they are more protective for their puppies. During this period they may attack whoever goes near them. Hence public should be away from the nursing mother dogs.
- c) Food Aggression: Dogs are more irritable/aggressive when they are hungry, when they are consuming food/when they are running in packs for food, hence they may attack suddenly if they are disturbed. Public are requested not to leave their children in street or public places and slum area with any eatables like, Biscuits, Bread, etc., carrying openly in their hand or eating in public places, where stray dogs are roaming without the protective notice of the elders.
- d) Fear Aggression: Public should not stare at the stray dogs, public should not show sticks, stones, etc, to the dogs or throw stone etc, to the dogs. If they do so stray dogs will attack due to fear. Public who move with special kind of attire, carrying loads of waste materials, like, old news paper, utensils, will attract stray dog attention and may attack them. So public should be careful when moving in areas where stray dogs are roaming.
- e) Territorial Aggression: Stray dogs usually have their territories. If individuals, animals or vehicles suddenly enter the area where stray dogs are living and if stray dogs feel they are intruder's dogs will attack them. Hence, public should be careful in moving in new areas and entering the territory of stray dogs.
- f) Aggression due to Rabies: Dogs which are suffering from rabies disease will attack without any reason. Dogs which are suffering from Rabies disease usually have blank look, dropped jaw, dropped tongue, with profuse salivation and dropped tail. Rabid dogs will be moving without any direction and will be hitting to the obstacles, inanimate objects will hit or bite anything comes in their way. Hence public should judge the stray dogs from their behavior and should keep safe distance.

12. Whether ABC-Arv programme reduces stray dog menace?

Ans: Animal Birth Control Operation will reduce sexual aggression, maternal aggression and ARV programme will prevent the rabies disease in dogs. Territorial aggression, food aggression, fear aggression is natural to dogs which cannot be controlled, hence public should behave appropriately with the stray dogs.

13. Whether stray dogs can be relocated?

Ans: NO. As per the ABC Dog rules-2001, stray dogs cannot be relocated.

14. Who will treat stray dogs?

Ans: When stray dogs are sick, suffering, or injured due to accidents, this can be informed to Animal Welfare Organisations, like M/s. CUPA, M/s. Sarvodaya Seva Bhavi Sanstha, M/s. Animal Rights Fund and M/s. Karuna, etc, and may get the treatment to the affected animals. In case of necessities one can approach the nearest Veterinary Hospital or Private Hospitals with the affected dog.

15. Can someone feed Stray Dogs?

Ans: YES. Stray dog can be fed without causing any inconvenience to the public and without causing environmental pollution. Stray dog should be fed in identified places away from public parks, educational institutions, Hospitals, etc.

16. How can public get awareness about Stray dog management?

Ans: BBMP conducts awareness programme in Schools, Colleges, in Residents' Welfare Associations through Animal Welfare Organisation of the concerned area. BBMP also spread the message through Media.

17. How can public help in catching stray dogs?

Ans: Catching stray dogs is very tough job. Stray dogs hide in culverts, drains, below the bridges, unoccupied constructed or half constructed structures and escape through open space when they are approached for catching. Public can help by avoiding the stray dog

hiding places in their area. Public can cooperate by being friendly with the stray dogs and show the hiding places to the dog catching team. Public cooperation will definitely help the programme to become successful.

18. What is the importance of ARV Programme?

Ans: Rabies is one of the deadliest viral disease spread through infected dogs. Rabies infection spreads through dog bite, by the contact of the saliva of infected dogs, infected animals saliva. Rabies can be prevented by regular Anti-Rabies Vaccination to dogs as a preventive measure and by giving post exposure vaccination to the bitten animal. In the ABC-ARV Programme, all the stray dogs are vaccinated against Rabies soon after the Animal Birth Control Operation and they are revaccinated every year. Public are requested to Vaccinate their pet dogs compulsorily as per the Veterinarian advise, hence they are requested to approach the nearest Veterinary Hospital.

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STRAY CATTLE MANAGEMENT

1. Whether cattle can be left on the street?

Ans: NO. No cattle, animal can be left on the street or public places.

2. What are the problems due to stray cattle?

Ans: The roads in BBMP area crowded with vehicles and people; and if stray cattle, animal come to the street, it will cause traffic congestion. The dung and urine of the cattle falling on the road may lead to skidding of the vehicle and can cause accidents. The excreta of the animal will also cause environmental pollution. The grass, food left over of the animal if allowed to go to drains may cause blockage of drains and in turn will cause public inconvenience.

3. Can the animals be tied or left on the foot path?

Ans: NO. No animal can be tied or left on the foot path or on the street.

4. What BBMP does to control the stray cattle?

Ans: BBMP catches the stray cattle left on the street; carry it to the cattle pound through its cattle catching vehicle. The owners of the confiscated cattle can get them back after paying the prescribed fine to BBMP. If no owner turns up for substantial period, animals will be hand over to the Go-Shalas and will not be returned thereafter.

5. What is the fine imposed for confiscated stray cattle?

Ans: Stray cattle are fined as below:

For the adult cow, bull, buffalo and he buffalo Rs.600/- is charged for the first 3 days, thereafter Rs.300/- for every day, for Cattle and buffalo calf Rs.300/- charged for first 3 days and thereafter Rs.300/- for every day, for horse, mule, Rs.300/- for first three days and thereafter Rs.50/- per day, for ass, pig Rs.50/- for first three days and thereafter Rs.25/- for every day, for sheep, goats and lamb and kid Rs.25/- for first three days and thereafter Rs.25/- per day will be charged.

6. Who should be contacted for stray cattle menace?

Ans: Regarding stray cattle issues public can contact the head office control room and the control rooms of the respective zonal office. Public can also contact the officer/staff of Animal Husbandry Wing of BBMP whose details are given in the BBMP Website (<u>www.bbmp.gov.in</u>).

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