

I, Craig Forsyth, was present at the time that the RSPCA inspector Maureen Rogers handed Dr Matt Carrick from Bos Vet Services the notice regarding the lack of shade for the horses. I was here at the clinic receiving animal health products when she introduced herself as Maureen Rogers from the RSPCA.

As I was waiting for the goods, the RSPCA inspector arrived and handed Matt a document (a copy of the animal welfare act). As the situation didn't involve me I retired to the next room, within 3 metres. I went to close the door but Matt wanted the door left open. There was quite a bit of earnest discussion between Matt and the inspector, at no time did Dr Matt Carrick become aggressive toward the inspector. The issue was that Matt was not going to sign any notice until there was more clarification of the RSPCA's position. At no time did Matt tear up any document or threaten the inspector. If there was to be any more discussion, Matt wanted it done by email and he gave Maureen a business card.

○ King regards

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