

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. **462** , Approved and Ordered **JUN 26 2008**




Lieutenant Governor

Executive Council Chambers, Victoria

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Regulation, B.C. Reg. 231/95, is amended by repealing Schedules A and B and substituting the attached Schedules.



Minister of Agriculture and Lands

Presiding Member of the Executive Council

(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)

Authority under which Order is made:

Act and section:- Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 372, ss. 13 & 26 (2) (b)

Other (specify):- OIC 596/95

SCHEDULE A

INFORMATION TO OBTAIN A SEARCH WARRANT

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act (THE "ACT")

Canada
Province of British Columbia

This is the information of of, British Columbia,
.....[*occupation*] (the "informant"), taken
before me.

The informant says that the informant has reasonable grounds to believe that –
[*check as applicable*]

- an animal is in distress in/at [*specify premises, vehicle, aircraft, vessel*] (the "premises");
- an offence under section 24 of the Act has been committed, namely [*describe the offence in respect of which the search is to be made*], and that there is in/at [*specify premises, vehicle, aircraft, vessel*] (the "premises") things, including [*describe things to be searched for*] (the "things described"), that will afford evidence of that offence.

GROUND FOR BELIEF ARE:

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The informant asks that a warrant be issued authorizing an authorized agent of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals or, if applicable, a peace officer in the Province of British Columbia exercising the powers of an authorized agent under section 22 of the Act, to enter the premises –

[*check as applicable*]

- to take any action authorized by the Act to relieve the animal's distress;
- to search for and seize the things described.

Sworn or affirmed before me on [*day/month/year*]
at, British Columbia [*signature of informant*]

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A Judge or Justice of the Peace in and for
the Province of British Columbia

SCHEDULE B

WARRANT TO SEARCH

Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act (THE “ACT”)

Canada
Province of British Columbia

To an authorized agent of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals or, if applicable, to a peace officer in the Province of British Columbia exercising the powers of an authorized agent under section 22 of the Act:

I am satisfied, on the sworn/affirmed information of, of, British Columbia that there are reasonable grounds to believe that –
[check as applicable]

- an animal is in distress in/at [specify premises, vehicle, aircraft, vessel] (the “premises”);
- an offence under section 24 of the Act has been committed, namely[describe the offence in respect of which the search is to be made], and that there is in/at[specify premises, vehicle, aircraft, vessel to be searched] (the “premises”) the following things that will afford evidence of that offence: [describe things to be searched for] (the “things described”).

This authorizes you to enter the premises –
[check as applicable]

- to determine whether any action authorized by the Act should be taken to relieve the animal’s distress and to take such action;
- to search for and seize the things described.

.....
A Judge or Justice of the Peace in and for
the Province of British Columbia

Dated [day/month/year]....., at, British Columbia