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WHO: Central California Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

WHAT: On-going Investigation of Animals Seized in Squaw Valley

WHEN: Animals seized on June 19, 2013

WHERE: CCSPCA 103 S. Hughes Ave., Fresno CA 93706

WHY: The Central California SPCA wishes to thank the public for their outpouring of generosity and concern about the animals that were seized in the Squaw Valley abuse and neglect case last month. Many of you have inquired as to the condition of the animals and the status of the case.

The animals are currently undergoing resocialization/behavioral modification, are being treated by our skilled veterinary team and being cared for by our compassionate staff. Our investigation is still on-going at this time.

When the CCSPCA conducts an investigation, we are obligated to protect its integrity by not discussing the many sensitive details of those ongoing investigations. Additionally, some of the reasons why we do not release this information are to prevent “suspects” from destroying possible evidence, fleeing the area, and to prevent interference by outsiders that could potentially result in the loss of our case.

The CCSPCA investigates allegations of animal abuse and neglect and once an investigation is completed, turns those findings over to the appropriate legal authority for disposition and adjudication.

When we are able, we will gladly share more details with our community and the public, but currently our investigation is still open and we cannot release any additional information at this time.

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