

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE
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Subject: Animals seized

QUESTION

How many animals have been seized by the animal welfare department in the reporting period?

ANSWER

Animal Welfare Officers have 2 specific powers regarding the seizure of animal.

1. Seizure of an animal which is connected with an offence.
2. Seizure of an animal to alleviate suffering.

Over the reporting period, a total of 95 animals were seized.

Animal	No of Seizures
Dogs	35
Cats	1
Horses	2
Pigs	57