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February 23, 2015

Gilles Lefebvre  
City of Greater Sudbury  
By-Law Enforcement Services  
P.O. Box 5000 Stn A  
200 Brady Street  
Sudbury, ON P3A 5P3

Dear Mr. Lefebvre:

**Re: Request for Information**  
**Our file number: 113-00073**

We acknowledge your request for information regarding the above file.

Please find enclosed a copy of our inspection report with third party personal information and personal opinions removed. Information which may constitute an unjustified invasion of privacy, or compromise the health and safety of any person, has also been removed.

Yours truly,

Holly Browne  
Manager  
Environmental Health Division

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**Sudbury & District Health Unit**

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**Rabies Investigation Report [113-00073]**

<b>Animal Summary:</b>	Large, Brown/Beige, Female, Mixed Breed, Canine		
<b>Date Received:</b>	23-Jan-2015 1:06 PM	<b>Service Provider:</b>	Ted Korzeniecki, C.P.H.I. (C.)
<b>Date of Exposure:</b>	21-Jan-2015	<b>Current Status:</b>	In Progress

**Reported By**

**Name:** Richard Paquette  
**Business Name:** Rainbow District Animal Control  
**Work Address:** 411 St Agnes Azilda, ON  
**Phone (H):** **Phone (W):** (705) 673-3647

**Circumstances**

**Circumstances:** Animal Control called after receiving an 'anonymous' report stating that [REDACTED] got bit by [REDACTED] dog. [REDACTED] is a [REDACTED] and advised victim not to receive medical treatment and not to report the incident. Also advised that the dog jumped off porch and bit victim. These allegations were refuted by the victim. ( see communication below)

Animal Control informed that there is a vicious dog notice on this animal which the owner is appealing.

**Incident Site Community:** SU Sudbury

**Animal Information**

**Animal Type:** Domestic  
**Species:** Canine  
**Subspecies:** Mixed Breed  
**Colour:** Brown/Beige  
**Gender:** Female  
**Size:** Large  
**Animal Name:** Katrina  
**Physical Appearance:** Female Black and Tan Shepard mix  
**Animal was provoked?** No

**Owner:** [REDACTED]  
**Home Address:** [REDACTED]  
**Phone (H):** [REDACTED] **Phone (W):** [REDACTED]

**Vaccination Status at Time of Exposure:** Not Vaccinated

**Compliance Confirmed?** No

**Detained At:** Owner's Home **Location:** [REDACTED]  
**Condition After Confinement:** Alive

**Person Exposed**

**Name:** [REDACTED]  
**Home Address:** [REDACTED]  
**Phone (H):** [REDACTED] **Phone (W):** [REDACTED]

**Exposure:** Bite

**Contact Site/Severity:** Right Hand/Abrasion / Scratch

Is Vaccination Requested? No

Dated Notes/Non-Compliance Actions Taken

05-Feb-2015 12:45 Korzeniecki, Ted

Communication

On the 5th of February the writer was able to contact the victim [REDACTED] at work, [REDACTED], and advised [REDACTED] that the dog that bit [REDACTED] was healthy and the quarantine period is over.

02-Feb-2015 12:40 Korzeniecki, Ted

On Site Visit

On the 2nd of February the writer attended at [REDACTED] as I was advised that is where the dog was at this time.

Spoken to was [REDACTED] and the dog Katrina, appeared to be in good health. The dog was then released from quarantine. [REDACTED] advised that she has made an appointment with Martindale Animal Hospital to have her dog re-vaccinated for rabies on the 17th of February. This was confirmed by the writer by calling the vet.

26-Jan-2015 9:32 Korzeniecki, Ted

Communication

On the 26th of January the writer was contacted by the victim, [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] wasn't concerned about the incident and the contact was minimal which is why [REDACTED] didn't report the bite. [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] was walking down the street and noted the man with 2 dogs on leashes. The neighbour's dog came up to [REDACTED] and grabbed [REDACTED] hand with it's mouth and when [REDACTED] pulled [REDACTED] hand away his open jaw fell on [REDACTED] high and that is when [REDACTED] believes one of the dog's teeth caused an abrasion on [REDACTED] leg. Later the dog owner came over to express her concerns over the incident. The abrasion was treated with polysporin and has since healed. At no time did the dog owner suggest she not seek treatment or not to report the incident to the authorities.

The writer then called Animal Control and passed this information onto the operator, Richard Paquette Sr. as it was Animal Control that had originally passed on the anonymous complaint and his info was different than that which the victim provided.

23-Jan-2015 4:00 Korzeniecki, Ted

On Site Visit

The writer attended at the victim's address and determined [REDACTED] was not available to be spoken to until Monday. Spoken to was a neighbour in the same building [REDACTED] who advised that she had spoken to the victim shortly after the incident and saw abrasions on [REDACTED] right hand and thigh. The victim had advised her [REDACTED] was walking along Pearson St. in the evening and saw a man walking two dogs on leashes. As they were passing each other both dogs lunged at [REDACTED] causing the abrasions by biting at [REDACTED]. The victim indicated to the neighbour that the dogs were from [REDACTED].

A door knock was made at the owner's home at [REDACTED]. Spoken to was [REDACTED] who advised she was made aware of the incident by her friend [REDACTED] who had taken the dogs for a walk without advising her. She then went over to talk to the victim.

She advised that her dog was vaccinated at Martindale Animal Clinic. A check with them indicated the last vaccine was May 8th, 2011.

23-Jan-2015 1:15 Frappier, Matthieu

Communication

Please notify [REDACTED] to contact Animal Control Regarding the bite.

Dates

Date of Initial Contact with Owner: 2015-01-23

Date of Visual Confinement: 2015-01-23

Date of Target Release: 2015-01-31

Date of Visual Release: 2015-02-02

Date Person(s) Exposed Contacted: 2015-02-05

Closing

Investigation Status: In Progress

Ted Korzeniecki, C.P.H.I. (C.)