

APPLICATION FOR SEARCH WARRANT

TOWN COURT, TOWN OF _____, COUNTY OF _____

I, _____ a Sworn Police Officer of the State of New York, To Wit: A _____ Police Officer. I do hereby state that there is reasonable cause to believe that property of a kind or character described in Section 690.10 of the Criminal Procedure Law may be found in or upon a designated place, vehicle or person.

THE FACTS SUPPORTING MY STATEMENT ABOVE, and the request for special authority set out below are on information and belief and the sources of my information and belief are: The attached statement(s) of _____.

A. CHARACTER OF PROPERTY AS STOLEN, UNLAWFULLY POSSESSED, USED TO COMMIT OFFENSE, AS EVIDENCE, ETC.

As Evidence. As in the use in and as the result of cruelty and neglect of animals as described in Article 26, sections 353 and 373 -2 of the Agriculture & Markets Law of the State of New York.

B. THE PROPERTY IS: Animals - or ---example - German Shepherd Dog (or whatever breed)

C. DESIGNATION OF PLACE, VEHICLE OR PERSON TO BE SEARCHED:

The residence of _____ . Located at: _____ .
The property being further described as _____
(describe house and surrounding property) approx. (describe location)

D. SOURCE OF INFORMATION AND BASIS OF BELIEF:

The attached statements of _____ which are made a part of this application.

I therefore request that the court issue a Search Warrant directing the search and seizure of any animals located at the _____ residence in accordance with Article 26 section 373-2, along with any other property for evidence used to prove the commission of an offense of animal cruelty . I further request that the court allow the humane euthanasia by a veterinarian of any animal that is found to be so maimed, diseased, disabled or infirm so as to be unfit for any useful purpose in accordance with Article 26, section 374.

I request that the search be directed to any Police Officer of the _____ along with any proper or necessary assistance.

Police Dept , Town of _____

Subscribed and Sworn Before me

This _____ day of _____ 20_____

Honorable Town Justice

SEARCH WARRANT

_____ TOWN COURT
STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF _____

TO ANY POLICE OFFICER ALONG WITH ANY OTHER PROPERTY OR NECESSARY ASSISTANCE:

YOU ARE DIRECTED TO SEARCH THE FOLLOWING PREMISES:

The outside residence of _____. Said residence and property is located _____.

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO SEARCH FOR AND SEIZE THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

Animal (s) found neglected or not properly cared for in accordance with Sections 353 and 373-2 of Article 26 of the Agriculture & Markets Law along with any other property used to prove the commission of the offense.

You are further authorized to humanely euthanize by a veterinary, any animal that is found to be so maimed, diseased, disabled or infirm so as to be unfit for any useful purpose in accordance with Article 26, section 374.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00am AND 9:00pm TO CONDUCT SUCH SEARCH AND, IF YOU FIND SUCH PROPERTY, OR ANY PART THEREOF, A SEARCH WARRANT RETURN IS TO BE MADE TO ME LISTING AND IDENTIFYING THE PROPERTY SEIZED, WHICH I FURTHER DIRECT BE SAFEGUARDED BY YOUR AGENCY.

THIS WARRANT MUST BE EXECUTED NO MORE THAN TEN (10) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF ITS ISSUANCE.

DATED AT THE TOWN OF _____, NEW YORK, THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 20____.

Honorable Town Justice
Town of _____