Proposed name of Veterinary shop _____

	COMPLIANCE	
	YES	**NO**
36. General structural requirements (1) A veterinary shop must -		
(a) Be a permanent structure. (This is not intended to exclude buildings, which are factory produced and site assembled, e.g. a prefabricated building as the word "permanent "relates to the materials used and not the building itself);		
(b) Have adequate lighting and ventilation;		
(c) Have internal walls and floor surfaces that are neat and constructed of impervious materials to ensure that hygienic conditions can be maintained.		
(d) Have sufficient storage space to ensure hygienic, insect and rodent free storage of all items stocked in the veterinary shop; and		
(e) Have provision for the display of merchandise in or on neat and attractive display cabinets, shelving, counters and tables that have impervious surfaces that can be properly cleaned and disinfected.		
37. General procedural requirements (1) Only a veterinarian may have a financial interest in and own a veterinary shop.		
(2) No staff employed at a veterinary shop that are not qualified as a veterinary professional or para-veterinary professional, may give any advice whatsoever regarding the products on sale, unless they have completed a minimum training course acceptable to Council to ensure that they are adequately and appropriately trained and qualified to offer a professional service to the public;		
(3) Attendance certificates must be kept for each staff member as proof of completion of the acceptable training course.		

(4) Any consultation or service requests of a veterinary clinical nature should be referred to a registered veterinary facility.		
(5) Veterinary or para-veterinary professional supervision at a veterinary shop is essential with active and visible participation in the activities of the veterinary shop.		
38. Sale of merchandise (1) The following products may be sold at a veterinary shop:		
(a) Medicines that are registered as schedule 0 medicines in terms of the Medicines Act;		
(b) Stock remedies registered without any conditions for sale or use in terms of the Stock Remedies Act, or any relevant Act it may be substituted with; and		
(c) Any other veterinary pharmaceutical products including products for which the manufacturer has limited the sale to veterinary professionals.		
(2) Stock remedies registered with restricted requirements such as for “use by or under the control of a veterinarian only” in terms of the Stock Remedies Act, or any relevant Act it may be substituted with, may only be sold if a veterinarian has advised on the suitability of the stock remedy and is present in the veterinary shop at the time of the sale.		
(3) No medicines registered as schedule 1 or any higher schedule in terms of the Medicines Act may be sold from a veterinary shop.		
(4) No live animals are to be kept for sale or sold at a veterinary shop.		