21 June 2023 – National and or Provincial Nature conservation officials have reportedly conducted several site inspections of captive lion facilities, investigation permit compliance, lion numbers and current employment numbers.

It is presumed this initiative is conducted in line with the work being done by the Ministerial Taks Team. Members are advised to have all their information in order and to contact WRSA should they require any assistance.

Watch the SABC interview with the Chairman of the Lion Task Team here: <u>Task team urgently investigates captive lion breeding amidst global outcry: Kamalasen Chetty (youtube.com)</u>