DYSTOCIA IN SHE CAMEL AND ITS CORRECTION WITH PERCUTANEOUS FOETOTOMY - A CASE REPORT

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ABSTRACT

A case of dystocia in a Bikaneri she camel with foetal presentation of dorsal deviation of neck and bilateral flexion of both fore limbs at shoulder joint. Dystocia was relieved by performing percutaneous foetotomy of neck and both legs using thygesons foetotome. Remaining foetus was delivered by traction through the birth canal lubricated with liquid paraffin. The post-operative administration of antibiotics, anti-inflammatory, multi-vitamin and fluid therapy was followed and the animal was discharged in healthy condition.

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