

Animal Welfare Rating Scheme: Appeal form

Notes for businesses

- As the business operator of the establishment you have the right to appeal the animal welfare rating given following your inspection, if you do not agree that the rating reflects the animal welfare standards and risk levels found at the time of the inspection.
 - You have 21 days (including weekends and bank holidays) from the date of receipt of the notification letter to lodge an appeal.
 - Please use the form below and return it to the Environmental Health Service.
 - The Head of Service (or nominated Officer) for Environmental Health will review your rating and communicate the outcome of your appeal to you within 21 days.
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Business details

Animal welfare business Operator/Proprietor

Business name

Business address

Business tel number

Business e-mail

Inspection details

Date of inspection

Animal Welfare rating given

Date notified of rating

Appeal

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I do not agree with the animal welfare rating given by the inspecting officer because (please explain below under each of the five headings)

Compliance history

- inspections
- follow up action
- re-inspection

Complaint history

- complaints to the Council
- complaints to the business

Appreciation of welfare standards

- enrichment

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Appreciation of hazards/risks

- maintenance
- knowledge and experience
- dealing with issues

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Welfare management procedures

- written procedures
- supervision of staff
- record keeping

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Signature

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Name in capitals

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Position

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Date

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Please return this form to:

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The Water Gardens
Harlow
Essex CM20 1WG

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