

MANDATORY CONDITIONS TO BE ATTACHED TO ZOO LICENCES
(Taken from section 1A of the Zoo Licensing Act 1981 (Amendment) (England and Wales)
Regulations 2002)

Conservation measures for zoos

1A The following are conservation measures to be implemented in zoos in accordance with this Act –

- (a) participating in at least one of the following –
 - (i) research from which conservation benefits accrue to species of wild animals;
 - (ii) training in relevant conservation skills;
 - (iii) the exchange of information relating to the conservation of species of wild animals;
 - (iv) where appropriate, breeding of wild animals in captivity; and
 - (v) where appropriate, the repopulation of an area with, or the reintroduction into the wild of, wild animals;
- (b) promoting public education and awareness in relation to the conservation of biodiversity, in particular by providing information about the species of wild animals kept in the zoo and their natural habitats;
- (c) accommodating their animals under conditions which aim to satisfy the biological and conservation requirements of the species to which they belong, including –
 - (i) providing each animal with an environment well-adapted to meet the physical, psychological and social needs of the species to which it belongs, and
 - (ii) providing a high standard of animal husbandry with a developed programme of preventative and curative veterinary care and nutrition;
- (d) preventing the escape of animals and putting in place measures to be taken in the event of any escape or unauthorized release of animals;
- (e) preventing the intrusion of pests and vermin into the zoo premises, and
- (f) keeping up-to-date records of the zoo's collection, including records of –
 - (i) the numbers of different animals;
 - (ii) acquisitions, births, deaths, disposals and escapes of animals;
 - (iii) the causes of any such deaths; and
 - (iv) the health of the animals.



MALVERN HILLS DISTRICT COUNCIL

ZOO LICENSING ACT 1981

Application for the Grant of a Zoo Licence

Note – In accordance with section 2, this form may not be submitted to the local authority until at least 2 months after submission of the required notice of intention to make application for a zoo licence to the local authority; of publication of that intention in one local and one national newspaper; and of exhibition of a copy of the press notice at the site of the proposed zoo

Applicant's details:

Name of Applicant(s)

Address of Applicant(s) (to where correspondence should be sent)

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Application details:

Address of Premises for which Zoo Licence is required

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Proposed Trading Name of Zoo

Date(s) Notice of Intention to make application was published*

Name of Publication

Date of Publication

*(must be at least one local publication and one national publication)

Are there any significant changes in the information supplied in the Notice of Intention referred to above?

Yes No

If YES, what are those changes
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Do any persons presently employed (or proposed to b employed) have any convictions under Animal Welfare or Wildlife Legislation?

Yes No

If YES, please give details
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Are there any other matters you would like to bring to the attention of the Council?

Yes No

If YES,
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Signed

Date

Please return this form to:-

The Licensing Department
Malvern Hills District Council
The Council Office
Avenue Road
Malvern
Worcestershire
WR14 3AF

Tel 01684 862151
Fax: 01684 574906
Minicom 01684 862186

**NOTICE TO LOCAL AUTHORITY – OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A ZOO LICENCE
(NEW ZOOS AND EXISTING ZOOS SUBJECT TO A DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 6(1)(b)
OF THE ACT)**

Note – Applicants seeking a licence for a new zoo (or applicants subject to a direction under section 6(1)(b) of the Act) are required to give to the local authority in accordance with section 2(1) of the Act.

ZOO LICENSING Act 1981 – Section 2

Applicant's details:

Name of Applicant(s)

Address of Applicant(s) (to where correspondence should be sent)

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Hereby give notice that in not less than 2 months after publication in one local newspaper and one national newspaper of a notice of intention to make an application for a licence to operate a proposed zoo at

Application details:

Address of Premises for which Zoo Licence is required

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I/We intend to make an application for such a licence to Malvern Hills District Council.

The particulars with regard to the proposed zoo and its operation, as required by section 2(2) of the Act are as follows –

Section 2(2)(a) – animals

Taxonomic category of Order and approximate number in each group

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[Note – As an alternative to listing on this form a proposed stock list may be attached]

Give brief details of the animal accommodation to be provided (i.e. the number, type, approximate size and security of enclosure, including confined quarters during the night and winter, and the grouping of animals).

[Note – if preferred, this information may be submitted in the form of annotated drawings or plans. In any event, a plan showing the proposed layout for the zoo should be submitted]

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Maintenance and well-being

Give brief details of arrangements to be made for the animals' maintenance and well-being, including information about the provision, storage and preparation of food and arrangements for veterinary care, including preventative measures.

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(b) Section 2(2)(b) – staff
Staff numbers and categories

Give details of the numbers and categories of staff to be employed in the zoo

- (i) Senior administrative staff under director/manager.....
- (ii) Other administrative staff.....
- (iii) Keeper staff.....
- (iv) Maintenance staff.....
- (v) Others (please specify)
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(c) Section 2(2)(c) –
Visitors and motor vehicles

- (i) Approximate number of visitors who are to be accommodated per day.....
- (ii) Type and size of car-parking facilities (if any).....
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- (iii) Safari Parks – approximate number of vehicles which are to be accommodated per day.....
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(d) Section 2(2)(d) –
Access

Give details of the approximate number and position of the means of access to be provided to the premises. [Note – if preferred this information may be submitted in the form of an annotated drawing or plan.]

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(e) Section (2A) –
Conservation measures

Please specify and provide details of how the conservation measures referred to in section 1A of the Zoo Licensing Act 1981 ('Amendment) (England and Wales) Regulations 2002 are being or will be implemented at the zoo

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Signed(intended Zoo Operator)

Date.....

Please return this completed form to: Licensing Department, Malvern Hills District Council, The Council House, Avenue Road, Malvern, Worcestershire, WR14 3AF

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Name of Applicant(s)

Address of Applicant(s) (to where correspondence should be sent)

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A written notice of the intention to make application for a zoo licence, giving details about the proposed zoo, has been sent to the said Council. This may be inspected, free of charge, at The Worcestershire Hub, The Library, Graham Road, Malvern, Worcestershire

Signed

Date