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Dear [REDACTED]

PROVISION OF REQUESTED INFORMATION

Thank you for your request for information about zoos which we received on 26 September 2016. Your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The information you requested and our response is detailed below:

“Please can you provide me with a full list of the names of all Zoos in the UK. Under the classification of 'Zoos' I am including any place where a member of the public can visit or observe captive animals: zoological parks, centres or gardens; aquariums, oceanariums or aquatic attractions; wildlife centres; butterfly farms; petting farms or petting zoos.

“Please also provide me the date of when each zoo has received its license under the Zoo License act 1981.”

See Appendix 1 for a list that APHA hold on current licensed zoos affected by the Zoo License Act 1981 in Great Britain (England, Scotland and Wales), as at 26 September 2016 (date of request). The information relating to Northern Ireland is not held by APHA. Any potential information maybe held with the Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs Northern Ireland (DAERA-NI).

Where there are blanks on the zoo license start date that means the information you have requested is not held by APHA.

Please note that the Local Authorities' Trading Standard departments are responsible for administering and issuing zoo licensing under the Zoo Licensing Act 1981. APHA are only responsible for maintaining a list of zoo inspectors and nominating them for inspections. Therefore the attached Appendix has been produced from APHA's list of inspectors nominated to inspect a zoo, and any recorded information within that.

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If you have any queries about this letter, please contact the Access to Information Team at the email address below or postal address at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

ACCESS TO INFORMATION TEAM

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Annex

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Appendix 1

Licensed zoos	
Zoo	Current licence start date
Africa Alive	01 July 2008
Alladale Wilderness Reserve	
Alton Towers Sealife	05 March 2013
Amazon World	06 June 2008
Amazona Zoo	12 June 2012
Amazonia	
Anglesey Sea Zoo	
Animal Enterprises Ltd	14 July 2010
Animal Experience	01 April 2013
Animal Gardens	01 March 2009
Animal World	18 March 2010
Arundel Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust	09 November 2007
Auchingarrich Wildlife Centre	
Avon Valley Country Park	17 October 2013
Axe Valley Bird and Animal Park	01 January 2012
Banham Zoo Ltd	02 July 2013
Barleylands Farm Centre	
Barn Owl Centre	14 August 2008
Barnes Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust	01 June 2010
Battersea Park Childrens Zoo	16 September 2011
Battlefield Falconry Centre	24 January 2012
Baytree Owl Centre	10 July 2010
Beale Park	09 July 2008
Beaver Zoological Gardens and Reptile Rescue Ltd	26 July 2013
Beaverhall	12 February 2015
Becky Fall's Woodland Park Ltd	21 April 2010
Bentley Wildfowl Collection	01 July 2013
Berkshire College of Agriculture	13 July 2015
Birdland Park Ltd	23 January 2009
Birdworld and Underwater World	10 February 2007
Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park	17 November 2013
Black Isle Wildlife & Country Park	
Blackpool Zoo	28 May 2007
Blair Drummond Safari & Adventure Park	
Blenheim Palace Butterfly House	11 June 2013
Blue Planet Aquarium	08 January 2013
Blue Reef	12 June 2008
Blue Reef Aquarium	05 July 2011
Blue Reef Aquarium	15 October 2013

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Blue Reef Aquarium	31 March 2011
Blue Reef Aquarium	25 May 2012
Bodafon Farm Park (North Wales Bird Trust)	
Bolton Museum Aquarium	12 July 2013
Bowland Wild Boar Park	25 June 2009
Brent Lodge Park Animal Centre	25 September 2013
Bridlington Bird of Prey & Animal Park	19 December 2014
Bristol Zoo Gardens	01 April 2013
British Wildlife Centre	23 August 2008
British Wildlife Rescue Centre	21 May 2013
Brockwood Animal Sanctuary	24 October 2011
Buckfast Butterflies and Dartmoor Otter Sanctuary	19 March 2008
Bugtopia	
Butterfly House	01 July 2009
Butterfly House and Bird House	27 November 2009
Butterfly World Ltd	01 June 2009
Cairngorm Reindeer Centre	
Calderglen Childrens' Zoo	
Camperdown Wildlife Centre	
Canterbury Oast Trust, Rare Breeds Centre (South of England Rare Breeds Centre)	01 June 2012
Cantref Farm Park	
Capel Manor College	04 December 2013
Cheshire Falconry Limited	01 July 2013
Chessington World of Adventures	21 September 2007
Chester Cathedral Falconry & Nature Garden	17 July 2015
Chester Zoo	01 April 2013
Chestnut Centre Otter, Owl & Wildlife Park	19 September 2011
Chew Valley Country Farms	02 October 2013
Clacton Pier Seaquarium	04 April 2011
Colchester Zoo	19 June 2013
Combe Martin Wildlife and Dinosaur Park	24 June 2008
Cornish Bird of Prey Centre	25 April 2012
Cotebrook Shire Horse Centre and Countryside Park	21 October 2009
Cotswold Falconry Centre	18 August 2010
Cotswold Wildlife Park	29 November 2012
Crealy Great Adventure Park	21 April 2011
Crealy Great Adventure Park (Cornwall)	19 September 2013
Crocodiles of The World	08 August 2011

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Crystal Palace Park Farm	02 June 2013
Dalhousie Falconry	
Dartmoor Zoological Park	02 July 2011
Deep Sea World	
Devon Bird of Prey Centre	07 February 2010
Doniford Farm Park	13 July 2012
Down at the Farm	28 July 2010
Drayton Manor Park and Zoo	01 February 2013
Drusillas Zoo Park	25 January 2013
Dudley Zoological Gardens	11 August 2013
Eagle Heights Bird of Prey Centre	22 August 2012
Earnley Butterflies Birds and Beasts	01 July 2012
Eclipse Falconry	01 March 2013
Edinburgh Butterfly and Insect World	
Edinburgh Zoo	
Escot Aquaculture Ltd	25 September 2012
Eshott Heugh Animal Park	27 July 2015
Exmoor Falconry & Animal Farm	15 January 2009
Exmoor Zoological Park	11 January 2013
Falconry Centre (Hagley)	10 December 2008
Falconry UK Birds of Prey and Conservation Centre	03 December 2013
Falcons of Thorp Perrow (Bolton Castle)	09 July 2014
Fallowfields Falconry at Millets Farm	30 May 2013
Festival Park Owl Sanctuary	
Five Sisters Zoo Park	
Flamingo Land Theme Park and Zoo	05 June 2013
Folly Farm	
Fort Victoria Marine Aquarium	01 April 2013
Foxburrows Farm	16 November 2008
Fritton Owl Sanctuary	
Galloway Wildlife Conservation Park	
Gauntlet Bird of Prey Centre, Eagle & Vulture Park	01 April 2009
Gentleshaw Wildlife Centre	26 April 2011
Golders Hill Park Zoo	01 April 2008
Great Yarmouth Sea Life Centre	16 March 2013
Greenacres Animal Park	
Greendale Farm Shop	
Greenmeadow Farm	
Hamerton Zoological Park	01 August 2013

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Harewood Bird Garden	22 June 2007
Hatton Country World	01 October 2011
Haven Falconry	08 February 2016
Hawk Conservancy Trust	02 July 2013
Hawkforce Birds of Prey	
Hawkwise Falconry	20 April 2010
Heads Of Ayr Farm Park	
Hemsley Conservation Centre	
Henfold Birds of Prey	01 April 2010
Highland Wildlife Park	
Hobbledown	08 November 2012
Hoo Farm Animal Kingdom	27 July 2014
Horniman Museum & Gardens	09 April 2014
Howletts Wild Animal Park	03 July 2007
Hunstanton Sea Life Sanctuary	24 February 2012
Huxley's Experience	01 January 2012
Ilfracombe Aquarium	18 July 2011
International Centre for Birds of Prey	21 February 2013
International Centre for Birds of Prey - Duncombe	22 March 2013
Isle of Wight Owl and Falconry Centre	29 October 2009
Isle of Wight Zoo	01 April 2013
Kielder Water Bird of Prey Centre	06 May 2007
Kingsley Bird & Falconry Centre	16 August 2010
Kirkleatham Owl Centre	04 September 2014
Kirkley Hall	25 May 2015
Knockhatch Adventure Park	09 April 2008
Knowsley Safari Park	01 March 2013
Lake District Coast Aquarium	01 June 2011
Lake District Wildlife Park (Formally Trotters)	01 April 2012
Lakeland Bird of Prey Centre	14 September 2010
Lakeland Wildlife Oasis	01 May 2008
Lakes Aquarium	01 May 2008
Liberty's Raptor & Reptile Centre	11 February 2009
Lightwater Valley Bird of Prey Centre	27 April 2013
Linton Zoological Gardens	18 January 2008
Little Owl Farm Park	08 February 2014
Living Coasts	27 June 2007
Llama Karma Kafe	22 January 2015
Llanelli Wetland Centre - WWT	

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Zoo	Current licence start date
Loch Lomond Aquarium	
Loch Lomond Bird of Prey Centre	
London Aquarium	01 April 2007
London Zoo	22 January 2008
Longleat Safari Park	02 July 2013
Lotherton Hall Bird Garden	22 June 2007
Mablethorpe Seal Sanctuary	01 June 2009
Macduff Marine Aquarium	12 January 2010
Mainsgill Farmshop	20 February 2013
Manchester Museum Aquarium & Vivarium	01 January 2015
Manor Farm Animal Centre and Donkey Sanctuary	09 February 2011
Manor House Wildlife Park	
Martin Mere Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust	05 January 2008
Marwell Wildlife	14 January 2013
Monkey Sanctuary Trust (Wild Futures)	10 April 2008
Monkey World	01 June 2010
Monreith Animal World	
National Marine Aquarium	14 July 2008
National Parrot Sanctuary	16 July 2009
National Sea Life Centre	17 June 2012
National Seal Sanctuary	21 July 2007
National Zoological Society of Wales (Welsh Mountain Zoo)	
Natureland Seal Sanctuary	01 June 2009
New Forest Wildlife Park	04 April 2014
Newquay Zoo	05 December 2007
Noah's Ark Zoo Farm	30 May 2011
Norfolk Dinosaur Park	14 April 2010
Normanby Hall Country Park	
North Cornwall Aviaries	08 December 2004
North Devon Bird of Prey Centre	01 April 2008
North Somerset Butterfly House	05 August 2010
Notter Animal Park	17 October 2012
Oasis Camel Centre	15 September 2011
Oceanarium	31 December 2009
Old MacDonalds Educational & Leisure Park	01 September 2010
Orkney Marine Life Aquarium	
Owl Centre	01 January 2012
Paignton Zoological Gardens	27 June 2007
Paradise Park Wildlife Sanctuary	28 October 2008

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Paradise Wildlife Park	01 September 2008
Paultons Park	15 August 2013
Peckforton Castle Falconry	01 June 2013
Pensthorpe Nature Reserve & Gardens	21 October 2008
Perriswood Archery and Falconry Centre	
Pets Corner	14 July 2014
Pettitts Animal Adventure Park	17 July 2013
Pili Palas	
Pinewood Park	
Plantasia	
Ponderosa Farm Rural Therapeutic Centre	01 July 2013
Porfell Animal Land Wildlife Park	11 April 2008
Port Lympne Wild Animal Park	24 April 2014
Poundffald Farm	
Predator Experience	01 February 2011
Prinknash Bird and Deer Park	06 September 2008
Puxton Park Falconry Centre	02 March 2015
Queens Park Zoo	
Raptor Foundation	01 June 2013
Rare Species Conservation Centre	01 August 2011
Reaseheath College	01 April 2009
Safari Zoo (Formally South Lakes Wild Animal Park)	08 June 2010
Safe Haven Exotics	
Scarborough Sea Life & Marine Sanctuary	04 July 2013
Scottish Deer Centre	
Scottish Owl Centre	
Scottish Sea Life Sanctuary	
Screech Owl Sanctuary	09 October 2012
Sea Life Adventure	04 August 2009
Sea Life Centre	27 July 2006
Sea Life Centre	17 May 2013
Sea Life Centre	11 May 2013
Seaquarium	
SeaQuarium	01 January 2012
Seaview Wildlife Encounter	08 July 2013
Secret World Wildlife Rescue	22 May 2012
Sewerby Zoo	15 December 2014
Shaldon Wildlife Trust	01 January 2009
Shepreth Wildlife Park	01 January 2008

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Shorelands Wildlife and Conservation Centre	21 June 2013
Skegness Aquarium	
Slimbridge Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust	01 July 2013
Smithills Open Farm	03 August 2010
South Cave Falconry and Owl Conservation Centre	29 November 2013
South Shields Museum & Art Gallery	05 November 2008
South Staffordshire College (Rodbaston College)	19 October 2011
Sparsholt College (14.2 but SEND 2 INSPECTORS)	19 September 2010
St Andrews Aquarium	
Stockley Working Farm	23 May 2010
Stratford on Avon Butterfly Farm	11 March 2009
Strathblane Falconry	
Studley Grange Butterfly World	10 July 2008
Suffolk Owl Sanctuary	31 August 2011
Swinton Park Bird of Prey Centre	06 May 2012
Tamar Otter Sanctuary	10 September 2010
The Animalarium	
The Deep	30 January 2012
The Falcons of Thorp Perrow	01 April 2010
The Great North Museum - Hancock	10 July 2013
The Jungle	01 July 2012
The Magic of Life Butterfly House	
The Owl and Falconry Centre	20 February 2013
The Owl and Monkey Haven	17 August 2013
The Owl Experience Rescue Centre	24 November 2014
The Peak Wildlife Project	30 September 2014
The Whitehouse Farm Centre	01 January 2008
Thrigby Hall Wildlife Gardens	01 February 2013
Tiggywinkles Visitor Centre	26 May 2010
Tilgate Nature Centre	11 July 2012
Trentham Monkey Forest Ltd	16 June 2009
Tropical Birdland (Leicestershire) Ltd	01 February 2010
Tropical Butterfly House Wildlife & Falconry Centre	13 April 2010
Tropical Wings	01 November 2010
Tropical World	22 June 2007
Tropiquaria	19 August 2008
Turbary Woods Owl & Bird of Prey Sanctuary	28 April 2009
Twin Lakes Park	28 April 2009
Twycross Zoological Gardens	21 September 2012

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UK Wolf Conservation Trust	08 September 2011
Vale Royal Falconry	09 August 2012
Waddesdon Manor Aviary	22 May 2013
Wales Ape and Monkey Sanctuary	
Walworth Castle Birds of Prey	01 April 2015
Warren Mill Farm Park	
Warwick Castle	28 May 2008
Washington Wildfowl and Wetlands Trust	22 August 2013
Welsh Hawking Centre	
West Leeds Country Park Visitors Centre	09 July 2007
West Midlands Safari Park	20 June 2008
Wetlands Animal Park	08 October 2011
Weymouth Sea Life Park	28 March 2009
Wheelgate Park	31 October 2009
Whipsnade Wild Animal Park	18 December 2011
Wild Place	31 July 2013
Wildlife Heritage Foundation	28 March 2011
Wildwood	16 June 2011
Willows Farm Village	22 February 2014
Windsor Lego Park - Atlantis Submarine Voyage Aquarium	19 May 2011
Wingham Wildlife Park	01 November 2010
Wingz Bird Sanctuary	19 May 2010
Woburn Safari Park	07 August 2007
Woodlands Leisure Park	22 September 2010
Woodside Animal Farm and Leisure Park	20 July 2014
Woodside Falconry and Conservation Centre	10 April 2011
World Museum Liverpool	05 May 2009
World of Country Life	07 November 2012
World of Wings	
Wye Valley Butterfly Zoo	01 August 2008
Wyld Court Rainforest (Living Rainforest)	05 November 2010
Yarak Birds of Prey	01 March 2012
York Bird of Prey Centre	21 May 2013
Yorkshire Dales Falconry and Conservation Centre	01 June 2007
Yorkshire Wildlife Park (formerly Brockholes)	14 February 2012