

Return of expenditure incurred and prosecutions taken under the Animal Health Act 1981 and incidences of disease in imported animals for the year 2015

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ANNUAL RETURN

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This statutory return is required to be made and laid before Parliament in accordance with Section 80 of the Animal Health Act 1981 and includes only data relating to England and Wales.

The Scottish Government Rural Directorate will compile a separate report.

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CONVICTIONS ACHIEVED UNDER THE ANIMAL HEALTH ACT 1981

AND OTHER ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE LEGISLATION BY

LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN 2015¹

Policy area	Convictions achieved:
Animal By-Products	35
Biosecurity (including animal gatherings)	0
Cattle Identification, Movement and Records	19
Sheep & Goat Identification, Movement and Records	6
Pig Identification, Movement and Records	2
Disease Control and Standing Regime Controls	5
Welfare on Farm (including Medicine Records)	35
Welfare during Transport	8
Welfare at Markets (and other places of sale)	3
Birds, Poultry and Hatching Eggs	0
Bovine Tuberculosis	8
Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies	2
Imports/Rabies	4
Equine Identification/Horse Passports	7
Feed Hygiene	1

¹ This return is compiled from information supplied to APHA by local authorities using Defra form AH134.

TABLE 2 COMPENSATION PAID FOR ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF ANIMAL DISEASES IN 2015

Type of disease	Amount (£):
Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy ¹	Nil
Bovine Offspring Cull (BOC) ¹	£727
Cohort Cull ¹	£11,963
Scrapie ¹	£450
Compulsory Scrapie Flocks Scheme ²	NIL
Bovine Tuberculosis	£44,780,000
Notifiable Disease	£168,854
TOTAL GROSS COMPENSATION	£44,961,994
Less receipts from salvage of carcasses:	
Bovine Tuberculosis	£11,900,000
TOTAL NET COMPENSATION PAID	£33,061,994

Notes

All figures have been rounded up to the nearest pound (£).

TABLE 3 NUMBER OF IMPORTED ANIMALS AND BIRDS LANDED AND FOUND TO BE AFFECTED BY A NOTIFIABLE DISEASE IN 2015

Legislation	Type of animal	Number	Countries of origin		Type of disease	Methods of disposal
N/A	N/A	Nil	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ This compensation is paid under Regulations made under the European Communities Act.

² Compensation paid under this Scheme was first included in this report in 2006.

Annex 1

DETAILS OF CONVICTIONS ACHIEVED

Local Authority	Name and address of offender	Summarised nature of each offence(s)	Relevant Act, Order or Regulation**	Result
Cheshire East Council	Anthony Ronald Kirkham Ridley Farm Ridley, Tarporley, Cheshire	Movement of cattle to non-permitted destinations/in contravention of bovine TB controls, and movements within 6 day standstill period (11 offences in total)	The Tuberculosis (England) Order 2007 Disease Control (England) Order 2003	Date of Hearing: 12/01/2015 Place: Chester Crown Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 4 months imprisonment (serving a minimum of 2 months)
City of London Corporation	British Airways Cargo Carrus Building, Heathrow Airport Hounslow, TW6 2JS	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	The Welfare of Animals (Transport)(England) Order 2006	Date of hearing: 24/03/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £1000 Costs: £676
City of London Corporation	United Continental Airlines Building 550, Shoreham Road, East Hounslow, Middlesex, TW6 3UA	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	The Welfare of Animals (Transport)(England) Order 2006	Date of hearing: 24/03/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £2500 Costs: £796
City of London Corporation	Lufthansa German Airline Building 557, Shoreham Road, West Heathrow Airport, London	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	The Welfare of Animals (Transport)(England) Order 2006	Date of hearing: 24/03/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £1500 Costs: £726
City of London Corporation	United Continental Airlines Building 550, Shoreham Road, East Hounslow, Middlesex, TW6 3UA	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	The Welfare of Animals (Transport)(England) Order 2006	Date of hearing: 24/03/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £1000 Costs: £676
Cornwall Council	Andrew John Arnold Ramtor, Rosenun, Liskeard, PL14 3QE	Appeal against Disqualification under Section 34 of the Animal Welfare Act 2006 Appeal for termination of disqualification imposed	Section 34 of the Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 06/01/2015 Place: Bodmin Magistrates Court Plea entered: Appeal against disqualification Penalty: Appeal not upheld Costs: £400
Cornwall Council	Thomas James Collins Paul Anthony Collins Trenoweth Farm, Gweek, Helston, Cornwall	11 offences of causing unnecessary suffering to cattle, sheep and pigs. Additional offences for failing to meet the needs of cattle, sheep and pigs	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 19-23/01/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 100 hrs community order; life-time full bans for cattle, sheep and pigs – no appeal for 5 years; 4 month custodial sentence suspended for 2 years Costs: £24,000
Cornwall Council	Michael Selwyn Hart Trevarren Farm, Caerhays, Cornwall, PL26 6LP	Failure to dispose of 2 sheep carcasses Causing unnecessary suffering to sheep Failed to meet the needs of pigs and sheep Failure to provide clean housing to chickens	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 Animal Welfare Act 2006 Feed (Hygiene and Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2005	Date of Hearing: 22/04/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 18 weeks imprisonment; 5 year full ban from keeping all farm animals; Costs: £960 Appeal Hearing: 14/05/2015 Place: Bodmin Magistrates Court Plea entered: Appeal on sentence Result: Full sentence upheld

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Derbyshire County Council	Gerald Huw Thomas Hawksworth, Moor Grange, Shardlow, Derbyshire	Causing unnecessary suffering to a sheep	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 29/01/2015 Place: Derby Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £280 Costs: £400 plus Victim's Surcharge £28
Derbyshire County Council	Stephen Edward Buxton Breach Cottage, Sudbury, Derbyshire	Failed to collect, identify and transport ABP material (ovine, bovine and porcine) without undue delay under conditions which prevented risks to public and animal health Failed to hold carcases of two cattle in such a manner as to prevent access by birds and other animals as required	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 02/04/2015 Place: Derby Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £3500 Costs: £750 plus Victim's Surcharge: £120
Derbyshire County Council	Brian Geoffrey Buxton (see above)	Failed to collect, identify and transport ABP material (ovine, bovine and porcine) without undue delay under conditions which prevented risks to public and animal health Failed to dispose of a bovine carcase by a permitted route, namely by feeding to dogs and burning the remainder	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 02/04/2015 Place: Derby Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £3500 Costs: £750 plus Victim's Surcharge: £120
Ceredigion County Council	David Geraint Davies Dolau, Llanilar, Ceredigion, SY23 4NS	Fed pigs with catering waste or feed material containing or derived from catering waste	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) Wales Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 11/06/2015 Place: Aberystwyth Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £750 Costs: £500 costs and victim surcharge of £76
Cumbria County Council	Peter Richardson Bonnie Mount, Edenhall, Penrith, CA11 8SR	Destroyed the body of five bovine animals that must be tested for BSE by feeding them to his pack of hounds before they had undergone sampling at an approved site As an operator of a collection centre supplying material to a final user, namely meat to his pack of hounds, failed to treat the said meat by failing to stain meat correctly. Failed to record and keep animal by-products records	Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (England) Regulations 2010 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 11/03/2015 Place: Carlisle Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £600 Costs: £2126.30 plus Victim surcharge £30
Cumbria County Council	Messrs C Dent (partnership) Bridge End Farm, Kirkby Thore, Penrith, CA10 1UZ	Failure to TB test cattle as required by a notice Failure to carry out such steps as would ensure that bovine carcasses eligible for TSE testing were correctly sampled and tested Failure to register and records bovine animal deaths and movements as required by legislation Failure to record and maintain animal by-product records A further 613 offences were taken into consideration on sentencing – all covered by offences summarised above	The Tuberculosis (England) Order 2007 Animal Health Act 1981 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011 Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (England) Regulations 2010	Date of Hearing: 08/04/2015 Place: Carlisle Magistrates and Carlisle Crown Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £42,000 Costs: £7,500

Local Authority	Name and address of offender	Summarised nature of each offence(s)	Relevant Act, Order or Regulation**	Result
East Sussex County Council	Miss Clare Cotton The Retreat, Limes Lane, Buxted, TN22 4PB	Unnecessary suffering and duty of care offences. Also animal by-products and cattle identification discrepancies	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By Products Regulations 2005 Cattle ID Regulations 2007 Animal Health Act 1981 Welfare of Farmed Animals Regulation 2007	Date of Hearing: 03/02/2015 Place: Brighton Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Lifetime ban – goats/sheep/ pigs/cattle. 16 week custodial sentence suspended for 6 months. Costs: £150 costs plus £80 victim surcharge.
Hampshire County Council	Mr Luke James Bonner	Failed in duty of care towards bovine animals – lack of adequate drinking water, failure to protect from injury, failure to carry out specific stockmanship tasks as required by good practice that may have led to compromised welfare standards (failure to attend to overgrown hooves) Failure to dispose of sheep carcasses without undue delay through an approved disposal route Failure to record and report cattle deaths correctly Failure to replace cattle ear tags that had been lost or become illegible, and a failure to apply ear tags to new-born bovines within the prescribed timescales. Failure to report sheep movements correctly	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Sheep and Goats (Records, Identification and Movement) (England) Order 2009	Date of Hearing: 29/04/2015 Place: North Hampshire Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Disqualification Order — Disqualified from owning, keeping or participating in the keeping of sheep and cattle for 5 years Costs: £1,000.00
Herefordshire Council	Mr Clive Williams 2 Seabourne Cottages, Madley, Herefordshire, HR2 9PL	Failure to dispose of dead sheep carcasses and burnt sheep bones by an approved disposal route	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011	Date of Hearing: 23/01/2015 Place: Hereford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 1 month suspended sentence (for 2 years) Costs: £500
Kent County Council	Marcel Szamko	Illegal landing of dog into GB	Non Commercial Movement of Pet Animals (England) Regulations 2004 Rabies (Importation of Dogs, Cats and other Mammals) Order 1974 Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 27/01/2015 Place: Canterbury Magistrates Court Plea entered: Heard in absence Penalty: £200 Costs: £378 + £20 Victim Surcharge
Kent County Council	Jose Ramalhao Carvalho	Illegal landing of 1 dog and 1 cat into GB	Non Commercial Movement of Pet Animals (England) Regulations 2004 Rabies (Importation of Dogs, Cats and other Mammals) Order 1974 Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 27/01/2015 Place: Canterbury Magistrates Court Plea entered: Heard in absence Penalty: £150 Costs: £500 + £20 Victim Surcharge
Kent County Council	Arpad Godla	Illegal landing of 4 dogs into GB. Non Commercial Movement of Pet Animals (England) Regulations 2004 Rabies (Importation of Dogs, Cats and other Mammals) Order 1974	Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 30/06/2015 Place: Canterbury Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 2 years conditional discharge Costs: £520 + £15 Victim Surcharge

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Leicestershire County Council	Richard Palmer Hose Lodge, Canal Lane, Long Clawson, Leicestershire	Failure to take reasonable steps to ensure the needs of pigs and calves were met, to the extent required by good practice, namely the need to protect them from pain, suffering, injury and disease and to provide a suitable environment Failure to prevent a calf and a pig from unnecessarily suffering Failure to provide pigs with a sufficient quantity of fresh drinking water, minimise contamination of feed and water, provide a dry lying area, ensure appropriate veterinary care	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Leicester Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 26 weeks imprisonment and lifetime disqualification from keeping farmed livestock Costs: £80 victim surcharge
Monmouthshire County Council	B.E. Baker & Sons Ltd Kemeys, Commander, Usk, Monmouthshire	Moved a bovine animal onto a holding without the required licence whilst under TB restrictions. 11 Charges with a further 79 taken into consideration. The Tuberculosis (Wales) Order 2010	Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: Original 23/09/2013 POCA: 08/05/2015. Place: Cardiff Crown Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: POCA £112,800 2 year conditional discharge on all offences. Costs: £13,000
North Yorkshire County Council	lan Stuart Lancaster Rosedene, Carthorpe, Bedale, North Yorkshire, DL8 2LH	Causing unnecessary suffering to a bovine, a sheep and pigs. Failed to collect, identify and transport animal by-products, including a calf carcass via an approved disposal route	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011	Date of Hearing: 19/05/2015 Place: Northallerton Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 3 year conditional discharge and disqualified from keeping animals for 20 years apart from dog. Prohibited from managing a food business for 20 years. Costs: £500
North Yorkshire County Council	Richard Graham Robinson Howe Hill Farm, Upper Dunsforth, North Yorkshire, YO26 9RX	Failure to dispose of animal by-products (pig carcasses and cattle/pig bones) via an approved disposal route Failure to comply with an animal by-products notice issued by an authorised person Causing a pig to suffer unnecessarily Failure in duty of care towards pigs and cattle in that a safe environment was not provided Failure to comply with ear tag identification requirements for cattle	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013. Animal Welfare Act 2006. Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 06/05/2015 Place: Harrogate Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month community order & 120 hours unpaid work Costs: £1,000 plus Victim Surcharge: £60
Pembrokeshire County Council	Aled Morgan Brynhyfryd, Penffordd, Clynderwen	Causing unnecessary suffering to and failing in duty of care towards cattle and pigs Animal by-products offences Failure to report, and late reporting of, information required under cattle identification requirements Failure to report pig movements Failure to present a calf for TB testing and moving in contravention of bovine TB rules	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By Products (Enforcement)(No2) (Wales) Regulations 2011 Animal By Products (Enforcement)(Wales) 2014 Cattle Identification (Wales) Regulations 2007 Pigs (Records, Identification and Movements)(Wales) Order 2011 The Tuberculosis (Wales) Order 2010	Date of Hearing: 17/02/2015 Place: Haverfordwest Magistrates Courle Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Disqualification from keeping/owning all animals for 7 years. 300 hours unpaid community work. Costs: £2446.76 plus Victim Surcharge: £60

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Rhondda Cynon Taff County Borough Council	Kleran and Luke Price Hendre House, Ynysybwl	Failure to dispose horse carcases without undue delay Failure to transfer ownership details and record deaths on horse passports as required	The Animal by-products (Enforcement No2) (Wales) Regulations 2011 The Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2009	Date of Hearing: 19/02/2015 Place: Merthyr Tydfil Magistrates Court Plea entered: No Plea Penalty: £6000 Costs: £3197 plus Victim Surcharge: £300
Sheffield City Council	Lisa Morgan 35 Byron Road, Maltby, Rotherham, S66 7AL	Failure to comply with horse passport rules in relation to transfer of ownership	Horse Passport Regulations 2009	Date of hearing: 23/04/2015 Place: Sheffield Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £155 Costs: £118.79
Staffordshire County Council	Christopher Burton 22 Stavely Way, Gamston, Nottingham, NG2 6QR	Failure to register as an animal by-products operator with the competent authority prior to commencing activities Failure to implement and maintain compliance checks at animal by-product storage facility as required Failure to conduct all operations associated with an animal by-product collection, transport and storage facility in line with legal requirements Failure to complete correct documentation and maintain a record of animal by-products consignments	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 20/05/2015 Place: Stafford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month conditional discharge Costs: £2,000 plus Victim Surcharge: £15
Staffordshire County Council	Stephen Clowes Pool Hall Farm, Bradnop, Leek, Staffordshire, ST21 6AG	Failure in duty of care towards bovine animals – in particular the protection from pain and suffering through lameness, the provision of dry lying areas, the maintenance of concrete yards and passageways so as to protect animals from injury Failure to dispose of animal by-products (bovine carcass and pig bones) via an approved disposal route without undue delay and failed to prevent access to carcass by birds and animals pending removal Failure in duty of care towards donkeys Failure to correctly change ownership details on horse passports as required Failure in duty of care towards pigs – failed to protect from injury	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 Horse Passport (England) Regulations 2009 The Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 03/06/2015 Place: Stafford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £3,600 Costs: £1,500 plus Victim Surcharge £45
City and County of Swansea	Andrew Bradnum 5 Waldorf Court, Blaenymaes, SA5	Failure to identify six horses in line with legislation	Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2009	Date of Hearing: 10/12/2014 Place: Swansea Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £235 Costs: £475
City and County of Swansea	Phillip Flavin 44 Rheidol Ave, Clase, SA6 7JY	Failure to identify six horses in line with legislation	Equine Identification (Wales) Regulations 2009	Date of Hearing: 03/12/2014 Place: Swansea Magistrates Court Plea entered: Gulity Penalty: £1200 Costs: £300

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West Berkshire Council	Martin Gerald Alderman	Caused unnecessary suffering to sheep by failing to treat infected and ulcerated feet and failing to provide a supply of fresh drinking water Failure to ensure that animal by-products were disposed of without undue delay via an approved route and that access to animal and birds was prevented pending removal	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 18/06/2015 Place: Newbury Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty:12 Months community service order – 200 hours requirement Costs: £500.00 plus £60 Victims Surcharge
Wrexham County Borough Council	JN Skelland Willington Cross Farm, Willington, Malpas, Cheshire, SY14 7NA	Failure to apply ear tags to bovines Failure to register births with British Cattle Movement Service Failure to maintain cattle movement records Failure to TB pre-movement test Failure to notify British Cattle Movement Service of cattle movements Failure to dispose of animal by-products via an approved disposal route	Cattle Identification (Wales) Regulations 2007 Tuberculosis (Wales) Order 2010 Animal Health Act 1981 Animal By Products (Enforcement) Regulations (Wales) 2014	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £3350.00 Costs: £970.00
Wrexham County Borough Council	Fatti Acun 19 Richmond Gardens, Chirk, Wrexham, LL11 45BF	Killing without prior stunning and restraining in an inappropriate manner	The Welfare of Animals at the time of killing (Wales) Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £430.00 Costs: £222.000
Wrexham County Borough Council	Cumalia Acun 19 Richmond Gardens, Chirk, Wrexham, LL11 45BF	Killing without prior stunning and restraining in an inappropriate manner	The Welfare of Animals at the time of killing (Wales) Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £590.00 Costs: £230.00
Wrexham County Borough Council	Haydar Ayhan 40 Llys Road, Oswestry, Shropshire	Killing without prior stunning and restraining in an inappropriate manner	The Welfare of Animals at the time of killing (Wales) Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £160.00 Costs: £220.00
Wrexham County Borough Council	Ismail Arslan 25A West View, Chirk, Wrexham, LL14 5HN	Killing without prior stunning and restraining in an inappropriate manner	The Welfare of Animals at the time of killing (Wales) Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 28/05/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £75.00 Costs: £220.00
Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council	Keith Allen 41 Vine Street, Norton, Malton, North Yorkshire YO17 9JD	Transporting bovines without carrying required documents Failing to provide information as to details of driver to competent authority Causing unnecessary suffering to bovine animals	Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006	Date of Hearing: 09/10/2015 Place: Sheffield Crown Court Plea entered: Appeal against original sentence (4 months suspended sentence plus £11,769.36 fine/costs) Penalty: 4 months imprisonment
Bradford Metropolitan District Council	JG Pears (Newark) Ltd Bellavista Farm, Penistone, S36 9FN	Failed to transport animal by-products in a leak-proof container Failed to identify the category of animal by-products being carried	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 04/09/2015 Place: Bradford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: £7600 Costs: £5000
Bradford Metropolitan District Council	Venlo Transport Services BV Expiditeursweg 6, 5915 PD, Venlo, Netherlands	Failed to transport animal by-products in a leak-proof container	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 07/10/2015 Place: Bradford Mags Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £2000 Costs: £1900

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Buckinghamshire County Council	Mr David Nutt 77 Deanway, Chalfont St Giles, Bucks, HP8 4JY	Failure to notify competent authority with information relating to the operation of an animal by-products establishment Failure to produce documents when requested to do so by an authorised person	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 23/07/2015 Place: High Wycombe Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 12 month community service order – 150 hours requirement Costs: £1230
Ceredigion County Council	William Arthur Edwards Cwmnewidsion Uchaf, Devils Bridge, Ceredigion, SY23 4RP	Failure to dispose of 200 sheep carcasses via an approved disposal route Causing unnecessary suffering to ten sheep Failure to comply with provisions of animal by product notices issued by an authorised person Failed in duty of care towards sheep	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014. Animal Welfare Act 2006.	Date of Hearing: 14/09/2015 Place: Aberystwyth Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Disqualified for keeping sheep for 7 years, Community Service Order of 240 hours unpaid work, 6 months imprisonment – suspended for 2 years Costs: £3000 plus Victim Surcharge of £80
Ceredigion County Council	Merfyn Evans Gilfachreda Farm, Newquay, Ceredigion, SA45 9SW	Failure to report bovine births and deaths to British Cattle Movement Service	Cattle Identification (Wales) Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 14/10/2015 Place: Aberystwyth Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 18 month conditional discharge Costs: £1000 plus £15 surcharge
Cheshire West And Chester Council	Robert Sidney Smith Oakfield Farm, Newton Lane, Tattenhall, CH3 9NH	Transporting sheep that were unfit to be transported	Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006	Date of Hearing: 12/11/2015 Place: Chester Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month conditional discharge Costs: £350
City Of London Corporation	British Airways Cargo Carrus Building, Heathrow Airport, Hounslow, TW6 2JS	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006	Date of Hearing: 01/12/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £3000 Costs: £746
City Of London Corporation	Egypt Air C/O Menzies Cargo Building 552, Shoreham Road East, TW6 3NH	Transporting a dog in a way that caused, or was likely to cause, unnecessary suffering (size of transport container)	Welfare of Animals (Transport) (England) Order 2006	Date of Hearing: 01/12/2015 Place: Uxbridge Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £900 Costs: £626
Cornwall Council	Richard Harris Nangiles Farm, Bissoe, Truro	Causing unnecessary suffering to a sheep Failure to dispose of chicken carcasses via an approved disposal route	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 10/07/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 3 year disqualification from keeping cattle, sheep & pigs, 150 Hrs community service Costs: £1000
Cornwall Council	Demelza Davies Nangiles Farm, Bissoe, Truro	Causing unnecessary suffering to a sheep Failure to dispose of chicken carcasses via an approved disposal route Failure in duty of care towards poultry, pigs cattle and sheep	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 10/07/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 4 year disqualification from keeping cattle, sheep & pigs, 2 year conditional discharge Costs: £1000
Cornwall Council	Ian Pridham Trewithey, North Hill, Launceston	Stole 17 cattle, furnishing information that he knows to be false or misleading to British Cattle Movement Service Failure to record the deaths of cattle as required	Theft Act 1968 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 17/07/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 2 years imprisonment suspended for 6 months Costs: £3000

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Cornwall Council	William Harris Treworlis Barton, Breage, HELSTON, Cornwall, TR13 9NF	Welfare of cattle – both unnecessary suffering and failure in duty of care Obstruction of an inspector	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 30/09/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 18 week imprisonment suspended for 2 years. Lifetime full ban – all farmed livestock, disposal order Costs: £5000
Cornwall Council	Mark Harris As above	Welfare of cattle – both unnecessary suffering and failure of duty of care Obstruction of an inspector	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 30/09/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 12 week imprisonment suspended for 2 years. Lifetime full ban – all farmed livestock, disposal order Costs: £5000
Cornwall Council	Aaron Harris As above	Obstruction of an inspector	Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 30/09/2015 Place: Truro Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 3 year conditional discharge Costs: £1199
Cumbria County Council	Lesley Anthony John England The Coach House, Tidcombe Lane, Tiverton, Devon, EX16 4EQ	Failure to report cattle movements to the British Cattle Movement Service Failure to notify the competent authority of holding Failure to pre-movement TB test cattle	Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 The Tuberculosis (England) Order 2007 Animal Health Act 1981	Date of Hearing: 03/09/2015 Place: Carlisle Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not guilty Penalty: 90hrs Community Service Order + £60 victim surcharge Costs: £13,572
Cumbria County Council	Mrs M.E. Parker & Sons Greenhills Farm, Greystone Lane, Dalton in Furness, LA18 8JE	Failure to identify cattle by means of ear tags correctly Failure to register births, movements and deaths of cattle with the British Cattle Movement Service Application of an ear tag to a bovine animal where the number had already been used on a different animal Failure to dispose of animal by-products (bovine carcasses) via an approved disposal route Failure to comply with notice issued under bovine TB legislation Failure to comply with cattle movement restriction notice Causing unnecessary suffering to a bovine animal	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 The Tuberculosis (England) Order 2007 The Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 08/10/2015 Place: Preston/Lancaster Crown Courts Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: W. Parker (Jnr) – 16 months custodial sentence, W. Parker (Snr) – 6 month Curfew Order, £44,000 fine, Mrs M. Parker & Sons – disqualification from keeping all animals for 4 years Costs: £20,262
Denbighshire County Council	Brya Trewyn Thomas Tŷ Ucha, Betws Gwerfil Goch, Corwen, LL21 9PY	Failure to act to protect sheep from unnecessarily suffering Failure to act to protect bovine from unnecessary suffering, pain, injury and disease and failure to provide a suitable diet. Failure to comply with animal by-product requirements Failure to notify bovine births and deaths with the British Cattle Movement Service Failure to record veterinary medical product administered	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulation 2014 Cattle Identification Regulation 2007 Veterinary Medicines Regulation 2013	Date of Hearing: 20/10/2015 Place: Llandudno Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Custodial sentence total length of sentence 284 days, suspended for 12 months. Disqualified from keeping cattle and any more than 200 sheep (including lambs), disposal order Costs: £5322.55 plus Criminal court charge £150 plus Victim surcharge: £80

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Derbyshire County Council	Keith Harrison Lower Moss Farm, Hulland Village, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 3EP	Failed to prevent access to sheep carcases by other animals and birds Failed to collect and dispose of sheep carcases without undue delay via approved disposal route	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 23/11/2015 Place: Southern Derbyshire Magistrates Court, Derby Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month community order: 40 hours community work. Costs; £710 costs plus £3180 Criminal Court Surcharge plus £60 Victims surcharge
Gloucestershire County Council	Luke Coleman 3 Hampen Cottages, Andoversford, Cheltenham, Glos., GL54 4JJ	Failure to comply with the rules for movements of sheep Failure to provide required information for the annual sheep and goat inventory	The Sheep & Goats (Records, Identification & Movement) (England) Order 2009	Date of Hearing: 05/10/2015 Place: Cheltenham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Fine £300 Costs: £600 plus £150 court cost and £20 victim surcharge
Hampshire County Council	Mathew Gosden The Cottage, Goddards Farm, Goddards Lane, Sherfield on Loddon, RG27 0EL	Causing unnecessary suffering to bovine animals	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 17/12/2015 Court: North Hampshire Magistrates' Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Banned from keeping cattle for 2 years (commencing 01.02.2016) Costs: £1000
Hampshire County Council	Ivan Gosden The Cottage, Goddards Farm, Goddards Lane, Sherfield on Loddon, RG27 0EL	Causing unnecessary suffering to bovine animals	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 17/12/2015 Court: North Hampshire Magistrates' Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Banned from keeping cattle for 2 years (commencing 01.01.2016) Costs: £1000
Lancashire County Council	Gisburn Auction Mart Ltd Auction Mart, Gisburn Road, Gisburn, Clitheroe, BB7 4ES	Permitted unfit sheep to be exposed for sale in a market	Welfare of Animals at Market Order 1990	Date of Hearing: 06/07/2015 Place: Blackburn Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £750.00 Costs: £940.00
Lancashire County Council	Jonathan Turner Hill Crest Cottage, Clitheroe Road, Knowle Green, Longridge, Lancashire, PR3 2YQ	Permitted unfit sheep to be exposed for sale in a market	Welfare of Animals at Market Order 1990	Date of Hearing: 28/09/2015 Place: Blackburn Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £375.00 Costs: £940.00
Lancashire County Council	Peter Wilkinson Suttons Farm, Lord Sefton Way, Great Altcar, L37 5AA	Permitted unfit sheep to be exposed for sale in a market	Welfare of Animals at Market Order 1990	Date of Hearing: 28/09/2015 Place: Blackburn Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £660.00 Costs: £509.36
Leicestershire County Council	Richard Palmer Hose Lodge Farm, Canal Lane, Long Clawson, Leicestershire, LE14 4JF	Interference with the TB skin test to cause an animal to be interpreted as a TB reactor	Fraud Act 2006	Date of hearing: 21/09/2015 Place: Leicester Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 9 months custody on each count (2) – suspended for 2 years, 200 hours of unpaid community work, repayment of £18,519 in TB compensation

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Lincolnshire County Council	C R Green Lodge Farm, Laughton, Laughton Road, North Lincolnshire, NG34 0HE	Causing unnecessary suffering to a sheep Failure in duty of care towards sheep – failed to provide a suitable environment, failed to protect from adverse weather conditions, predators, risks to health Failure to store animal by-products pending collection, and failure to dispose of animal by-products without delay via an approved disposal route Failure to record and report sheep movements correctly	Animal Welfare Act 2006. Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007 Animal By-Products Regulations 2013 Sheep and Goats (Records, Identification and Movement) Order 2009	Date of hearing: 10/09/2015 Place: Lincoln Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not guilty Penalty: £2450 fine Costs: £16,000 plus victim surcharge - £100
North Yorkshire County Council	Andrew Atkinson Livestock Limited Croft House Farm, Long Lane, Felliscliffe, Harrogate, HG3 2LU	Movement of bovines without authority of a licence Failure to keep correct cattle movement records Failure to notify cattle deaths to the British Cattle Movement Service	Disease Control Order (England) Order 2003 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 07/10/2015 Place; Harrogate Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Fined £8,500 Costs: £1,558.15
Northumberland County Council	Eric Robert Anderson Budle Farm, Bamburgh, Northumberland	Failure to register births of bovine animals with the British Cattle Movement Service Failed to apply ear tags to bovine animals as required Movement of bovines without a cattle passport	Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Date of Hearing: 10/09/2015	Place: Berwick Magistrates Court Plea: Guilty Penalty: 8 week prison sentence suspended for one year plus 150 hours community service order plus £1500 fine Costs: £1020.80
Powys County Council	Mr Ivor Williams Scalding Farm, Llyswen, Brecon, Powys, LD3 0AX	Failed to dispose of sheep carcasses via an approved disposal route Failed in duty of care towards sheep Causing unnecessary suffering to sheep	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014 Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 27/08/2015 Place: Llandrindod Wells Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 24 weeks custodial sentence suspended for 18 months Costs: £2500 plus Victim Surcharge - £80
Powys County Council	Mr Aled Davies Glanogeu Farm, Llansillin, Oswestry, Shropshire, SY10 7JJ	Failure to notify the death of a bovine animal Failure to provide information to competent authority regarding cattle movements Failure to complete holding register with date of birth of bovine animal Provided false information concerning death of bovine animal Failure to dispose of a sheep carcase via an approved disposal route and failure to store sheep carcase appropriately pending removal	Cattle Identification (Wales) Regulations 2007 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2014	Date of Hearing: 14/10/2015 Place: Llandrindod Wells Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Fined £800 Costs: £1500 plus Victim Surcharge – £80
Powys County Council	Mr Gywnfor Thomas	Failure to notify deaths and movements of bovine animals to the British Cattle Movement Service Failure to complete holding register showing cattle movement information Applied an ear tag to a bovine that had previously been used to identify another bovine animal	Cattle Identification (Wales) Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 20/10/2015 Place: Welshpool Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month supervised community order Costs: £1868.70 plus Victim Surcharge – £60

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Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council	James Thomas Chambers 12 Lime Grove, Maltby, Rotherham, S66 7NT	Failure to dispose of a category 2 animal by-product (goat carcase) by an approved method	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2013	Date of Hearing: 08/09/2015 Place: Rotherham Magistrates' Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Conditional discharge for six months and ordered to pay £15 Victim Surcharge. Costs: None
Sheffield City Council	Mr John Dyson 8 Greaves Lane, Stannington, Sheffield, S6 6BA	Failure to report sheep movements as required Failure to produce records relating to sheep movements, veterinary medicine and animal by-products when requested by an inspector/ authorised person	The Sheep and Goat (Records, Identification and Movement) (England) Order 2009 The Veterinary Medicine Records 2013 Animal By-Product (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011	Date of Hearing: 09/07/2015 Place: Sheffield Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £200 Costs: £250
Sheffield City Council	Mr Stephen Walker Oak Cottage, Midhurst Road, Sheffield, S6 1EZ	Failure in duty of care to welfare of sheep, goats, chickens and geese Causing unnecessary suffering to protected animals	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 06/11/2015 Place: Sheffield Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: 2 years ban from keeping farmed animals (apart from sheep) Costs: £1600 plus £15 victim surcharge
Shropshire County Council	Olive Mary Furber The Kenwicks, Moss Lane, Whixhall, Whitchurch, Shropshire, SY13 2RY	Failure to replace lost or damaged ear tags in bovines Failure to notify births and deaths to the British Cattle Movement Service Failure to produce all cattle passports to an inspector on request Use of an ear tag number on a bovine where it had already been used on another animal Failure in duty of care towards bovine animals – failed to protect from injury, pain, suffering, disease, failed to provide suitable diet, failed to ensure appropriate veterinary treatment where necessary	Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 22/10/2015 Place: Shrewsbury Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: Disqualified for 10 years from owning/keeping cattle. Conditional discharge for 3 years. Costs: £2,746.42 + expense of disposal of animals. (An Order was granted prior to sentencing authorising Shropshire Council to seize animals from three holdings)
Staffordshire County Council	Allan McMasters 16 Audmore Road, Gnosall, Stafford, Staffs, ST20 0EE	Failure to dispose of animal by-products via an approved disposal route Failure to maintain adequate animal by-products records False representation for gain through non-cremation of pet animals and supply of ashes which were not those of pet animal	Fraud Act 2006 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011	Date of Hearing: 19/11/2015 Place: Cannock Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 12 month community order – 200 hours unpaid work, plus ordered to pay compensation – £500 for each of 4 victims Costs: £4,375 plus Victim Surcharge – £60
Staffordshire County Council	Katrina Till 6 Deykin Road, Lichfield, Staffs, WS13 6PS	Failure to produce documents, records or passports for horses Failure to give assistance or information to an authorised officer without reasonable excuse.	Horse Passport (England) Regulations 2009	Date of Hearing: 24/09/2015 Place: Cannock Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: £1,430 Costs: £659.70 plus Victim Surcharge – £55
Staffordshire County Council	Liam Till 6 Deykin Road, Lichfield, Staffs, WS13 6PS	Failure to produce documents, records or passports for horses	Horse Passport (England) Regulations 2009	Date of Hearing: 24/09/2015 Place: Cannock Magistrates Court Plea entered: Not Guilty Penalty: £990 Costs: £659.70 plus Victim surcharge – £55

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Staffordshire County Council	Phillip Jones Ranton House Farm, Stafford, ST18 9JU	Failure to report cattle movements to the British Cattle Movement Service Failure to maintain an up to date cattle holding register Breach of the six day standstill in movement rules for bovine animals Illegal movement of bovine animals under TB legislation	Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Disease Control (England) Order 2003 The Tuberculosis (England) Order 2014	Date of Hearing: 01/11/2015 Place: Stafford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 6 month conditional discharge Costs: £879 plus Victim Surcharge – £15
Staffordshire County Council	Ralph Jones Preston Hill Farm, Preston Vale, Penkridge, Stafford, ST19 5RA	Failure to dispose of animal by-products via an approved disposal route and failure to prevent access by animals and birds pending disposal Failure to record veterinary medicine use Failure to complete and maintain up to date bovine register Failure to notify cattle deaths to the British Cattle Movement Service Defacing bovine ear tags Failure to complete and maintain up to date sheep register Removal of official identification from the ear of a sheep without the permission of the competent authority	Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011 Veterinary Medicine Regulations 2013 Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Sheep & Goats (Records, Identification and Movement) (England) Order 2009	Date of Hearing: 11/11/2015 Place: Stafford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £385 (reduced by 30% for early guilty plea) Costs: £2,417 plus Victim Surcharge – £120
Staffordshire County Council	Steven Phillip Banks 11 Victoria Terrace, Stafford, ST16 3HA	Failure to report bovine deaths and movements on and off the holding and failure to complete a cattle holding register Failure to dispose of animal by-products (bovine and pig carcasses) via an approved disposal route and failure to prevent access by animals and bird pending disposal Failure in duty of care towards welfare of pigs – failed to supply fresh drinking water Breach of the six day standstill in movement rules for bovine animals Failure to identify and register bovine animals correctly at the time of birth Failure in duty of care towards the welfare of cattle – failed to provide appropriate diet and failed to protect from injury	Cattle Identification Regulations 2007 Animal By-Products (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2011 Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007 Disease Control (England) Order 2003	Date of Hearing: 11/11/2015 Place: Stafford Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £2,920 (reduced by 30% for early guilty plea) Costs: £2,417 plus Victim Surcharge – £120
Staffordshire County Council	Stefan Holub The Cottage, The Crewe Arms, Wharf Terrace, Madeley, Staffordshire, CW3 9LP	Failure to observe welfare codes by using non permitted method of slaughter Unlicensed to carry out slaughter operation	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Date of Hearing: 29/01/2015	Place: Newcastle Justice Centre Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 6 weeks custodial sentence reduced from 9 week for guilty plea Costs: £700
Suffolk County Council	Eric Moss Botany Farm, Farnham, Saxmundham, Suffolk, IP17 1QZ	Causing unnecessary suffering to cattle Failing in duty of care towards welfare of cattle – failed to provide dry-lying area, failure to appropriate diet, failed to provide appropriate veterinary care, failed to protect from adverse weather conditions	Animal Welfare Act 2006 Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) Regulations 2007	Date of Hearing: 24/08/2015 Place: Ipswich Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: 20 weeks imprisonment suspended for two years, disqualified from keeping all farmed livestock until further notice Costs: £9000

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Suffolk County Council	ARP Farms Ltd Mount Nebo, Brickwall Farm, Sible, Hedingham, Halstead, Essex, CO9 3RH	Causing unnecessary suffering to cattle	Animal Welfare Act 2006	Date of Hearing: 24/08/2015 Place: Ipswich Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £1000 Costs: Costs paid by Director of company in separate prosecution (see above)
City and County of Swansea Council	Gareth Watkins 64 Clyne Court, Swansea, SA2 8JB	Failed to register as a keeper of pigs Failed to keep an annual count of pigs.	Pigs (Records, Identification, Movement) (Wales) Order 2011	Date of Hearing: 28/07/2015 Place: Swansea Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £75 x 2 Costs: £1000
Thurrock Council	Barbara Marzec	Illegal landing of six puppies – too young to travel, pet passports did not match dogs	The Rabies (Importation of Dogs, Cats and Other Mammals) Order 1974	Date of hearing: 02/09/2015 Place: Basildon Crown Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £1000 Costs: £3500 plus statutory surcharge - £100
Wrexham County Borough Council	E W Morris Tŷ Du, Tregeiriog, Llangollen, LL20 7HT	Failure to record deaths of sheep Failure to treat or seek vet attention where appropriate Failure to dispose of carcase without undue delay via and approved disposal route and failure to prevent access to animals and birds pending removal Breach of movement stand-still period	The Sheep and Goats (records, identification and movement) Wales Order 2009 The Animal Welfare Act 2006 The Animal By Products (Enforcement) Regulation (Wales) 2014 The Disease Control (Wales) Order 2003	Date of hearing: 23/07/2015 Place: Wrexham Magistrates Court Plea entered: Guilty Penalty: £2500 Costs: £1400

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