

**Animals in Science Regulation Unit** **(ASRU)**

Potential Non-Compliance Notification Form

**March 2024**

This form should be used to report to the Animals in Science Regulation Unit (ASRU) a potential non-compliance with the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 (ASPA), establishment licence conditions, project licence conditions or personal licence conditions.

Please complete with as much detail as possible; our initial investigation will be based on the evidence provided.

Once completed, please email your form, and all supporting information, to: [ASRUEnforcement@homeoffice.gov.uk](mailto:ASRUEnforcement@homeoffice.gov.uk) with the subject heading ‘**Potential NC Notification\_Establishment name’**

Please clearly title your document: **Establishment Name\_NC\_Date of Incident (YYMMDD)** (if the incident occurred over a period of time, the earliest date should be stated) and **save as a Word file.**

Do not include extra details in the text of the email; everything should be in the form.

For further information about the non-compliance process please refer to ASRU Compliance Policy at [Animal testing and research: compliance with ASPA - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/animal-testing-and-research-compliance-with-aspa)

**Please note that incomplete forms may be returned.**

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| **Date of incident:** |  | |
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| **1. Establishment Details** | | |
| **Establishment Name** |  | |
| **Establishment Licence (PEL) Number** |  | |
| **Name of Establishment Licence Holder/NPRC** |  | |
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| **2. Project Licence (PPL) Details *(if applicable)*** | | |
| **Project Licence** | Number |  |
| Protocol Number |  |
| Protocol Prospective Severity |  |
| Step in Protocol |  |
| **Name of Project Licence Holder** |  | |
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| **3. Personal Licence (PIL) Holder Details *(if applicable; add further rows if necessary)*** | | |
| **Full Name** |  | |
| **Personal Licence Number** |  | |
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| **4. Non-licensee Details *(if applicable; add further rows if necessary)*** | | |
| **Full Name** |  | |
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| **5. Details of potential non-compliance incident**  NOTE: Our initial investigation will be based on the evidence provided. Please provide as much detail as possible and attach any supporting evidence, including screenshots or photos, as applicable. | | |
| 5.1 Species |  | |
| 5.2 Number of animals involved |  | |
| 5.3 Short summary of the potential non-compliance – include the following information: | | |
| What occurred, including timeline of events (i.e., who did what, and when)? |  | |
| Where did it occur? (i.e., site, building. room) |  | |
| **5.4 Welfare consequences** | | |
| Have there been adverse welfare consequences? | Yes  No  Not Applicable | |
| If Yes, what were the consequences? |  | |
| 5.5 What immediate action was taken, including specific action to alleviate or prevent any welfare issues? |  | |
| 5.6 Has the incident been discussed with the Named People? | Yes  No  Don’t know | |
| If yes, specify which | NVS  NACWO  Other named person(s)  (specify role(s): | |
| What was the outcome of these discussions? |  | |
| 5.7 Were discussions held with PPLh/PILhs? | Yes  No  Not Applicable | |
| If Yes, what were the outcomes? |  | |
| 5.8 What is considered to be the root cause of the incident? |  | |
| 5.9 What preventative measures have been and/or will be implemented? (e.g., further training, additional monitoring, etc.) |  | |
| 5.10 Has this incident been raised with the establishment’s AWERB? | Yes  No  Not Applicable | |
| If Yes, what were the outcomes? |  | |
| 5.11 Attachments  List all relevant documents related to this potential non-compliance that have been attached to the email. |  | |
| 5.12 Have you reported ***similar*** non-compliance(s) in the past 2 years? | Yes  No | |
| If yes, please provide ASRU Non-Compliance case number(s) |  | |
| Date of submission of previous form(s) |  | |
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| **Declaration and contact details**  By completing and submitting this form, I declare that the information provided is truthful and accurate to the best of my knowledge. | | |
| **Form completed by (name)** |  | |
| **Role** |  | |
| **Date** |  | |