

**ADDITIONAL BYELAWS  
RELATING TO  
HEATHROW ANIMAL RECEPTION CENTRE  
LONDON**

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**THE HEATHROW ANIMAL RECEPTION CENTRE**

**BYELAWS** made by the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London acting by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commons of the said City in Common Council assembled in pursuance of Sections 42 and 43 of the Markets and Fairs Clauses Act 1847 as applied by Section 54 of the Animal Health Act 1981 with respect to the Heathrow Animal Reception Centre, London.

In these Byelaws unless the context otherwise required “the Principal Byelaws” means the byelaws made by the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London acting by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commons of the said City in Common Council assembled on 1<sup>st</sup> July 1976 and confirmed by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food on 12<sup>th</sup> November 1976.

From the date of coming into operation of these Byelaws the Additional Byelaws made by the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London acting by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commons of the said City in Common Council assembled on 9 March 2017 (and sealed on 27 March 2017) shall be repealed and the following Schedule shall be substituted for the Schedule to the Principal Byelaws:-

**SCHEDULE**  
**PART 1**

Minimum charge for any one consignment £175.00

<b><u>ANIMALS</u></b>	<b><u>CHARGE PER CONSIGNMENT</u></b>	
<b>1. Mammals</b>	£177.00 for up to 24 hours	£55.00 per day or part thereof after 24 hours
<b>2. Reptiles</b>	£177.00 for up to 24 hours	£210.00 per day or part thereof after 24 hours
<b>Transit commercial reptiles consignments should be booked through to have a maximum stay at Heathrow of 24 hours. Any transit commercial reptile consignments that stay more than 24 hours and require transferring from their containers will incur the additional special handling charge detailed below.</b>		
Additional special handling for any consignment	£210.00 minimum per consignment	£62.00 per day or part thereof after 24 hours

<b>3. Birds</b>	£62.00 per box	£175.00 minimum charge
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**Transit commercial bird consignments should be booked through to have a maximum stay at Heathrow of 36 hours. Any transit commercial bird consignments that stay more than 36 hours will be charged at £40.00 per box per day, or part thereof.**

Pet Birds - £42 per bird up to 24 hours.

Bird Quarantine - £350 - £1,200 plus laboratory testing fees. Fees are dependent on size of consignment and housing requirements.

Faecal Sampling and Bird Autopsy costs as per current DEFRA rates. Larger consignments to be negotiated, see Part 2, Section 6.

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<b>4. Fish/Aquatic Invertebrates/ Semen/Fish and Bird Eggs</b>	£1.90 per box	£32.00 minimum charge
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### **5. Cats, Dogs and Ferrets under the Pet Travel Scheme**

PETS originating in the EU (including those countries listed in Annex 2 of Part 1 to Commission Implementing Regulation (EU)577/2013) will be charged a “handling fee” of £42.00 per animal in addition to the collection charge of £83.00 (see Part 2, Section 5).

PETS originating outside the EU will be charged normal rates as in 1 above for the first animal i.e. £175.00 and, where the consignment consists of more than one animal, a handling fee of £42.00 per animal thereafter.

PETS checked at aircraft (Assistance Dogs) (£210.00 plus 1hour collection charge £166.00) = £376.00. Where consignment consists of more than one animal, a checking fee of £42.00 per animal thereafter.

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**A surcharge of £630.00 will be added to the above charges for any transit consignment that is landed without an “OK to forward” from the on-going airline**

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### **6. Security**

A charge of £19.00 will be made in respect of any consignment which requires security screening prior to leaving the Animal Reception Centre.

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### **7. Not on Board**

Requests for collection of animals from aircraft which are not subsequently found on board will be charged at the normal collection charge (see Part 2, Section 5).

**PART 2**  
**CHARGES FOR ANCILLARY SERVICES**

1. Destruction including disposal of livestock or goods - £38.00 per kilogram.
2. Disposal of unwanted travelling containers - £15
3. Cleansing and disinfecting aircraft, animal holding facilities, vehicles, loose boxes etc - £340.00 per hour (including disposal of special waste).
4. Identification of species for the D.E.F.R.A./H.M Revenue and Customs/Border Agency - £166.00 per hour. Assisting on off airport operations - £83.00 per hour £530.00 per day.
5. Re-crating or repair to crates – Quotations on request.
6. Collection and delivery of animals and birds to and from the Animal Reception Centre by an Animal Reception Centre member of staff - £166.00 per hour or £83.00 per consignment if no extra waiting time.
7. Long term rates for government agencies and non-governmental agencies i.e. RSPCA, to be negotiated.
8. Modification of containers to I.A.T.A standards:-

Space Bars/Battens	-	£47.00 per box
Air Holes	-	£20.00 per box
Water Pots	-	£20.00 per box

(If these services are carried out on the airport an additional fee of £83.00 applies for “delivery” of the service).
9. Use of large animal facility - £340.00 per pallet
10. Special handling i.e. re-oxygenation of fish/re-packaging reptiles £83.00 per hour plus costs of materials

Dated                                      day of                                      2018

**THE COMMON SEAL OF THE MAYOR AND  
COMMONALTY AND CITIZENS  
OF THE CITY OF LONDON** was hereunto  
affixed in the presence of:-