# Public Protection (food & safety) Food Premises Inspection Report

Name of Business: Mr Chips

Address of food business: 1-2 Earlham West Centre, Norwich, NR5 8AD

Date of Inspection: 1 December 2015 Risk Rating Reference 15/00731/FOOD Inspection Reference EH15/37586

Type of Premises: Takeaway

Areas Inspected:
Records Examined:
Details of Samples Procured:
Summary of Action Taken:

All
FSMS
None
Informal

#### Introduction to the Report

The report has been divided into three sections representing the areas we score you against. Each section begins with a *summary* of what was observed. The score you have been given for each section is indicated. Details of how these scores relate to your overall food hygiene rating are shown in the table at the front of the report. You can use the table to see what factors have influenced your score; where you have done well and where improvements can still be made.

There may be an additional section covering health and safety concerns which fall outside the scope of the national food hygiene rating scheme.

# Timescale for Compliance

All Notices must be complied with by the date on the Notice. If no Notice is served you must still deal with contraventions within a reasonable time. As a guide to compliance, contraventions to do with cleaning, temperature control and poor practice should be dealt with straight away. Those items which relate to structural repairs, training and the provision/review of your food safety management system should be completed within the next 2 months. Health and safety contraventions should be dealt with within 3 months unless otherwise indicated. Urgent matters must be dealt with straight away.

#### The Law

The report relates to the following legislation:

Food Safety Act 1990 (as amended)

Regulation (EC) No 178/2002 applied by The General Food Regulations 2004 (as amended) Regulation (EC) No 852/2004 and No 853/2004 applied by Regulation 19(1) of the Food Safety and Hygiene (England) Regulations 2013.

Health and Safety at Work Etc. Act 1974 and related regulations.

This report may include matters which do not comply with the law (**Contravention**) matters which are not required by the law but which we recommend as good practice (**Recommendation**) guidance on best practice (**Information**) and, to balance the report, observations of current practice (**Observation**).

You may carry out alternative works to those in the report, but only if they are equally effective in securing full compliance with the law. Before undertaking alternative works, you are strongly advised to discuss the matter with me.

#### Please Note

My inspection was not intended to identify every contravention of the law and only covers those areas, practices and procedures examined at the time. The report concentrates on the principle risks. If it fails to mention a particular item this does not mean you have necessarily complied with the law.

#### **FOOD SAFETY**

# How we calculate your new Food Hygiene Rating:

Compliance Area	You Score					
Food Hygiene and Safety	0	5	10	15	20	25
Structure and Cleaning	0	5	10	15	20	25
Confidence in management & control systems		5	10		20	30
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Your Total Score	0 – 15	20	25 – 30	35 – 40	45 – 50	> 50
Your Worst Score	5	10	10	15	20	-
Your Rating is	5	4	3	2	1	0

Your Food Hygiene Rating is 5 – a very good standard



# This space is reserved for your Right of Reply

- You have a 'right to reply' in respect of this food hygiene rating. This allows you to explain what improvements you have made or to offer an explanation for the standards we found at the time of this inspection.
- Full details and the form can be downloaded: www.norwich.gov.uk/foodhygieneratings

# This space is reserved for the results of your Re-rating Inspection:

- You can request a re-visit to re-rate your business if you have rectified the contraventions identified in this letter.
- You can make one request for a re-visit per statutory inspection period. If we are satisfied with the evidence you provide we will make an unannounced revisit and give you a new food hygiene rating based on the level of compliance that is found at the time of the re-visit
- Your rating could go up, down or remain the same.
- Your new rating will be displayed here and on your website listing
- Full details and the form can be downloaded: www.norwich.gov.uk/foodhygieneratings

# General description of the business

Fish and Chip take-away serving the local community

# **Food Hygiene**

# Summary:

Food hygiene standards are excellent. You demonstrated full compliance with legal requirements. You have safe food handling practices and procedures and all the necessary control measures to prevent cross-contamination are in place. (Score 0)

# Hand-washing

1. I was pleased to see that you had a dedicated wash hand basin provided with hot and cold water, soap and paper towel. **(Observation)**:

# Personal Hygiene

2. I was pleased to see that you knew to refrain from work for at least 48hrs symptom free following gastro intestinal illness. (Observation)

# **Temperature Control**

 I was pleased to see that all food was packaged/covered and appropriately stored in the fridges and freezers. A dot-date code system was also being used.
 (Observation)

#### **Practices**

4. I was pleased to see that you had good control regarding foods held hot. (Observation)

# **Structure and Cleaning**

## Summary:

The structure, facilities, cleaning and maintenance are all of a good standard and only minor repairs and/or improvements are required. Pest control and waste disposal provisions are satisfactory. The minor contraventions require your attention. (Score 5)

# Cleaning

- **5.** The following cleaning methods and materials were not sufficient to control the spread of harmful bacteria such as *E.coli* 0157 between surfaces. **(Contravention)** 
  - At the time of inspection you did not have a sanitiser on the premises. However, you did send your staff member out to purchase some as soon as this was apparent.
  - I was pleased to see that all food work areas and surfaces were clean and tidy, and you had a cleaning schedule in place whilst in the process of being documented.
     (Observation)

6. I recommend that you purchase a sanitiser, which is BS EN complaint, with a contact time of approximately 30 seconds for use on food surfaces. (Information / Recommendation)

## Maintenance

7. I was pleased to see that the premises has recently been refurbished to a high standard with only a few issues to be addressed on your 'snagging list'. (Observation)

# Facilities and Structural Provision

8. I was pleased to see that your WC was clean and tidy and provided with hot and cold water, soap and hygienic towel. (Observation)

# **Confidence in Management**

# **Summary**:

A food safety management system is in place and you comply fully with the law. Hazards to food are understood, properly controlled, managed and reviewed. Your records are appropriate and being maintained. All your staff are suitably supervised and trained. (**Score 0**)

# Documented Food Safety Management System

- **9.** I would strongly recommend you choose 'Safer Food Better Business' as your food safety management system. **(Recommendation)**
- 10. I was pleased to see that you had good procedures in place regarding your food management system and you were in the process of documenting this at the time of inspection. I also acknowledge you had only been trading for one week at the time of inspection. (Observation)

# Allergies

11. Legislation requires food businesses to provide allergy information on unpackaged food. This applies to food sold from all catering outlets including restaurants, takeaways, deli counters, bakeries and sandwich bars etc. The potential for cross contamination by allergens must also be made known to consumers. There has also been changes to existing legislation on labelling allergy causing ingredients in pre-packed foods. You can obtain more information from the Trading Standards website:

www.norfolk.gov.uk/abc (Information)

# **HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE**

# **Uncontrolled Hazards**

# Gas Safety

I was pleased to learn that you had recently had the gas range serviced and were able to provide the certificate for this inspection.