



**Public Protection (food & safety)**

**Food Premises Inspection Report**

Name of business:	Namaste Village
Address of food business:	Ferodo House 131 - 139 Queens Road Norwich NR1 3PN
Date of inspection:	14/03/2018
Risk rating reference:	18/00256/FOOD
Premises reference:	16/00256/FD_HS
Type of premises:	Restaurant or cafe
Areas inspected:	Main Kitchen, Storeroom, Dry store
Records examined:	SFBB, Cleaning schedule, Temperature control records, Training certificates / records
Details of samples procured:	None
Summary of action taken:	Informal
General description of business:	Indian vegetarian Restaurant

**Relevant 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

Food Information Regulations 2014

**What you must do to comply with the law**

The report may include **Contraventions** - matters which do not comply with the law . You must address all of the contraventions identified; failure to do so could result in legal action being taken against you.

As a guide, contraventions relating to cleaning, temperature control and poor practice, should be dealt with straight away.

Contraventions relating to structural repairs, your food safety management system and staff training, should be completed within the next 2 months.

Health and safety contraventions should be dealt with within 3 months unless otherwise stated.

To assist you the report may also include **Observations** of current practice, useful **Information, Recommendations** of good practice and reminders of **Legal Requirements** .

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

## FOOD SAFETY

### How we calculate your Food Hygiene Rating:

The food safety section has been divided into the three areas which you are scored against for the hygiene rating: 1. food hygiene and safety procedures, 2. structural requirements and 3. confidence in management/control procedures. Each section begins with a summary of what was observed and the score you have been given. Details of how these scores combine to produce your overall food hygiene rating are shown in the table.

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	0	5	10	15	20	30
<b>Your Total score</b>	<b>0 - 15</b>	20	25 - 30	35 - 40	45 - 50	> 50
<b>Your Worst score</b>	<b>5</b>	10	10	15	20	-
<b>Your Rating is</b>	<b>5</b>	4	3	2	1	0

Your Food Hygiene Rating is 5 - a very good standard



### 1. Food Hygiene and Safety

Food hygiene standards are high. You demonstrated a very good standard of 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. Some minor contraventions require your attention. **(Score 5)**

#### Contamination risks

**Recommendation** Chopping/cutting boards were held stable with tea towels/cloths and could contaminate the board. Use silicone board mats to stabilise your cutting boards. These can be placed in the dishwasher and /or can be sterilised

#### Temperature Control

**Observation** I was pleased to see you were able to limit bacterial growth and/or survival by applying appropriate temperature controls at points critical to food safety and that you were diligently monitoring temperatures.

## **2. Structure and Cleaning**

The structure facilities and standard of 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 adequate. The minor contraventions require your attention. **(Score 5)**

### **Cleaning of Structure**

**Contravention** The following structural items were dirty and require more frequent and thorough cleaning:

- the bottom of the door leading into the kitchen
- the walls had grease streaks to them
- electric sockets underneath the delivering order system

### **Cleaning of Equipment and Food Contact Surfaces**

**Contravention** The following surfaces and equipment in contact with food were dirty and/or could not be cleaned and require cleaning or discarding:

- the lids to the dried goods containers ie rice and spices
- the brown lids to the food containers in the walk in fridge
- the frame to the stainless steel table where the microwave is sited

### **Cleaning Chemicals / Materials / Equipment and Methods**

**Information** Ensure you use a surface sanitiser that conforms to BS EN 1276:1997 or BS EN 13697:2001. This information should be available on the label or by contacting the manufacturer.

**Observation** I was pleased to see that the premises was kept clean and that your cleaning materials, methods and equipment were able to minimise the spread of harmful bacteria between surfaces

**Observation** I was pleased to see that disposable cloths were being used

### **Maintenance**

**Contravention** The following items had not been suitably maintained and must be repaired or replaced:

- the light to the walk in fridge

### **3. Confidence in Management**

A food safety management system is in place and you demonstrate a very good standard of compliance with the law. Food hazards are understood properly controlled managed and reviewed. Your records are appropriate and generally maintained. Your staff are suitably supervised and trained. You have a good track record. There are some minor contraventions which require your attention. **(Score 5)**

#### **Waste Food and other Refuse**

**Observation** You had measures in place to dispose of waste food appropriately and were employing the services of a registered waste carrier.

#### **Training**

**Observation** I was pleased to see that food handlers and/or managers had been trained to an appropriate level and evidence of their training was made available.

#### **Allergens**

**Observation** You had identified the presence of allergens in your non-prepacked food and had brought this to the attention of your customers.