

# Public Protection (food & safety)

### **Food Premises Inspection Report**

Name of business: A And J Newsagents

Address of food business: 6 Woodgrove Parade

Norwich NR3 3NS

Date of inspection: 12/09/2018
Risk rating reference: 18/00872/FOOD
Premises reference: 12/00034/FD\_HS

Type of premises: Convenience Store

Areas inspected:
Records examined:
SFBB
Details of samples procured:
None
Summary of action taken:
Informal
General description of business:
Newsagent

#### **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 <u>2 months</u>.

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
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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 4 - a 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

**Observation** Contamination risks were controlled

# Hand-washing

**Contravention** The following evidence indicated hand-washing was not suitably managed:

- no towel at the wash hand basin
- hot water not turned on. This must be provided at all times when the business is open.

**Legal Requirement** Wash hand basins must be provided with soap and hygienic hand drying facilities.

**Information** Proper hand-washing is essential in preventing the spread of E.coli 0157 and other harmful bacteria onto food and food contact surfaces. Please refer to the enclosed catering and retail guide 'E.coli - What you must do to keep your hands clean' for practical advice on keeping you and your customers safe.

**Recommendation** For extra protection against cross contamination use a liquid soap with disinfectant properties conforming to the European standard BS EN 1499: 1997. This information should be available on the product label or may be obtained from the supplier or manufacturer.

**Recommendation** That liquid soap be provided rather than bar soap.

# 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.

**Contravention** You should check the temperature of high risk items delivered to you, to ensure they are arriving at the correct temperature.

## Unfit food

**Observation** You were aware of use by and best before dates.

# 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:

- stock room floors
- inside top of chest freezer in stock room
- old WC cubicle floor
- woodwork and tiles to splash back in sink area
- wash hand basin

**Recommendation** That you take up the rubber floor matting in the stock room, and replace with a lino type fully fitted covering, or seal the concrete floor by painting. The rubber matting was harbouring dirt.

**Observation** I recommend stock be stored off the floor in the stock room to help make cleaning easier.

## Facilities and Structural provision

**Observation** I was pleased to see the premises had been well maintained and that adequate facilities had been provided.

# 3. Confidence in Management

There are generally satisfactory food safety controls in place although there is evidence of some non-compliance with the law. The contraventions require your attention; although not critical to food safety they may become so if not addressed. (Score 10)

#### Type of Food Safety Management System Required

**Observation** Your SFBB/food safety management system was in place.

**Observation** You were monitoring (and recording) the temperatures of your fridges and freezers well and could demonstrate effective systems for controlling bacterial growth and survival.

# Food Hazard Identification and Control

**Contravention** The following pre-requisites have not been met and prove your food safety management system is ineffective:

• Cleaning and sanitation in some areas of the premises could be improved.

# Proving Your Arrangements are Working Well

**Contravention** The Management sections in your Safer food Better Business (SFBB) pack are intended to demonstrate you are in day-to-day control of the hazards to food. The following Management sections were either missing, incomplete or not up-to-date:

- The daily diary and or four-weekly reviews
- The cleaning schedule
- Your Suppliers and/or Contacts lists
- Staff training records

### Traceability

**Observation** Your records were such that food could easily be traced back to its supplier.

#### Waste Food and other Refuse

**Observation** You had measures in place to dispose of waste food appropriately and were employing the services of an approved waste contractor.

**Observation** You return waste to Booker. You have no other contract.

# **Training**

**Observation** You appear to have no formal qualification but seemed aware. Given the very low risk nature of your business this will be satisfactory at this time.

# Infection Control / Sickness / Exclusion Policy

**Guidance** Public Health England recommends that food handlers known or suspected to be suffering from a food-borne infection or gastrointestinal illness stay away from work until symptom-free for 48 hours.