



# PET SHOP CHECK LIST

**Case Number:****INSP199597****Date of Inspection:** April 11, 2024**Time of Inspection:** 10:54**Name & Surname of Inspector/s:**

Jason Page

**Name of Petshop:**

Douth Field Pets

**Address:**153 , Victoria Rd  
Plumstead**Name of Owner:**

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**Does this shop sell animals?****Yes**

## GENERAL

**What happens to sick animals?**

Self medicate

**What happens to animals after hours:**

Kept in shop

**Quarantine Cages provided for sick or new animals:**

None seen

**What Rodent control does the shop use?**

None

**Suppliers of animals:**

|   | Animal type | Supplier name     | Contact |
|---|-------------|-------------------|---------|
| 1 | Birds       | Members of public | -       |
| 2 | Fish        | Members of public | -       |

**Do they breed?**

No

**If breeding, what happens to the offspring?**

N/A

**If removed for hand rearing, from what age:**

N/A

## RODENTS

**Are there Rodents?**

Not sold

## PUPPIES, KITTENS & RABBITS

Are there puppies, kittens &/or rabbits? Not sold

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## FISH

Are there Fish? Yes

Numbers of live fish

|   | Breed    | Numbers |
|---|----------|---------|
| 1 | Goldfish | 3       |

Hygiene of tanks Good

Is water clean Clear (see fish clearly)

Is equipment (nets/heaters) in good repair Fair

Do the tanks have efficient aeration Good (Bubbles)

Do the tanks have filtration Good

Is water in tanks tested appropriately for temperature/pH/ammonia/nitrites/oxygen Yes

Are the tanks enriched Hiding areas, Rocks, Gravel

Are the tanks overstocked Good

Are lights turned off at night for fish to rest Yes

Do tanks have covers Yes

Water at proper level (should be small gap between top of water and cover) Yes

Condition of animals Good

Describe Concerns No concerns observed

Temperature Suitable - Goldfish 10°C – 22°C Yes

Temperature Suitable - Tropical fish 23°C-27°C Yes

How often are the fish fed: Daily

Is enough species specific food given Appears Acceptable

In the event of a power failure is the pet shop owner / attendant informed: Yes

How do staff handle animals Good

|                                                                                                                               |                                                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Any dead fish observed: Describe Reason</b>                                                                                | None observed                                                       |
| <b>Compatibility of Groups</b>                                                                                                | Good                                                                |
| <b>How are fish destroyed when necessary</b>                                                                                  | Acceptable - submersion in clove oil (and other suitable chemicals) |
| <b>Do Aquatic Amphibians have a shelf or floating island to enable them to get out of the water</b>                           | N/A                                                                 |
| <b>How do the buyers transport the fish from the shop</b>                                                                     | In strong plastic bags pumped with pure oxygen                      |
| <b>Is the chlorine removed from tap water before adding to tanks(Aerated for 24 hours or a de-chlorinating product used)?</b> | Yes                                                                 |
| <b>Please describe any concerns relating to the fish</b>                                                                      | No contraventions observed at the fish section.                     |

## **BIRDS**

**Are there Birds?** Yes

**Numbers of live birds**

|          | <b>Breed</b> | <b>Numbers</b> | <b>Condition of birds</b> |
|----------|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| <b>1</b> | Budgie       | 5              | Good                      |
| <b>2</b> | Cockatiel    | 1              | Good                      |
| <b>3</b> | Ringneck     | 1              | Good                      |
| <b>4</b> | Conure       | 2              | Good                      |

**Diet - with reference to the table above**

|          | <b>Feed type and brand</b> | <b>Frequency</b> | <b>Is the diet?</b> | <b>Do they remove old food</b> | <b>Comments</b> |
|----------|----------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>1</b> | Budgie seed mix            | Daily            | Good & Nutritious   | Yes                            |                 |
| <b>2</b> | Cockatiels                 | Daily            | Good & Nutritious   | Yes                            |                 |
| <b>3</b> | Sunflower seed             | Daily            | Good & Nutritious   | Yes                            |                 |

**Group Structures** Singly, Same sizes together

**Compatibility of Groups** Good (Play & Positive Interaction)

**Space** Acceptable (stretch out, stand normally & turn)

**Cage Maintenance** Good

**Hygiene of cages** Good

|                                                                                                                                             |                                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| <b>Ventilation</b>                                                                                                                          | Good (Fresh & Clean)                        |
| <b>Are birds exposed to draughts?</b>                                                                                                       | No                                          |
| <b>Are birds left in full sun?</b>                                                                                                          | No                                          |
| <b>Temperature</b>                                                                                                                          | Comfortable                                 |
| <b>Shelter provided in outside pens</b>                                                                                                     | Not applicable                              |
| <b>Adequate Perch Space - Note: Birds need more horizontal space than vertical. Approx 10cm horizontal space per bird such as parakeets</b> | Good (all can rest on perches at same time) |
| <b>Is the thickness of the perch adequate?</b>                                                                                              | Yes                                         |
| <b>Are perches placed above each other (causing faeces to drop onto birds below?)</b>                                                       | No                                          |
| <b>Do they allow breeding?</b>                                                                                                              | No                                          |
| <b>Suppliers of birds</b>                                                                                                                   | Members of public                           |
| <b>How do staff handle animals?</b>                                                                                                         | Fair                                        |
| <b>Do they allow public to handle the animals?</b>                                                                                          | No                                          |

|                 | Adults | Supervised | Children | Supervised |
|-----------------|--------|------------|----------|------------|
| <b>Handling</b> | No     | No         | No       | No         |

#### Cleaning routine

|                                   | Per day | Per week |
|-----------------------------------|---------|----------|
| <b>How often is cleaning done</b> | 1       | 7        |

#### Water provision

|              | YES or NO | Bowl type    | Hygiene of water provision | Comments |
|--------------|-----------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|
| <b>Water</b> | Yes       | Non-Tip Bowl | Clean                      |          |

**Are the animals fully weaned** Yes (feeding themselves well)

**Health concerns** No concerns observed

**How are birds transported from the shop** Brings own carriers

#### Please describe any concerns relating to Birds

No contraventions observed at the bird section.

## REPTILES

**Not sold**

**Are there spiders, scorpions &/or insects? Not sold**

No contraventions observed during the time of the inspection.

Is a follow up necessary No