FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

1. In 2012 (or nearest most recent full year), how many farmers/livestock producers were investigated by your Trading Standards Department for animal welfare contraventions?

ANSWER

In 2012 no (0) farmers/livestock producers were investigated by Leicester City Council's Trading Standards Department for animal welfare contraventions.

2. Of these cases, how many were prosecuted?

In 2012 there were no (0) prosecutions.

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Information and Customer Access
Leicester City Council

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LEICESTER LE1 6ZG

e-mail: <u>info.requests@leicester.gov.uk</u>

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