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Dear Sir

Environmental Protection Act 1990
Re alleged odour nuisance from Upper Triley Farm

I refer to my visit to Upper Triley Farm on the 12th May, 2003, in response to concern raised with this Section of an alleged odour nuisance associated with the poultry rearing activities at the farm.

As I have previously advised, this Section has a role with respect to the provisions of the above Act to investigate complaints of statutory nuisance and whilst it is acknowledged that some practices, particularly the cleaning of litter out of units and spreading it on land, can give rise to localised inconvenience, it is essential that good practice is followed to help avoid sustained interference with the enjoyment of dwellings and a possible statutory nuisance. Where a nuisance is substantiated a formal Notice can be served prohibiting its recurrence.

I thank you for your assistance during our meeting in explaining your working practices in relation to the poultry rearing at the farm regarding which I was satisfied at the time of my visit.

As agreed, I would be obliged if you could provide me with dates/times prior to removing the litter from the units and the duration/location of the spreading of the litter on your land. This information may be faxed to me on 01873 735413 or I am available on 01873 735433.

I look forward to your continued assistance.

Yours faithfully



R H Owen
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