Form for Requesting a Re-Rating Inspection

The Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Regulations 2013, Schedule 3

The form to be used by a food business operator when requesting a re-rating inspection must, subject to such adaptations as circumstances may reasonably require, be in the form set out below.

Notes for Businesses

- * As the operator of a food business you have a right, under Section 12 of the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Act 2013, to request at any time, an inspection for the purpose of re-rating, provided that you have paid the reasonable costs of the re-rating in accordance with Section 13 of the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Act 2013 (unless the food authority has not required payment of those costs in advance as provided for in Section 12(6) of the Act, in which case the costs may be paid after the re-rating inspection has been completed) and the following conditions have been met :
 - a) any appeal against the current food hygiene rating has been determined;
 - b) you have notified the food authority of improvements made to hygiene standards at the establishment;
 - c) the food authority considered it reasonable to further inspect and assess the establishment in view of the improvements said to have been made;
 - d) the current food hygiene rating sticker is displayed at your establishment in accordance with the requirements of Section 7 of the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Act 2013 and Regulation 9 of the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Regulations 2013;
 - e) you have agreed to ensure that the food authority will be given access to carry out an inspection of the establishment for the purpose of re-rating.
- * The local authority officer will give you a 'new' food hygiene rating based on the level of compliance that is found at the time of the re-visit you should be aware that your rating could go up, down or remain the same.
- * To make a request for a re-visit, please use the form below and return it to the Food Safety Officer, Public Health Section of your local Authority with payment - contact details are provided with the written notification of your food hygiene rating.
- * The re-rating visit will take place within 3 months of the request being made and will usually be made without prior notification.

Food Business Operator		
Business Name		
Business Addresses		
Business Tel. No.		
Business Email		
Date of Inspection	Food Hygiene rating given	

Contact name (if different to	
that of food business operator)	
Head Office address or contact	
addresses (if different to that of	
food business operator)	
Contact Tel. No.	

Please describe the improvements that you have made with reference to the issues identified in the inspection letter/report provided to you by your local authority with your food hygiene rating :

Compliance with food hygiene and safety procedure	
Compliance with structural requirements	
Confidence in management/ control procedures	

Please provide any other supplementary evidence (e.g. photographs, invoices, copies of relevant documentation etc.)

Signed :	Date :
Name in capitals :	Position :

Please return this form to the Environmental Health Manager, Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council, Civic Centre, Castle Street, Merthyr Tydfil CF47 8AN - Telephone : 01685 725410