**THE ANIMALS ACT 1971 (as amended by the Control of Horses Act 2015)**

**NOTICE UNDER SECTION 7C(2) (b) TO THE PERSON WHO APPEARS TO BE THE OWNER OF THE HORSE(S) OR PERSON WHO APPEARS TO BE ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE OWNER IN RELATION TO THE HORSE(S).**

THIS NOTICE is given under s.7C(2)(b) of the Animals Act (as amended by the Control of Horses Act 2015)(the Act) on *[insert date]* to *[the person who appears to be the owner of the horse or person who appears to be acting on behalf of the owner in relation to the horse (delete as applicable)]* in pursuance of its powers to detain horses under section 7A of the Act.

A horse (s) described as:

Micro chip No:

Was (were) detained from the following location / address / area:

At the following date and time:

If you are the owner or the person acting on behalf of the owner, or have information regarding ownership of the horse (s) please contact:

*[Enter Name of Contact – we recommend providing the local Police Station contact details]*

**If no information is forthcoming within 96 hours (equivalent of 4 working days) from the time of detention, steps may be taken to dispose of the horse (s) under section 7C(5) of the Act, which may include its destruction.**

Date & time of placing notice:

96 hour period ends:

***Notice 2 s.7C(2)(b) Owner***