

## **[Guidance: Clean air zones](#)**

Where you'll find clean air zones, how to check if you'll need to pay a charge and create a business account, and what support or exemptions are available.

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## **[Guidance: Badgers, beavers, otters, pine martens and stoats: how to trap humanely](#)**

Trappers of certain species of mammal must use traps that meet international humaneness standards.

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## **[Statutory guidance: Animal activities licensing: statutory guidance for local authorities](#)**

Guidance for local authority inspectors on licensing activities involving animals.

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## **[Policy paper: Gamebirds: decision to issue the gamebird general licence for 2023 to 2025](#)**

How Defra arrived at its decision to issue the gamebird general licence (GL43), valid from 31 May 2023 to 30 May 2025.

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## **Statutory guidance: Gamebirds: licence to release common pheasants or red-legged partridges on certain European sites or within 500m of their boundary (GL43)**

Owners or occupiers of land, or people authorised by them, can use this general licence to release common pheasants or red-legged partridges on certain European sites or within their 500m buffer zones.