

Query regarding food and feed portfolio criteria number 6

This could be a food visit

Criteria 6

Following the risk assessment carried out under the Regulating Markets section, was the candidate provided evidence that they were able to determine the necessity (or otherwise) for corrective action, and what this corrective action should be?

Required Activity

Carry out a minimum of five food inspection visits in line with FSA guidelines across a range of business types where at least one must be a manufacturer and at least one a primary producer.

This could be met as follows:

When carrying out a food visit (part of the required activity) a labelling non-compliance could be identified. The Regulations would then need to be checked to confirm that it is non-compliant and once non-compliance is confirmed, this could then be referred to the home-authority for further action.

Alternatively

If the candidate's authority is the home-authority the candidate could advise directly using a visit sheet and then follow up with an advisory letter (confirmation of advice letter) which would detail what needs to be done by when etc...

Also, to gain a greater understanding of risk and the assessment of risk, a HACCP (hazard analysis at critical control point) could be undertaken, this can be done on-line.