

3. Explain fully what has happened to any wild bats taken which were not subsequently released within the time period of this licence.

Thirty four bats were transported to Germany (15 male / 19 female) by air within seven days and subsequently treated following the experimental protocol submitted with the licence application. During captivity all bats received food and water *ad libitum*. All animals transported were certified healthy by a state registered veterinary surgeon prior to travel and all reached the destination in good physical condition.

All bats will be humanely killed on completion of the experimental protocol submitted with the licence application.

4. Where a licence has been issued for scientific purposes it is important that the data collected are used for scientific knowledge to fulfill the purpose of the licence. State what use you have made of your data or what you intend to do with the results in the future.

This study will be completed by August 2007. Once the data has been analysed it will form part of a report to the customer (Defra) and peer-reviewed scientific publications. Both means of communication will be accessible to the scientific community and the general public.

5. If you have received a licence for the purpose of conservation did your submit bat roost visitor reports? YES NO
If No, explain how the licensed activities have aided the conservation of the species concerned.

Renewal of Licence

Do you wish to renew your licence? NO

If 'YES' (tick appropriate box)

As previously issued. With alterations (Including change of address).

Please give details of any alterations you wish to make to your licence and explain the need for these changes. You may still be required to complete an application form if these changes are significant. We aim to process applications within 15 working days of receipt of all the information requested.

Please specify any training you have received since the issue of this licence.

Declaration

I confirm that the particulars given in this report are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed:

Date:

20/2/07

Please feel free to provide separate comments on the licensing process. Natural England may use these comments to improve its licensing service or advise other licence applicants on best practice.