

Application for approval of a zoological park

Zoos must submit an application for approval by filling in the appropriate form.
The following attachments must be included with the application:

- An overall plan of the zoo, specifying the functions of the various premises;
- A list of the animals present;
- A copy of the environmental permit issued by the Brussels Region;
- A copy of the contract with an accredited vet (.docx) ;
- A list of staff members and their duties;
- The name and address of the zoo manager;
- A copy of the insurance policy covering civil liability (Article 1385 of the Civil Code).

The form should be sent to the following address:

Brussels Environment - BE/Leefmilieu Brussel - LB
Div. Inspectorat et sols pollués
Département Bien-être animal
Site de Tour & Taxis
Av du Port 86C/3000
1000 Brussels

An amount of 250 euros (mammal or bird collection) or 125 euros (other animals) must be paid onto account:

IBAN : BE14 0912 3109 8283
Service Public Régional de Bruxelles
Rue du progrès 80
1035 Bruxelles

On the following pages you will find an English translation of the French and Dutch applications.

This English application is only there to help you understand how to fill in the application but you must use the Dutch or French form.

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Name, address and telephone number (fax) of the zoo

Name, address and telephone number (fax) of the operator

Environmental Permit:

Legal form (S.A., ASBL, SPRL, etc.) :

Staff composition

(number, tasks, diplomas) if any

Accredited veterinary surgeon responsible for monitoring animal health and welfare

(name, address, telephone number, registration number)



Proof of payment (Art. 2 § 1)

Documents attached (Art. 2 § 2)

- general plan of the zoo
- inventory of animals present
- copy of the zoo's statutes
- copy of the environmental permit
- copy of the contract with the accredited veterinarian
- copy of the insurance policy

Opinion of the Veterinary Services

The data you provide will be used solely to process your application for zoo approval. For more information, [please see our data protection policy](#).

