



# ANIMAL CONCERN

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To all Animal Concern Members & Supporters.

*Dear Campaigner,*

This is just a short note to convey some boring but essential business information. The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Animal Concern Limited will be held at 2pm on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> June in The Kirk Lounge of the Renfield St. Stephen's Church Centre, 260 Bath Street, Glasgow.

The full agenda, Annual Report and Accounts and postal ballot papers will be sent to you early in May. If you would like to raise any business at the meeting or if you would like to be considered for election to the Board of Directors please contact me by May 3<sup>rd</sup> at the latest. We can always use input from new Directors. Meetings are held in Glasgow about every two months (on a Saturday). If you are interested or would like more information please let me know.

Enclosed with this letter is the Spring 2006 edition of Animal Concern News. There is some good news and a few calls for action in the newsletter but much of our work is in limbo at present as we wait to see what our MPs and MSPs come up with by way of new legislation on animal welfare.

I have been going through our records and I'm afraid about 25% of our 290 members have lapsed. If you have forgotten to pay your subscription please use the enclosed renewal form to rejoin. We really need your support and we need the support of any relatives and friends you can persuade to join!

If you have internet access and are not already on our e-mail list please drop me an e-mail and I can add you to the 100 plus others who get regular campaign updates and calls to action.

Sincere thanks to all of you who keep Animal Concern going through contributing the funds to sponsor our work and by responding to our calls for action. Special thanks to those who contribute via bank standing order. You don't get receipts or thank you letters but your regular support is vital and very much appreciated.

*Yours sincerely,*

John F. Robins,  
Secretary

PS: The annual Animal Blessing Service will be conducted by Reverend Kenneth Petrie at Craigiebuckler Church Hall, Springfield Road in Aberdeen on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2006 at 3pm. All animals are welcome as long as their human companions behave themselves.