

# INITIAL NOTIFICATION OF WILDLIFE INCIDENT

Incident number: *W /20/18*

Wildlife Adviser: [REDACTED]

10 August 2020

Date of report: 10 August 2020

**Site Location:**

Map ref: *SN862560*

**Details:** *Golden eagle reported dead from a walker. Found along a stream North of the village of Abergwesyn, Powys. It is a captive bird which escaped at three months old and has been living wild for the best part of 12-15 years. It was originally found by the walker on Thursday 06 August 2020 and passed on to local contact and stored frozen on morning of Friday 07 August at a friends address (someone who had large freezer).*

*The approximate location of the bird was given as w3w ///swan.fizzy.butternut*

*Bird stored at this address until it can be taken to APHA for PM.*



**Samples available**

**Biological:** *Golden eagle*

**Chemical:**

**Veterinary  
Laboratories  
Agency**

**Location:**

**Contact:**

**Ref. No.:**

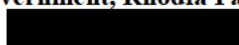
**Additional information** *Golden Eagle has been subject of filming over past year and is part of the [REDACTED] series about the Cambrian Mountains. The episode which shows the golden eagle is due to air on BBC Wales in a few weeks (programme 4). [REDACTED] has been involved in this filming which is why the walker reported the finding to her. [REDACTED] would like to update the viewers on the fate of the eagle and we have agreed that she can state that WIIS are investigating into the cause of this birds death. No further details will be given.*

**NEAT comment:** *Local contact has agreed to take the eagle to APHA Carmarthen for post mortem. [REDACTED] will call APHA before hand to let them know when she is due to arrive.*

**Date of field visit:**

**Awaiting p m:** *No*

**AHVLA** *No*



**AHVLA Result:**  
**Further investigation:** *No*  
**Conclusions:**