

# 'PETSVILLE'

## petshop of true horrors?



these customers thought so!

“bought my little sister a hamster, turned out to be a RAT with its tail chopped off! confirmed by RSPCA they took it away as it was too dangerous to handle”  
Caroline, epsom

“my £500 persian had cat flu, gravely ill - £100 vet bill, infected my other cats too”  
Emma, sutton

“bought sick Staffy Pup, with pnuemonia and lung worm, nearly died”  
Jackie, sutton

“Bought boxer pup for £800, cos I felt sorry for her, she was gravely ill, she has cost me £100's in vets bills and is still very sick”  
Kim, morden

“bought 2 puppies, 1 sick with Parvo disease, the other diarrhoea & blood!”  
Lisa, carshalton

“I used to work there and the way they treat the animals is disgusting”  
name withheld

**plus literally hundreds more signed statements from ex customers of Petsville International**

# 1000's of unwanted pets are destroyed every week



Pet shops selling animals are often unethical, lack knowledge or compassion to provide adequate welfare standards and information to the public, resulting in neglect, appalling conditions, illegal, endangered and exotic animals, puppy farms and 1000's of unwanted, abandoned and sick animals.

There are not enough homes. Animal rescue groups are overwhelmed by the sheer number of animals found abandoned. It is highly irresponsible for people to breed animals for sale in the pet trade when there are so many homeless animals desperate for a good home, yet facing destruction.

Millions of exotic animals are trapped in the wild and imported into this country for sale in pet shops. Many do not survive the trauma of being trapped, crated and the immensely long, frightening journeys packed in small containers.

**Please consider an animal from a rescue centre, we can help, there are hundreds of all types of animals in your area that need good homes. Supporting a shop like Petsville (Kingston or Sutton) may just contribute to more suffering and cruelty, even pet supplies have been found with maggots in, so standards are poor.**

*This long running campaign needs you, please write to the Council, trading standards and your MP. If you have had a personal experience - please fill in one of our forms or email us the details. With your financial support we can achieve even more. Please join our mailing list.*

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