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## **Ethical Consumer questionnaire**

The Ethical Consumer are currently compiling research into the purchase of corporate shooting days in the UK. As part of this research we are circulating a small questionnaire to 200 UK companies. Our intention is to publish the outcome of this research in a report in July 2017 listing those that replied, those that did not, and an analysis of the responses. **Please return this questionnaire by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017.** 

- Please leave questions blank if you can't answer them.
- Please type or paste your answers in the boxes provided and email the document to
- We are interested in your practices as well as stated policies, so please tell us about them.

## **Company details**

| Company name: Aldi  |
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| Company address: Aldi Stores, Holly Lane, Atherstone, Warwickshire, CV9 2SQ           |
| Telephone number: 0800 042 0800   |
| Company public e-mail: customer.service@aldi.co.uk                                    |
| Details of person completing questionnaire  - Name: - Position: - Telephone: - Email: |

## **Grouse Shooting and the Environment**

Q1: Has your company made a public commitment to protecting the natural environment and mitigating its direct environmental impact?

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Q2: Are you aware that driven grouse shooting has negative environmental impacts, including degradation of deep peat, reducing biodiversity, illegal wildlife persecution, high CO2 emissions, worsening water quality and increasing downstream flood risks?

As a result of our close charity partnership with the RSPB, we are aware that the poor management of rare heathland habitat may result in detrimental environmental impacts such as those described. For this reason we do not sell grouse in our stores.

Q3: Has your company ever bought 'Corporate Days' to shoot on driven grouse moors?

Q4: Are you prepared to make a public commitment that your company will not pay for driven grouse shooting 'Corporate Days' in the future until key detrimental impacts have been addressed?

Yes

Many thanks for filling in this form.