



ANIMAL WELFARE POLICY

We acknowledge the level of public concern about the welfare and protection of animals in captivity and in the wild. We therefore commit to working with suppliers to ensure compliance with relevant national and international legislation and best practice.

At X10 KHAOLAK Resort we experience high demand amongst our customers for visits to animal attractions and wild-life viewing opportunities whilst on holidays. We also recognize that these activities have a socio economic and potential educational and biodiversity advantages.

X10 takes a responsible approach to animal welfare. Our objective is to help drive improvements in standards across destinations around the world. As a result, we are actively involved in the development of the industries first ever Global Welfare Guidance for Animals and Tourism, produced by the UKS Travel Industry Association (ABTA) in consultation with key animal welfare organizations. We continue to assess relevant excursions against these animal welfare standards.

We are aware of the current sensitivities and training practices around elephant riding and elephant shows. We have taken a decision to cease all elephant riding and elephant shows at X10 KHAOLAK Resort indefinitely. We have completely withdrawn all these activities and only offer elephant friendly activities that have been certified by X10.

Kind Regards,

Hotel Management