



Don't let them loose!

Never release aquatic plants and pets or dump aquarium water into streams, ponds, lakes, rivers or storm sewers.

It is illegal.

Aquarium fish that are not native are often more aggressive than native species, consuming their food and taking up their space. They can also spread disease, kill local species and damage natural habitats.

Aquarium pets such as snails and turtles can also be extremely harmful to native species and the environment. Aquarium plants choke waterways and can inhibit recreational activities

Report any incidents to your local Ministry of Environment office, or call the TIP line.