- 1. Lab Services Ltd is dedicated to providing a high level of excellence in our services. We understand the importance of our role and if a customer feels their expectations were not met, we want to hear about it so we can make things right.
- **2.** A "complaint" is defined as:
 - 2.1. Any instance where the customer specifically states that they are registering a complaint.
- **3.** Customer complaints can be received by telephone, email, or in person, and most can be resolved quickly and directly with the person concerned.
- **4.** If you wish to raise a formal complaint, it should be submitted in writing as soon as possible.
- 5. To raise a formal complaint, please send an email to <u>Lab@labservices.uk.com</u> with details of the occurrence.
- 6. Customer complaints are investigated thoroughly and impartially. All customer complaints are logged onto the Non-Compliances (NC) spreadsheet and processed via internal procedures.
- **7.** A complaint investigation summary, along with actions taken, is recorded on the Customer Complaint Investigation Summary Form.
- **8.** The completed Customer Complaint Investigation Summary Form can be provided to the complaining party by upon request.
- **9.** Customer complaints will be closed within 4 weeks from the date the complaint is raised for issues not involving a third party, and within 8 weeks for those involving a third party.
- **10.** Regular updates can be provided to the complaining party until the summary is completed. Upon finalisation of the complaint investigation, a summary will be communicated to the customer.

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