#### PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER

# **HIGHWAYS ACT 1980**

#### STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

# (PUBLIC FOOTPATH NO. 4 (PART) RANTON PARISH) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2017

This Order is made by Staffordshire County Council ("the authority") under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") because it appears to the authority that, in the interests of the owner of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of this Order, it is expedient that the line of the path should be diverted.

The landowner has agreed to defray any expenses which are incurred in bringing the new site of the path into a fit condition for use by the public.

Stafford Borough Council has been consulted as to the making of the Order as required by Section 120(2) of the 1980 Act.

#### BY THIS ORDER

- 1. The public right of way over the land situate at Ranton and shown by a bold black line on the map contained in this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order shall be stopped up after 28 days from the date of confirmation of this Order, and thereupon the Definitive Map for the Borough of Stafford shall be modified by deleting from it that public right of way.
- 2. There shall, at the end of 28 days from the date of confirmation of this Order, be a new public right of way over the land situate at Ranton and described in Part 2 of the Schedule and shown by a bold broken line on the map contained in this Order and thereupon the Definitive Map for the Borough of Stafford shall be modified by adding that path to it.
- 3. The rights conferred on the public under this Order shall be subject to the Limitations and Conditions set out in Part 3 of the Schedule.

## **SCHEDULE**

#### PART 1

# **DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF EXISTING PATH OR WAY**

That length of Public Footpath No. 4 Ranton Parish which runs from its junction with Stafford Road at point A on the Order plan (385317 325324) in a generally east south- easterly direction for approximately 50 metres to point B on the Order plan (385360 325301) then heading in a generally south easterly direction for approximately 25 metres to point C on the Order plan (385368 325278) before heading in a generally east south-easterly direction through the grounds of 'The Wicket' for approximately 119 metres to point D on the Order plan (385472 325217).

#### PART 2

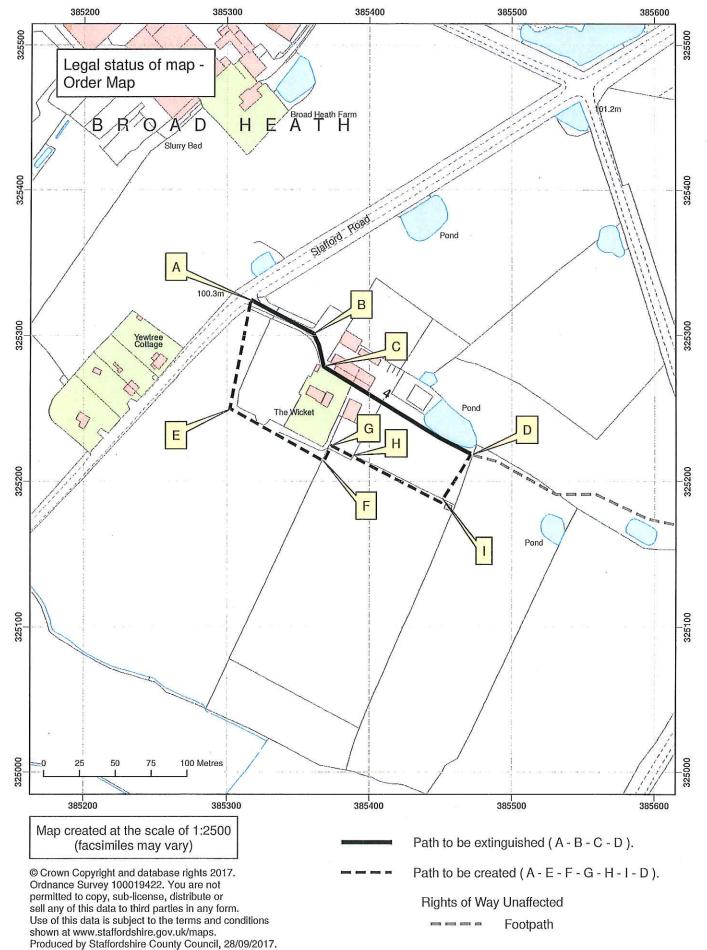
#### DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF NEW PATH OR WAY

A new length of Public Footpath No. 4 Ranton Parish which runs from its junction with Stafford Road at point A on the Order plan (385317 325324) in a generally south south-westerly direction for approximately 77 metres to point E on the Order plan (385302 325249) before turning to head in a generally east south-easterly direction for approximately 75 metres then crossing a field boundary at point F on the Order plan (385368 325213) and heading in a generally north north-easterly direction for approximately 11 metres to cross a boundary at point G on the Order plan (385373 325224). The path then heads in a generally east south-easterly direction for approximately 15 metres through the field boundary at point H on the Order plan (385388 325217) then continuing in a generally east south-easterly direction for approximately 70 metres before turning in a generally north north-easterly direction through the field boundary at point I on the Order plan (385450 325188) then running in a generally north north-easterly direction for approximately 38 metres to re-join the original alignment of Public Footpath No 4 Ranton Parish at point D on the Order plan (385472 325218).

The new route of Public Footpath No. 4 Ranton Parish shall have a prescribed width of 1.8 metres between points A-E-F-G-H-I-D other than when passing through the pedestrian kissing gate at point A (385317-325324), the pedestrian gate at point G (385373-325224), the field gate at point H (385388-325217), the bridle gate at point I (385472-325218) as shown on the Order plan.

Highways Act 1980, Section 119 Diversion of Public Footpath No. 4 (part) Ranton Parish.







### PART 3

# LIMITATIONS AND CONDITIONS

A pedestrian kissing gate in accordance with BS5709:2006 will be installed at point A (385317-325324) as shown on the Order plan. A bridle gate in accordance with BS5709:2006 will be installed at point I (385451-325188) as shown on the Order Plan. A pedestrian gate in accordance with BS5709:2016 exists at point G (385373-325224) on the Order plan and a Field gate in accordance BS5709:2006 exists at point H (385388:325217) on the Order plan. The owner of the land is responsible for the maintenance of the surface of the diverted section of Public Footpath No 4 Ranton Parish to a standard required by Staffordshire County Council.

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THE COMMON SEAL OF STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto affixed in the presence of:

Authorised Signatory

CLAIR RUSILIN-BROWN .

Confirmed as an unopposed Order on the ....day of NOVEM TWO Two thousand

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Authorised Signatory

CLAIR RUSKIN-BROWN.