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**WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**  
**DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR THE DISTRICT OF**  
**STAFFORDSHIRE MOORLANDS**  
**STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(PUBLIC BRIDLEWAY FROM BATTLESTEADS ROAD [the C0065]**  
**TO THE RED ROAD [the D1141] PARISH OF ALTON)**  
**MODIFICATION ORDER 2017**

This Order is made by Staffordshire County Council under section 53(2)(b) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 ("the Act") because it appears to the Secretary of State for Environment Food and Rural Affairs (who has directed the Authority to that effect) that the Definitive Map and Statement for the District of Staffordshire Moorlands require modification in consequence of the occurrence of events specified in :

Section 53 (3)(c) (i) namely, the discovery by the authority of evidence which (when considered with all other relevant evidence available to them) shows that a right of way which is not shown in the map and statement subsists or is reasonably alleged to subsist over land in the area to which the map relates, being a right of way such that the land over which the right subsists is a public path, a restricted byway or, subject to section 54A, a byway open to all traffic

and

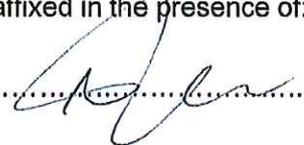
Section 53 (3) (c) (ii) namely, the discovery by the Authority of evidence which (when considered with all other relevant evidence available to them) shows that a highway shown in the map and statement as a highway of a particular description ought to be there shown as a highway of a different description;

The authority has consulted with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the order relates. The Staffordshire County Council hereby order that:

1. For the purposes of this order the relevant date is the date it is made.
2. The Definitive Map and Statement for the District of Staffordshire Moorlands shall be modified as described in Part I and Part II of the Schedule and shown on the map attached to the Order.
3. This order shall take effect on the date it is confirmed and may be cited as the Staffordshire County Council (Public Bridleway from Battlesteads Road [the C0065] to the Red Road [the D1141] Parish of Alton) Modification Order 2017

Given under the Common Seal of the Staffordshire County Council on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of July 2017

The Common Seal of STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto affixed in the presence of:-

.....  


Authorised Signatory



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Confirmed as an unopposed order this  
14 day of *December* 2017  
The Common Seal of  
STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
was hereunto affixed in the presence of:-  
.....*C. McWilliam*.....  
Authorised Signatory

## **SCHEDULE**

### **PART I: MODIFICATION OF DEFINITIVE MAP**

#### **Description of Way to be added**

The effect of the Order is to add a length of bridleway running from point C on the order map (NGR SK406661-342228) at a point on Footpath No. 13, Alton Parish, approximately 110 metres north north-west of "The Warren" running in a generally northerly direction for approximately 28 metres then in a generally north north-westerly direction for approximately 19 metres then in a generally north-westerly direction for approximately 49 metres to point D on the order map (NGR SK406611-342305) at a point on Footpath No. 13, Alton Parish, approximately 17 metres north-west of Dale Farm. At point C on the order map (NGR SK406661-342228) there is a wooden field gate with a width of 3.35 metres and a height of 1.22 metres.

#### **Description of paths to be upgraded to Bridleway**

1. A length of Public Footpath No. 16 Alton Parish to be upgraded to Bridleway status commencing at point A on the order map (NGR SK406610 342027) on the north side of the public road known as "Battlesteads" (C0065) in the parish of Alton, approximately 85 metres south-west of "The Warren" and running in a generally north-easterly direction for approximately 130 metres to its junction with Footpath No. 69 Alton Parish at point B on the order map (NGR SK406691 342128).
2. A length of Public Footpath No. 13 Alton Parish to be upgraded to Bridleway status running from Point B ( NGR SK406691 342128) on the order map in a generally north-north-westerly direction for approximately 105 metres to point C on the order map (NGR SK406661-342228)
3. A length of Public Footpath No. 13 Alton Parish to be upgraded to Bridleway status running from Point D on the order map (NGR SK406611- 342305) in a generally north westerly direction for approximately 105 metres then in a generally north north-westerly direction for approximately 67 metres then in a generally north westerly direction for approximately 80 metres to Point E on the order map (NGR SK406477-342515) then in a generally north easterly direction for approximately 170 metres terminating at the junction of Footpaths 14 and 68, Bridleway 12 and the public road known as "Red Road" (D1141) at point F on the order map (NGR SK406566-342659). At point D7( NGR SK 406514 – 342458) there is a metal field gate with an adjacent stile. The gate is 2.74 metres wide and 1.195 metres high.

## PART II

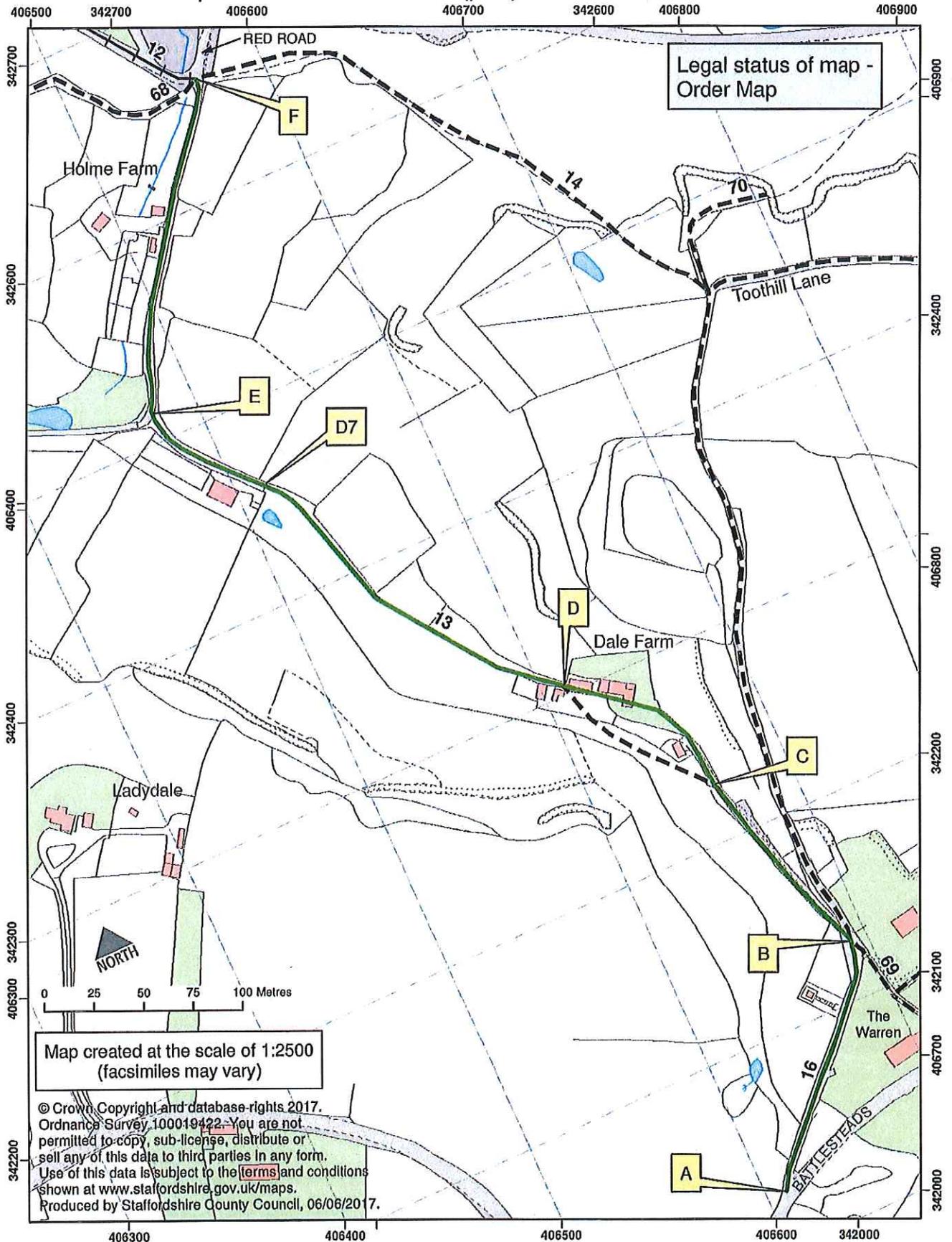
### **Modification of Definitive Statement**

#### **Variation of particulars of path or way**

Type of Path:	Public Bridleway
Path commences at:	North side of road known as Battlesteads approximately 85m. south-west of "The Warren".
Path finishes at:	Junction of Footpaths 14 and 16, Bridleway 12 and Red Road (D1141)

The width of the Public Bridleway is that shown on the Ordnance Survey County Series – Staffordshire 1:2,500, Revised 1920 and published 1922, Sheets 20 : 9 and 20 : 13.

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, Section 53.  
 Modification of the Definitive Map and Statement to show  
 as Bridleway, Footpath No.13 Alton Parish and  
 Footpath No.16 Alton Parish (part).



Map created at the scale of 1:2500  
 (facsimiles may vary)

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- Route to show as Bridleway (A - B - C, C - D, D - E - F).
- Footpath
- +—— Bridleway

**Notice of Confirmation of Modification Order**  
**SECTION 53 OF THE WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

**DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR THE DISTRICT OF STAFFORDSHIRE MOORLANDS**

**STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(PUBLIC BRIDLEWAY FROM BATTLESTEADS ROAD [the C0065] TO THE RED ROAD**  
**[the D1141] PARISH OF ALTON) MODIFICATION ORDER 2017**

The above Order made on 4<sup>th</sup> July 2017 has been confirmed by Staffordshire County Council without modification.

The effect of the order, as confirmed, is to modify the Definitive Map and Statement for the area by:

**UPGRADING TO BRIDLEWAY:**

1. a length of Public Footpath No. 16 Alton Parish commencing at a point on the north side of the public road known as "Battlesteads" (C0065) (NGR SK406610 342027) in the parish of Alton, approximately 85 metres south-west of "The Warren" and running in a generally north-easterly direction for approximately 130 metres to its junction with Footpath No. 69 Alton (NGR SK406691 342128).
2. a length of Public Footpath No. 13 Alton running from a point at NGR SK406691 342128 in a generally north-north-westerly direction for approximately 105 metres to NGR SK406661-342228.
3. a length of Public Footpath No. 13 Alton running from a point at NGR SK406611- 342305 in a generally north westerly direction for approximately 105 metres then in a generally north north-westerly direction for approximately 67 metres then in a generally north westerly direction for approximately 80 metres to NGR SK406477-342515 then in a generally north easterly direction for approximately 170 metres terminating at the junction of Footpaths 14 and 68, Bridleway 12 and the public road known as "Red Road" (D1141) (NGR SK406566-342659). At NGR SK 406514 - 342458 there is a metal field gate with an adjacent stile. The gate is 2.74 metres wide and 1.195 metres high.

**ADDING AS BRIDLEWAY:**

a length of bridleway running from a point on Footpath No. 13, Alton Parish, (NGR SK406661-342228) approximately 110 metres north north-west of "The Warren" running in a generally northerly direction for approximately 28 metres then in a generally north north-westerly direction for approximately 19 metres then in a generally north-westerly direction for approximately 49 metres to a point on Footpath No. 13, Alton Parish, approximately 17 metres north-west of Dale Farm (NGR SK406611-342305). There is a wooden field gate with a width of 3.35 metres and a height of 1.22 metres at NGR SK406661-342228.

A copy of the confirmed order and map has been deposited and may be seen free of charge at the office of the Staffordshire Moorlands District Council, Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek, Staffordshire. ST13 6HQ and at the office of the Director of Strategy, Governance and Change, Staffordshire County Council, 1 Staffordshire Place, Tipping Street, Stafford during normal working hours, Mondays to Fridays. Copies of the Order and the Map may be purchased.

The Order came into force on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017, but if a person aggrieved by the Order wants to question its validity, or any provision contained in it on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 or on the ground that any requirement of the Act or of any regulation made under the Act has not been complied with in relation to the order, he or she may, under paragraph 12 of Schedule 15 to the Act within 42 days from 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018 make an application to the High Court.

John Tradewell,  
Director of Strategy, Governance and Change  
Staffordshire County Council  
1 Staffordshire Place  
Tipping Street  
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Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018

STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Dated 4<sup>th</sup> July 2017

**STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
(PUBLIC BRIDLEWAY FROM BATTLESTEADS ROAD [the C0065]  
TO THE RED ROAD [the D1141] PARISH OF ALTON)  
MODIFICATON ORDER 2017**

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