



## APPLICATION FORM FOR A MODIFICATION TO THE COUNTY OF DORSET DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT OF RIGHTS OF WAY Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

To: Executive Director of Place Dorset Council County Hall DORCHESTER Dorset DT1 1XJ

**I/<del>We</del>**(i)

**Richard Meatyard** 

of (ii) 28 Eggardon Close, Beaminster, Dorset, DT8 3DD hereby apply for an order under Section 53(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 modifying the Definitive Map and Statement for the area by \*:-

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(b)	Adding the footpath / bridloway / restricted byway / byway open to all traffic * which runs from: A - [SY 4016 9433] end of the adopted part of Loves Lane, via B - [SY 4036 9442]
	to: C - [SY 4024 9416] end of the adopted part of Verriotts Lane
<del>(c)</del>	Upgrading/downgrading the footpath / bridloway / restricted byway / byway open to all traffic * which runs
	f <del>rom:</del>
	t <del>o:</del>
	te revised status: feetpath / bridleway / restricted byway / byway open te all traffic
<del>(d)</del>	Varying/adding to the particulars relating to the footpath / bridleway / restricted byway / by
	to:
	by providing that

and shown on the map accompanying this application (see overleaf).

## N.B. PLEASE DESCRIBE ROUTE AND STATE WIDTHS WHERE APPROPRIATE

**I/We** attach copies of the following documentary evidence [including statements of witnesses] in support of this application:-

(iii) Listed overleaf



Date: 15/5/2021

PLEASE ATTACH A MAP SHOWING THE PRECISE LINE OF THE ROUTE USED AND SIGN IT

## **Documentary evidence:-**

- 1. Extract from: A map of Lord Milton's, Abbots Wootton Estate by William Woodward, Dated: 1769
- 2. Extract from: Ordnance Survey 1<sup>st</sup> Series map (1 inch to the mile), Dated:1811
- 3. Extract from: Whitchurch Canonicorum Tithe Map, Dated: 1844
- 4. Extract from: Whitchurch Canonicorum Tithe Map, with matching current public paths overlaid.
- 5. Extract from: Ordnance Survey map (6 inch to the mile), Dated 1888
- 6. Extract from: Ordnance Survey map (6 inch to the mile), Dated 1904
- 7. Extract from: Whitchurch Canonicorum Finance Act 1910.
- 8. Extract from: Ordnance Survey map (6 inch to the mile), Dated 1930
- 9. Extract from: Land Registry Inspire Online mapping,

## Notes relating to documentary evidence:-

- In 1769, Lord Milton commissioned William Woodward to map and survey his newly purchased estate of the Manor of Abbots Wootton. The previous owner being Mr Henley (d1768). The map and survey are now held in the Dorset History Centre Map (D.1/11704) & Survey (D-WFP/1/1?). Hardown Hill appears to have been "waste of the manor" or common grazing land and William Woodward comments that Mr Henley had allowed squatter occupation of the hill. The colour coding of the map indicates: Green – boundary of the hill. Red – land enclosed within the last 20 years. Yellow – land enclosed for greater than 20 years. The map depicts two roads across the hill that broadly coincide with the present day roads of the claim.
- 3. Tithe Map, Hardown (Hatton) Hill is apportionment No.316. This referred to as "Sundries" no owner or tenant is listed.
- 4. Tithe Map, showing which of the routes depicted in 1844 are now part of the public highways network.
- 1910 Finance Act Map, apart from a small section at (B) shown as not assessable. The small section, coincides with land gifted to the National Trust by Mrs Angela Scott-Nicholson in 1967. The Trust online mapping show the lane as outside their holding.
- 9. Capture (13/2/2020) from the LR Inspire mapping shows lanes as unregistered.