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22 December 2023

Dear Ms Rebecca Buck,

Highways Act 1980 - Section 119
Order Making Authority: Dorset Council
Title of Order: Dorset Council (Footpath 16, Melcombe Horsey And Footpath 26,
Cheselbourne) Public Path Diversion Order 2014

Further to my letter of 15 November 2023, please find enclosed a copy of all the comments that have been received on the submitted statements of case. The exchange period has now ended. Arrangements have therefore been made for the Inspector to visit the site.

As previously advised, the purpose of the visit is to enable the Inspector to see the land to which the Order relates, the surrounding area and to note physical features such as stiles, gates, fences, walls, hedges and trees. The Inspector will visit the site, unaccompanied by the parties, during the week of 8 January 2024. The time and date on which the visit actually takes place will be at the discretion of the Inspector.

There is one formality about the unaccompanied site visit that I should explain. As the exchange of written representations has been completed, the Inspector will not be able to discuss the case with anyone he/she meets. The Inspector will refuse any approach that is made. On this basis, could I ask you not to approach the Inspector if you observe him/her at anytime either before, during or after this site inspection. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Enclosures:

Final Comments submitted on 15 December 2023 by Ms Janet Montgomery (of Brimble Lea) (o.b.o. Mr David & Ms Gay Sutton) (Notified Party)

Final Comments submitted on 15 December 2023 by Ms Rebecca Buck (o.b.o. Order Making Authority)

Yours sincerely,

Helen Sparks

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