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Your Reference :ROW/3278588
Our Reference: SGN0/03030

Dear Ms. Sparks,

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981-Section 53

Order Making Authority: Dorset Council

Title of Order: (Bridleway 8(part), Cheselbourne and Bridleway 18, Dewlish to be upgraded to Byways Open to All Traffic) DMMO 2020

I am writing on behalf of Southern Gas Networks Plc ("SGN") in relation to the above.

SGN is responsible for the management of the network that distributes gas to premises across the Dorset area and have a high pressure gas main crossing the Bridleway shown on the enclosed plan. Please note the plan is provided as a guide to the approximate position of that gas main ,the actual location and details will need to be determined on site.

Due to the inherent danger of gas, high pressure gas mains are subject to very specific working practices that must be followed by any third party working in the vicinity of them. SGN is concerned that the works associated with the Order may adversely affect the integrity of the high pressure gas main and access to it.

For this reason, SGN object to the Order.

SGN expect all reasonable measures are taken prior to the implementation of any works associated with the Order to ensure the high pressure gas main is properly protected. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, agreeing protective provisions and relocating of it at the sole cost Dorset Council.

I would be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

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