

## Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Definitive Map and Statement for the Former Borough of Dunstable, the Borough of Luton and the Former Leighton Buzzard and Linslade Urban and Luton Rural Districts as at 1st March 2010

CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL (DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR BEDFORDSHIRE) (HEATH AND REACH: FOOTPATH NO 8) MODIFICATION ORDER 2011

The above Order made on 20 May 2011, if confirmed as made will modify the definitive map and statement for the area by adding to them the footpaths described below.

The first part of Footpath No 8 Heath and Reach to be added extends from its junction with another part of Footpath No 8 Heath and Reach and Footpath No. 11 Heath and Reach at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) SP 9245 2791 (Order map - point A) in a north westerly direction along a grassed track for approximately 133 metres to its junction with Lane's End at OS GR SP 9235 2799 (Order map - point B) where the path terminates.

The footpath has a variable width as bounded by the hedges and fences to either side and generally narrows from a maximum of 3.6 metres at OS GR SP 9235 2799 (Order map - point B) to a minimum of 1.9 metres at OS GR SP 9245 2791 (Order map - point A).

The second part of Footpath No 8 Heath and Reach to be added extends from its junction with Lane's End at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) SP 9233 2797 (Order map - point C) in a south westerly direction along a metalled path for approximately 54 metres to its junction with Footpath No 11 Heath and Reach at OS GR SP 9231 2792 (Order map - point D) where the path terminates.

The footpath has a width of 1.8 metres between OS GR SP 9233 2797 (Order map - point C) and OS GR SP 9231 2792 (Order map - point D).

A copy of the Order and the map may be seen free of charge at the offices of Countryside Access Team, Central Bedfordshire Council, Technology House, 239 Ampthill Road, Bedford between 9.00am and 5.00pm on Mondays to Thursdays and between 9.00am and 4.00pm on Fridays. Copies of the Order and the Order map may be purchased. An explanatory statement can be obtained by phoning 0300 300 6249 or e-mailing rightsofway@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk.

Any representation or objection relating to the Order must be sent in writing to the Orders & Commons Registration Officer, Countryside Access Team, Central Bedfordshire Council, Technology House, 239 Ampthill Road, Bedford, MK42 9BD not later than 8 July 2011, and applicants are requested to state the grounds on which it is made.

If no representations or objections are duly made to the Order, or to any part of it, or if any so made are withdrawn, Central Bedfordshire Council may, instead of submitting the Order to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, itself confirm the Order. If the Order is submitted to the Secretary of State in whole or in part, any representations or objections which have been duly made and not withdrawn will be sent with it.

Dated 26 May 2011

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