PUBLIC NOTICE



CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

NOTICE OF MAKING OF PUBLIC PATH ORDER

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL (STOTFOLD: PART OF FOOTPATH NO 6) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2016 (1)

The above Order made on 12 August 2016 under Section 257 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 if confirmed will divert part of Stotfold Footpath No 6 as shown on the Order map. This Order replaces the Order titled Central Bedfordshire Council (Stotfold: Part of Footpath No 6) Public Path Diversion Order 2016, the previous order was invalid due to an incorrect planning application reference.

The length of Stotfold Footpath No 6 to be diverted extends from Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 2204 3700 for 64 metres to OS GR TL 2206 3694 then extends 49 metres to OS GR TL 2210 3697.

The alternative highway to be provided and known as Stotfold Footpath No 6 extends from OS GR TL 2210 3697 (map point C) and runs in a north-westerly direction for approximately 41 metres to OS GR TL 2207 3700 (Map point D) where it turns westerly and runs for approximately 36 metres to OS GR TL2204 3700 (map point A). The surface of the new route will be the same grass as at present.

The new length of footpath has a width of 2 metres.

Under section 257 of The Town and Country Planning Act 1990 "a competent authority may by order authorise the stopping up or diversion of any footpath, bridleway or restricted byway if they are satisfied that it is necessary to do so in order to enable development to be carried out".

The land over which this part of Stotfold Footpath No 6 passes has been granted planning permission to build (CB/14/03601). The Public Footpath would be obstructed by the development unless it is diverted to a new line. Central Bedfordshire Council consider it necessary to divert the footpath in order to allow the development to take place.

A copy of the Order and the Order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge at the offices of Central Bedfordshire Council, Rights of Way Team, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford, Bedfordshire, SG17 5TQ between 9.00am and 5.00pm on Mondays to Thursdays and between 9.00am to 4.00pm on Fridays. Copies of the Order and map may be bought there at a charge of £4.00. An explanatory statement can be obtained by phoning 0300 300 6888.

Any representations or objections relating to the Order must be sent in writing to the Senior GIS & Commons Officer, Rights of Way Team, Central Bedfordshire Council, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford SG17 5TQ not later than 16th September 2016. Please state the grounds on which they are made. Representations and objections must include either a postal or e-mail address. Any representations or objections made will be in the public domain and will be available for viewing/copying by members of the public.

If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, Central Bedfordshire Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed Order. If the Order is sent to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation any representations and objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with the Order and will be made publicly available by either the Council or the Planning Inspectorate.

DATE 19 August 2016

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