#### **WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

Definitive Map Modification Order

Definitive Map and Statement for The Former North Bedfordshire Borough

# BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR THE FORMER NORTH BEDFORDSHIRE BOROUGH)(WOOTTON: DELETION OF PUBLIC FOOTPATH No. 7) MODIFICATION ORDER 2020

This Order is made by Bedford Borough Council under section 53(2)(b) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1980 ("the Act") because the Authority has been directed by the Secretary of State to the effect that the Definitive Map and Statement for the Former North Bedfordshire Borough require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(c)(iii), namely:-

- (c) the discovery by the surveying authority of evidence which (when considered with all other relevant evidence available to them) shows:
- (iii) that there is no public right of way over land shown in the map and statement as a highway of any description, or any other particulars contained in the map and statement require modification.

The authority has consulted with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the order relates. The Bedford Borough Council hereby order that:

- 1. For the purposes of this order the relevant date is 1 June 2020.
- 2. The Definitive Map and Statement for the Former North Bedfordshire Borough shall be modified as described in Part I and Part II of the Schedule and shown on the map attached to the Order.
- 3. This order shall take effect on the date it is confirmed and may be cited as the "Bedford Borough Council (Definitive Map and Statement for The Former North Bedfordshire Borough) (Wootton: Deletion of Public Footpath No. 7) Modification Order 2020".

In witness whereof
THE COMMON SEAL OF
THE BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

was hereunto affixed this  $\neq$  day of OCTOBER 2020 in the presence of:

I certify that this is a true copy of the Orde as it was when it was:

MADE BY BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

Signed: Georgina Mc Oasle

Dated: 09/10/20

**Authorised Signatory** 

DAVID DOORNE Team Leader (GPP&L) (Solicitor)



#### SCHEDULE

#### PARTI

## **Modification of Definitive Map**

## Description of Path or Way to be Deleted

The entire extent of Public Footpath number 7 Wootton shown as a bold solid black line on the map attached to this order that commences from a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 10 Wootton that is unaffected approximately 133 metres west of Hall End Road, Wootton at Ordnance Survey Grid reference SP 9988/4543 shown as point "A" on the map attached to this order then running a generally south-south-westerly direction for 318 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Bridleway number 5 Wootton that is unaffected west of Wootton Upper School at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference SP 9981/4513 shown as point "B" on the map attached to this order.

The Definitive Statement records no details as to the width of Public Footpath Wootton number 7. For the avoidance of doubt the intention of the order is to entirely delete the right of way from the Definitive Map.

> I certify that this is a true copy of the Order as it was when it was:

MADE BY BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

Signed: Georgina McDade Dated: 09/10/20

### PART II

# **Modification of Definitive Statement**

# Variation of Particulars of Path or Way

Statement Entry to be Deleted:

# **WOOTTON**

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FROM:

Hall End Road

The Wood, Top Farm & Ashbrook

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

The path is a footpath.

It starts at the north west corner of the field in which is described Bridle Road number four, along the east side of hedge to bridle gate near to wood. This path is of good width and was used during wartime ploughing operations as a diversion of BR4.

DISTRICT:

North Bedfordshire Borough

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MADE BY

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Signed: Georgina McDade Dated: 09/10/20

