



**PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND  
DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER**

**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

**SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL**

**THE SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL (FOOTPATH 57 (PART), PARISH OF  
STOTTESDON)  
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024**

This Order is made by the Shropshire Council (“the Council”) under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 (“the 1980 Act”) because it appears to the Council that in the interests of the landowners of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of this order it is expedient that the line of the way should be diverted.

This Order is also made under section 53A (2) of the Wildlife Countryside Act 1981 (“the 1981 Act”) because it appears to the authority that the Shropshire definitive map and statement require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the diversion (as authorised by this Order) of a highway shown or required to be shown in the map and statement.

**BY THIS ORDER:**

1. The public right of way over the land situated adjacent to Ribley and shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order shall be stopped up on the date of confirmation of this order and thereupon the Shropshire definitive map shall be modified by deleting from it that public right of way.

2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1 of this Order statutory undertakers shall have the following rights over the land referred to in paragraph 1 above,

namely:

Where immediately before the date on which the footpath is diverted there is apparatus under, in, on, over, along or across it belonging to statutory undertakers for the purpose of carrying on their undertaking, the undertakers shall continue to have the same right in respect of the apparatus as they then had.

3. There shall on the date of confirmation of this Order be a public footpath over the land situated adjacent to Ribley described in Part 2 of the Schedule and shown by a bold broken line on the map contained in this Order and thereupon the Shropshire definitive map shall be modified by adding that path to it.

3A. The Shropshire definitive statement shall be modified as described in Part 4 of the Schedule to this order.

4. The diversion of the footpath shall only have effect on the date on which Shropshire Council certifies that any works required to bring the footpath into a fit condition have been carried out.

5. The rights conferred on the public under this Order shall be subject to the limitations and conditions set out in Part 3 of the Schedule.

## **SCHEDULE**

### **PART I**

#### **Description of site of existing path or way**

The full width of that part of the Footpath 57 from Point B on the Order Map grid reference SO 6763 8321 running through an arable field in a general northerly direction to the boundary fence of Ribley. From here it runs in a general NNW direction across grassland land before meeting the county road at Point C grid reference SO 6760 8336. A distance of approximately 165 metres.

### **PART 2**

#### **Description of site of new path or way**

From a gate at Point A on the Order Map grid reference SO 6758 8335, running in a general SSE direction. The footpath will then turn in a westerly direction following the current fence line of the property before turning southwest. It will then continue in a southerly direction along the western edge of the property curtilage before turning to the southeast to meet a gate on the southern property boundary grid reference SO 6759 8330. The footpath will continue into the adjacent field and will turn SSW towards the western edge of this field, following the field edge in a SSE direction before turning southeast to connect with the existing line of Footpath 57 at Point B on the Order Map grid reference SO 6763 8321. A total distance of approximately 194 metres with a width of 2 metres throughout.

### **PART 3**

#### **Limitations and conditions**

Gate at grid reference SO 6758 8335 to BS 5709

Gate at grid reference SO 6759 8330 to BS 5709

### **PART 4**

#### **Modification of Definitive Statement**

From a gate at Point A on the Order Map grid reference SO 6758 8335, running in a general SSE direction. The footpath will then turn in a westerly direction following the

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There is no Shropshire definitive statement for the remainder of this Right of Way.

**Variation of Particulars of Path or Way**

None

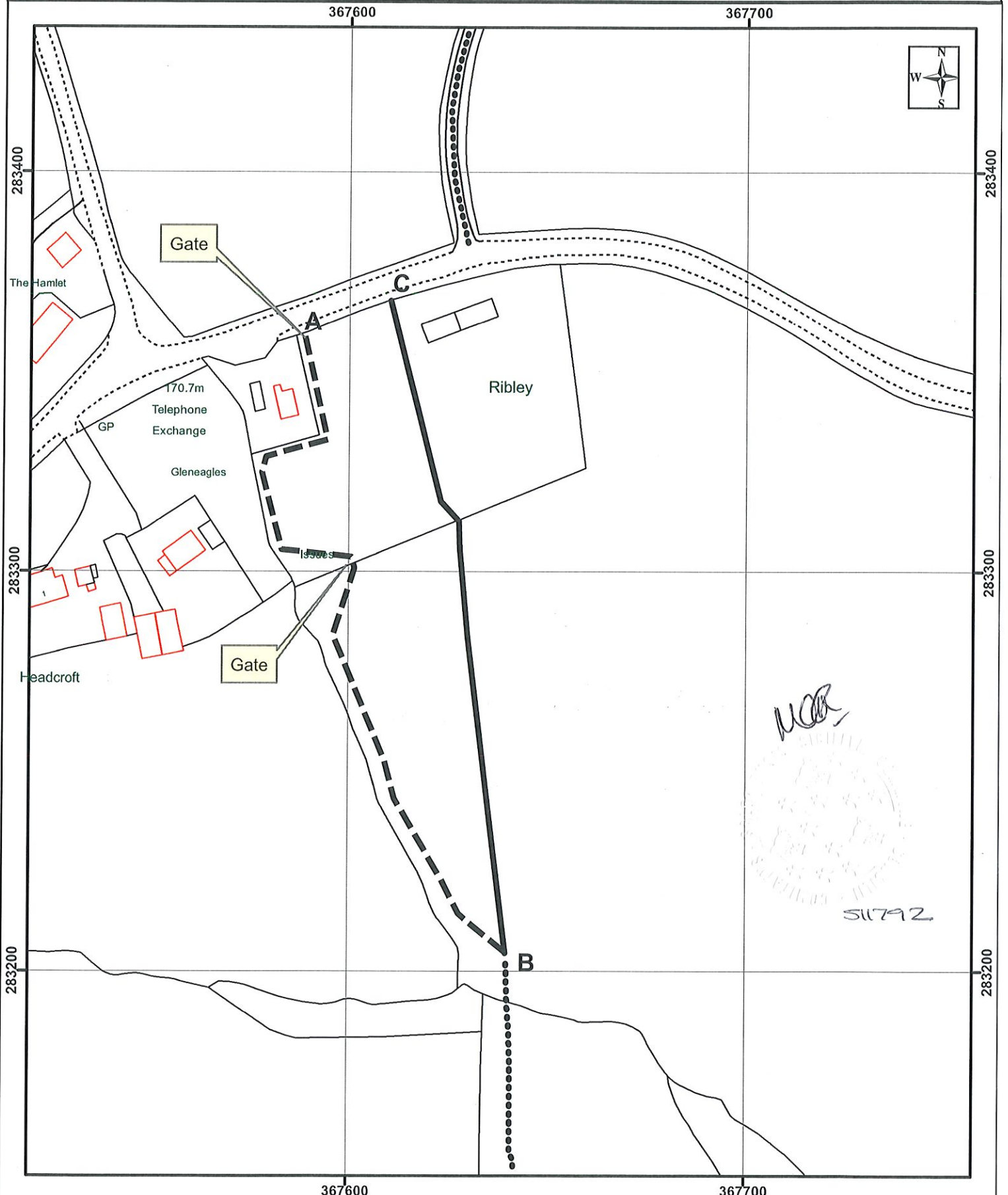
Executed as a deed by affixing the  
Common Seal of Shropshire  
Council on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024

In the presence of:



Miranda Garrard  
Head of Legal and Democratic Services

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DATED 1<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY 2024

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