

Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Definitive Map and Statement for the Former Ampthill Urban and Rural Districts as at 27 January 2009

CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL (DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR BEDFORDSHIRE) (CLOPHILL: FOOTPATH NOS 12 AND 13) 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 two footpaths described below.

## Footpath No 12 Clophill

The first part of Footpath No 12 Clophill to be added extends from its junction with Church Path and Footpath No A2 Clophill at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 0915 3880 (Order map - Point C) through a kissing gate in a generally easterly direction along the northern side of a wall and hedge for approximately 65 metres to terminate at a gap in a wall at OS GR TL 0922 3881 (order map – Point D) at the northern boundary of the new graveyard.

The second part of Footpath No 12 Clophill to be added extends from the southern boundary of the new graveyard at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 0926 3880 (Order map - Point D2) in a generally south easterly and then south south easterly direction on the western side of a hedged field boundary for approximately 340 metres to a field boundary at the south-eastern corner of the field at OS GR TL 0946 3856 (Order map - Point E). The path then continues in a south south easterly direction along a grassed track on the western side of a field boundary for approximately 141 metres to OS GR TL 0951 3842 and then continues along a metalled track for approximately 128 metres to a field gate and stile at the junction with Shefford Road at OS GR TL 0955 3830 (Order map - Point F) where the path terminates.

The path has a width of 1.8 metres between Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 0915 3880 (Order map - Point C) and OS GR TL 0922 3881 (order map - Point D), and a width of 1.8 metres between Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 0926 3880 (Order map - Point D2) and OS GR TL 0946 3856 (Order map - Point E) and a variable width of between 2.0 metres and 3.0 metres between OS GR TL 0946 3856 (Order map - Point E) and OS GR TL 0955 3830 (Order map - Point F).

The path has a limitation of a kissing gate at OS GR TL 0915 3880 (Order map - Point C) and a stile at OS GR TL 0955 3830 (Order map - Point F).

## Footpath No 13 Clophill

Footpath No 13 Clophill to be added extends from its junction with Footpath No. 12 Clophill at OS GR TL 0946 3856 (Order map - Point E) in a generally west south westerly direction along the northern side of a field boundary for approximately 196 metres to a gap at OS GR TL 0927 3849 (Order map - Point G). The path then continues in a generally south south easterly direction between a wood and a field boundary for approximately 124 metres to OS GR TL 0932 3837. The path then continues in an east north easterly direction for approximately 63 metres along a metalled track to OS GR TL 0938 3839 and then in a south south easterly direction along a metalled track for approximately 130 metres to its junction with Shefford Road at OS GR TL 0942 3826 (Order map - Point I) where it terminates.

The footpath has a width of 1.8 metres between OS GR TL 00946 3856 (Order map – Point E) and OS GR TL 0927 3849 (Order map - Point G), a width of 1.0 metres between OS GR TL 0927 3849 (Order map - Point G) and OS GR TL 0930 3842 (Order map - Point H), and a variable width

of between 1.5 metres and 3.0 metres between OS GR TL 0930 3842 (Order map - Point H) and OS GR TL 0942 3826 (Order map - point I).

The path has a limitation of a 0.8 metre gap adjacent to a field gate at OS GR TL 0940 3830.

A copy of the Order and the map may be seen free of charge at the offices of Countryside Access Service, Central Bedfordshire Council, Technology House, 239 Ampthill Road, Bedford, MK42 9BD 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-mail 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 Service, 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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