

SECTION 53 OF THE WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981

THE EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL (LEWES DISTRICT) DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT THE EAST SUSSEX (PUBLIC FOOTPATH LEWES 55) DEFINITIVE MAP MODIFICATION ORDER 2019

The above Order, made on 17 May 2019, was confirmed by the Secretary of State without modifications on 19 November 2020 and took effect from that date. The confirmed Order modifies the Definitive Map and Statement for the area by:

Adding a public footpath commencing at the pedestrian entrance of Clevedown leading from the footway on the south-westerly side of Brighton Road, Lewes, opposite the western side of the entrance of Southdown Avenue at point A (TQ 4030 0985), continuing in a south-easterly direction for a distance of 1 metre to the top of steps, having a width of 1 metre to point B (TQ 4031 0985), continuing in a south-easterly direction for a distance of 7 metres down a series of 6 steps followed by a short landing and a further 4 steps and beyond, having a width of 1 metre to point C (TQ 4031 0984), along the side of the block of flats in south-westerly direction for a distance of 25 metres as it begins to veer left around the corner of the flats, having a width of 2.5 metres to point D (TQ 4029 0983), along the access track round the corner of the flats in a south south-westerly direction for a distance of 17 metres, having a width of 2.5 metres to point E (TQ 4029 0981), then downhill from point E in a south-easterly direction for a distance of 75 metres, having a width of 2.5 metres to point F (TQ 4033 0975), continuing south-easterly for a distance of 17 metres to meet the edge of the Highway known as Barons Down Road, having a width of 2.5 metres to point G (TQ 4034 0974). The public footpath follows the route A-B-C-D-E-F-G and vice versa as shown on the Order plan.

The width of the footpath is to be recorded as between 1.0 and 2.5 metres. The position of the path is to be recorded as shown on the plan accompanying the Order (Plan: LEW/FP55/DMMO/2019/V1).

A copy of the confirmed Order, Order plan and the Planning Inspectorate's Order Decision document may be inspected free of charge at Reception, East Sussex County Council, County Hall, St. Anne's Crescent, Lewes BN7 1UE from 9am to 4.30pm Mondays to Fridays between 11 December 2020 and 22 January 2020 and online at:

www.eastsussex.gov.uk/leisureandtourism/discover-east-sussex/rightsofway/the-definitive-map-and-statement/register-of-definitive-map-modification-order-applications/rwo-196-lewes

Should you have any difficulties viewing the documents please email definitive.map@eastsussex.gov.uk quoting reference 'Lewes 55'.

A copy of the Order, plan and decision document may be purchased from Rights of Way & Access Team, East Sussex County Council, County Hall, St. Anne's Crescent, Lewes BN7 1UE at the price of £1.00.

The Order took effect from 19 November 2020 but any person aggrieved by the confirmed Order who wishes to question its validity on the grounds that it is not within the powers of section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 or that any of the requirements of Schedule 15 to that Act have not been complied with in relation to the

Order may within 42 days from the date of this Notice make an application to the High Court under paragraph 12 of Schedule 15 of the said Act.

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