the validity thereof, or of any provision contained therein on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act, 1959, as amended, or on the ground that any requirement of the Act, as amended, or of any regulation made thereunder has not been complied with in relation to the Order, he may within 6 weeks from 27th April 1978 make application for the purpose to the High Court.

A. G. T. Kellet, County Seceretary.

County Hall, Martineau Lane Norwich, NR1 2DH. Dated 27th April 1978.

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## NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHWAYS ACT, 1959, SECTION 108

The Norhamptonshire County Council, Foundry Place, Daventry, Proposed, Stopping-up of Length of Disused

Notice is hereby given that the Northamptonshire County Council being the highway authority for the highway mentioned below intend to apply to the Magistrates' Court sitting at The Court House, New Street, Daventry, on Tuesday, 23rd May 1978 at 10 a.m. for an Order under section 108 of the Highways Act, 1959, authorising the stopping-up of the said highway. The grounds of the application are that the section of highway is no longer necessary.

Length of highway proposed to be stoppeed-up

That length of Foundry Place, Daventry, which extends from a point 110 yards north-west of its junction with New Street to a point 150 yards northwest of that junction.

A plan showing the length of highway to be stoped-up may be inspected free of charge at the offices of the Chief Executive, Daventry District Council, Council Offices, Church Walk, Daventry, and at the office of the undersigned during normal office hours.

On the hearing of the application any person to whom this notice has been given, any person who uses the road and any other person who may be aggrieved by the making of the Order has a right to be heard.

John Fursey, County Secretary.

County Hall, Northampton.

Dated 21st April 1978.

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## SOUTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

NOTICE OF PUBLIC PATH ORDER

The South Northamptonshire District Council (Parish of Towcester—C.R.F. SB19 and Footpath SB20) Public Path Diversion Order 1978.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named Order (hereinafter referred to as "the Order") made on 21st April 1978, is about to be submitted to the Secretary of State for the Environment for confirmation or to be confirmed by the South Northamptonshire District Council as an unopposed Order.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modification, will be to divert:

- (i) a lengh of public carriage or cart road SB19, mainly used as footpath, over land to the south-east of St. Lawrence Road, Towcester, from a point adjoining the rear gardens of Nos. 100 and 102 Bickerstaffes Road, Towcester, at Grid Reference SP69324790 and running in a generally south-westerly direction for a distance of approximately 150 metres to a point adjoining the rear garden of No. 18 Hesketh Crescent, Towcester, at Grid Reference SP69224780 to a line running from the said point at Grid Reference SP69325790 in a generally southerly and then south-westerly direction alternative steep the second street of the s tion along the rear boundary fences of properties in Bickerstaffes Road and Hesketh Crescent, then between properties on the proposed Council development and by means of the proposed footway in Arundel Close, Towcester, to the said point at Grid Reference SP69224780; and
- (ii) a length of public footpath SB20 over land to the south-east of St. Lawrence Road, Towcester, from a point adjacent to the front garden of No. 20 Baden Powell Crescent, Towcester, at Grid Reference

SP69254795 and running in a south-south-westerly direction for a distance of approximately 136 metres to the said point at Grid Reference SP69224780 referred the said point at Grid Reference SP69224780 referred to in (i) above to a line running for a distance of approximately 216 metres from the said point at Grid Reference SP69254795 in a south-easterly and then south-westerly direction via the proposed footway in Roberson Close, Towcester, then by the proposed footpath link to Arundel Close and then in a southerly direction by means of the proposed footway in Arundel Close to the said point at Grid Reference SP69224780.

A copy of the Order and the map contained in it has been deposited at the offices of the South Northamptonshire District Council at the Town Hall, Towcester, and may be inspected free of charge during normal office hours from Mondays to Fridays.

Any representation or objection with respect to the Order may be sent in writing to the Chief Administrative Officer, Town Hall, Towcester, before 26th May 1978, and should

state the grounds on which it is made.

If no representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the South Northamptonshire District Council may, instead of submitting the Order to the Secretary of State for the Environment, themselves confirm the Order as an unopposed Order. If the Order is sub-mitted to the Secretary of State for confirmation any representations and objections that have been duly made and not withdrawn will be sent to the Secretary of State with the Order.

Dated 28th April 1978.

P. A. Smithson, Chief Administrative Officer.

Town Hall, Towcester, Northamptonshire.

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## SOUTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC PATH ORDER HIGHWAYS ACT 1959

The South Northamptonshire District Council (Parish of Evenley-Footpath AK2) Public Path Diversion Order

Notice is hereby given that the above-named Order (hereinafter referred to as "the Order") made on 21st April 1978, is about to be submitted to the Secretary of State for the Environment for confirmation or to be confirmed by the South Northamptonshire District Council as an unopposed Order.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modification, will be to divert the length of public footpath at Hill Grounds Farm, Evenley, being part of footpath AK2 from a point at its junction with footpath AK1 at Grid Reference SP587354 and running in a south-easterly direction for a distance of approximately 690 metres across O.S. Fields 239 and 143 to a point adjacent to Thorny Covert at Grid Reference SP593349 to:

- (i) a line running from a point on footpath AK1 at Grid Reference SP587350 in a south-easterly, southerly and then south-easterly direction for a distance of approximately 260 metres along the southern boundary of O.S. Field 143 to its junction with Footpath AK6 and
- (ii) a line running from a point on Footpath AK6 approximately 63 metres to the north-east of the termination of the length of new path referred to in (i) above in a south-easterly direction for a distance of approximately 127 metres along the boundary of the sewage disposal works to a point on the eastern boundary of O.S. Field 143 and then in a north-easterly direction for a distance of approximately 190 metres along the eastern boundary of O.S. Field 143 to a point along the eastern boundary of O.S. Field 143 to a point on Footpath AK2 adjacent to Thorny Covert at Grid Reference SP593349.

A copy of the Order and the map contained in it has been deposited and may be inspected free of charge at the Town Hall, Towcester, during normal office hours from Mondays to Fridays.

Any representation or objection with respect to the Order may be sent in writing to the Chief Administrative Officer, South Northamptonshire District Council, Town Hall, Towcester, Northants, before 25th May 1978, and should state the grounds on which it is made.

If no representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the South Northamptonshire