

THE HIGHWAYS ACT 1980
THE ACQUISITION OF LAND ACT 1981

The A51 Swansea-Manchester Trunk Road (Improvement at the Junction with Hare Lane, Chester) (Compulsory Purchase Order (No. NW4) 1991.

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of his powers under the above-named Acts on 29th August 1991 made the Compulsory Purchase Order as entitled above.

The Order as made provides for the purchase of the land described in the schedule hereto for the purpose of:

- (i) The improvement of the A51 Swansea-Manchester Trunk Road in the Parish of Littleton, in the City of Chester in the County of Cheshire.
- (ii) The improvement of Hare Lane, Littleton, northwards for a distance of approximately 30 metres from a line 6 metres north of its junction with the A51 Trunk Road in the said City and County in pursuance of the Side Roads Order.
- (iii) The improvement of highways and the provision of a new private means of access in the said City and County in pursuance of the Side Roads Order.
- (iv) Use by the Secretary of State in connection with those improvements.

Copies of this Order as made by the Secretary of State and of the plan referred to therein have been deposited and may be seen at all reasonable hours from 25th September 1991 to 6th November 1991 at the offices of the Director, North West Network Management Division, Department of Transport, Sunley Tower, Piccadilly Plaza, Manchester M1 4BE and at the Council Offices, Backford Hall, Chester.

The Order as made becomes operative on the date on which this Notice is first published. A person aggrieved by the Order may, by application to the High Court within 6 weeks from the operative date, question its validity on the grounds:

- (i) that the authorisation granted by the Order is not empowered to be granted, or
- (ii) that his interests have been substantially prejudiced by failure to comply with any statutory requirement relating to the Order.

J. M. F. Maher, Controller of Administration, North West Network Management Division, Department of Transport.

SCHEDULE

NOTE:

- (a) The land comprised in each item in this schedule is identified on the plan referred to in the made Compulsory Purchase Order by means of the number or numbers shown in brackets against the item in this schedule.
- (b) References to ownership are references to ownership or reputed ownership at the time of the preparation of the made Compulsory Purchase Order and are stated only for the purpose of identification of the land.

In the Parish of Littleton, in the District of the City of Chester: woodland north of the A51 Trunk Road, west of Hare Lane (plot 1T); part of the garden and plant display area of Littleton Post Office and General Stores (plot 2T); arable land north of the A51 Trunk Road and east of Littleton Post Office and General Stores (plot 3T).
30th August 1991. (2 SI)

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The A500 Newcastle-under-Lyme to Nantwich Trunk Road (Basford-Hough-Shavington Bypass and Slip Road) Order 199

The A500 Newcastle-under-Lyme to Nantwich Trunk Road (Basford-Hough-Shavington Bypass) (Detrunking) Order 199
and

The A500 Newcastle-under-Lyme to Nantwich Trunk Road (Basford-Hough-Shavington Bypass) (Side Roads) Order 199

The Secretary of State for Transport hereby gives notice that he proposes to make the following Orders:

An Order under sections 10 and 41 of the Highways Act 1980 which will provide that roads which he proposes to construct along

the following routes shall become trunk roads as from the date when the Order comes into force:

- (i) a route (the main route) about 7.56 kilometres in length at Basford, Hough and Shavington in the county of Cheshire between the roundabout junction of the existing A500 trunk road and the south-eastern end of the Nantwich Bypass and the roundabout junction of the existing A500 trunk road and the A5020 at Meremoor Moss; and
- (ii) a route at Shavington in the county of Cheshire to connect the main route with the B5071 Crewe Road (as proposed to be improved).

An Order under sections 10 and 12 of the Highways Act 1980 which will provide that a length of the A500 Newcastle-under-Lyme to Nantwich Trunk Road to be superseded by the new trunk road on the main route mentioned above shall cease to be a trunk road, and shall be classified as a principal road, as from the date on which the Secretary of State notifies Cheshire County Council (who will become the highway authority responsible for that length) that the said new trunk road is open for through traffic; and

An Order under sections 12, 14 and 125 of the Highways Act 1980 authorising him:

- (a) to improve, raise, lower or otherwise alter highways,
- (b) to stop up highways,
- (c) to construct new highways,
- (d) to stop up private means of access to premises, and
- (e) to provide new means of access to premises

all at Basford, Hough and Shavington aforesaid on or in the vicinity of the route of the new trunk road on the main route mentioned above and providing for the transfer of each of the said new highways to the County Council of Cheshire as from the date on which he notifies that authority that the new highways have been completed and are open for through traffic.

Copies of an Environmental Statement published in line with EC Directive 85/337 and of the draft Orders and of the relevant plans may be inspected free of charge at all reasonable hours from 25th September 1991 until 15th November 1991 or within 6 weeks from the date of the publication of this notice, whichever period shall expire later, at the Department of Transport, 2 Marsham Street, London S.W.1, and at the offices of the Department of Transport, North West Construction Programme Division, Sunley Tower, Piccadilly Plaza, Manchester M1 4BE; Cheshire County Council, Backford Hall, near Chester; The Information Office, Delamere House, Crewe; Crewe Post Office, 2 Weston Road, Crewe; The Sub-Post Office, Shavington; The Nantwich Public Library, Beam Street, Nantwich; The Willaston Sub-Post Office, 73 Wistaston Road, Willaston. The Public Library, Prince Albert Square, Crewe.

Any person may not later than 15th November 1991, or within 6 weeks from the date of publication of this notice, if such period shall expire later, object to the making of the Orders and comment on the Environmental Statement, by notice to the Secretary of State, at his Address at the office of the Director, Construction Programme Division, North West Region, Sunley Tower, Piccadilly Plaza, Manchester M1 4BE, quoting ref. CNW 256/3/26/02 and stating the grounds of objection. In the preparation of an objection and the statement of grounds of objection it should be borne in mind that the substance of any objection or representation may be communicated to other people who may be affected by it.

T. A. Ormand, a Principal in the Department of Transport, North West Region. (Ref. T4707RL.)

19th September 1991.

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