

Claim Nether Moor Farm Hfld 231

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PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY INFORMATION SHEET – WCA8**Personal Details**Name JOHN PHILIP DYSON Date of Birth [REDACTED] 56Address 38 MANOR ROAD, FARNLEY TYAS, HUDDERSFIELD,
HD4 6UL

Telephone Numbers

Home [REDACTED] Daytime [REDACTED]Occupation AGRICULTURAL ESTATE MAINTAINANCEHow many years have you lived at the above address 7 YEARSWhere did you live previously 1 LOW COMMON, ALMONDBURY, HUDDS.How many years have you lived in the area 56 YEARSYear from 1956 Year to DATE

The object of this questionnaire is to reach the truth of the matter, whatever it may be. You are therefore asked to answer the questions as fully as possible and not keep back any information, whether for or against the public claim. This is important if this information is to be of real value in establishing the status of the route. The information you give will eventually become public and may be used as evidence at a public enquiry

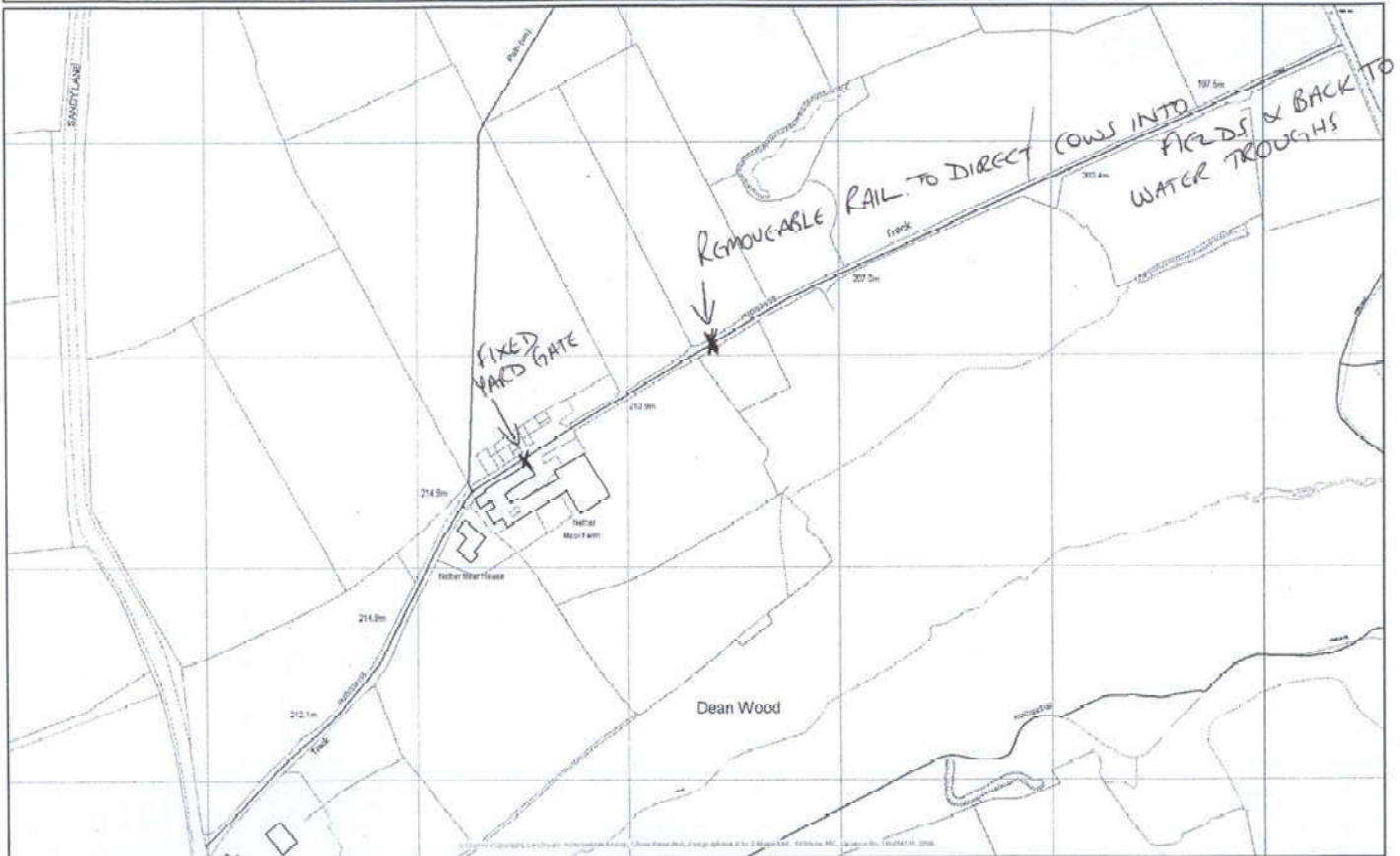
This form should be completed by the one person who is named above – Please use black ink

Please return the form to the person who supplied it to you.

If you have any queries regarding this form please contact:

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PART A THE ROUTE

Please describe the route and show it on the map opposite. The route referred to runs :

from SANDY LANE

to NETHER MOOR ROAD

In the District of: (*Batley / Colne Valley / Denby Dale / Dewsbury / Heckmondwike / Holmfirth / Huddersfield / Kirkburton / Meltham / Mirfield / Spenborough)

circle where appropriate

Does the route have a name? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

Which of the following do you believe the route is

Please tick one box

Footpath (for use by walker only)

Bridleway (for use by walkers, horse riders, pedal cyclist)

Byway (for use by walkers, horse riders, pedal cyclist, motor vehicles and horse drawn vehicles)

Restricted byway (for use by walkers, horse riders and by vehicles other than MECHANICALLY propelled vehicles)

Not a PUBLIC right of way of any sort

If you think that the route is NOT A PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY please give your reasons below

PART B USE OF THE ROUTE

Which years have you known the route (eg 2006)

From 1960

To DATE

Which years have you used the route (eg 2006)

From 1960

To DATE

For what purpose?

CAME AS A FAMILY VISITOR TO FARM OWNED BY BRADLEYS - USED TO PLAY OUT ON TRACK AS CHILDREN. STILL USE IT TO VISIT BRADLEYS NOW. NEVER SAW ANY MOTOR VEHICLES

How frequently did/do you use the route? (eg daily, weekly, once a month, once a year)

AT LEAST TWICE A MONTH AS CHILDREN WHEN VISITING AND REGULARLY IN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Have you seen other people using the route? YES/NO

If yes, for what purpose

WALKERS. BECAUSE THE LANE WAS GATED AT THE TIME, LANE USED FOR MOVING CATTLE TO GRAZE & TO RETURN TO FARM AT MILKING TIME & FREQUENTLY THROUGH THE DAY TO DRINK.

How did you travel?

On foot

TO FARM

On a horse

By bicycle

TO FARM AS I GOT OLDER

By motor vehicle

TO FARM WITH PARENTS

By horse drawn vehicle

Other (state)

PART C NATURE OF THE ROUTE

How wide is the route used by the public?

(feet or metres)

9 foot 6 inches approx - SINGLE TRACK

What is its surface?

ORIGINALLY CRUSHED STONE, SOIL/GRASS.

If you answer yes to the following questions, please mark the location on the map and give details

On the route, have you ever seen any stiles? YES/NO

If yes, please give details (ie type and locations)

On the route, have you ever seen any gates? YES/NO

If yes, please give details (ie type and locations)

MARKED ON MAP TO CONTAIN DAIRY COWS TO FARMYARD FOR MILKING & ACCESS TO WATER TROUGHS.

Were the gates ever locked? If so when?

NO.

On the route, have you ever seen any obstructions, such as fences, buildings etc? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

GATES AS DESCRIBED ABOVE. RECENTLY ROCKS FOR LAND & FARM SECURITY

On the route, have you ever seen any notices? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

On the route, have you ever seen any signposts or waymarks? YES/NO

If yes, please give details of location and wording of the notice.

Has anyone ever challenged you when using the route? YES/NO

If yes, who was it, when did it happen, how often and what did you do

Has the route always run over the same line? YES/NO

If no, please give details and dates of changes

Has the surface or any structure on the route been maintained by the local authority? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

PART D

Land Owner

If known please give name(s) and address(es) of the owner(s) and or occupier (s) of the land over which the line crosses

MR & MRS R. E. BRADLEY

Have you ever been give permission to use the route by the landowner? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

PERMISSION NOT REQUIRED AS VISITING THE BRADLEYS
AS FAMILY FRIENDS.

Have you ever been employed by the owner or occupier of the land? YES/NO

If yes, please give details

If you were ever employed by the owner or occupier of the land what instructions or information, if any were you given about the route?

N/A

Have you or your family ever owned or rented any land or property crossed by or adjacent to the route?

If yes, please give details

3.

Have you at any time had a legal interest in the land?

If yes, please give details

3.

Are you aware of any old maps, deeds, photographs or any other documentary evidence that record or show this route and which may be of assistance in determining its status?

YES - IN POSSESSION OF MR & MRS BRADLEY

Is there any other information which you feel would be of assistance?

Would you be prepared to attend a hearing, Public Inquiry or Court and give evidence if the need arose?

YES.

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the facts that I have stated are true

Signed



Date

28.12.2011

ON THE ATTACHED MAP, PLEASE MARK THE ROUTE REFERRED TO IN THIS STATEMENT
PLEASE MARK ANY NOTICES, GATES, STILES, FENCES ON THE ROUTE YOU HAVE REFERRED TO
PLEASE SIGN AND DATE THE MAP

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John Philip Dyson.

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28/12/11

To whom it may Concern.

From early childhood I have spent many hours at Mr + Mrs Bradley's farm "Nether Moor Farm". My Parents and Mr Bradley's Parents were very close friends, we visited Nethermoor farm regularly at weekends and in school holidays, as children and young adults.

There was always a gate across the route in question at the entrance to the farm yard, I have marked on the map the approximate location of that gate.

I remember the gate well as my father made the gate for Mr Bradley, most of our time there was spent outside playing in the farm yard and farm lane, riding push bikes, 'homemade' lorry carts or playing football etc, further down the lane (route in question) there was at least one removable metal pole that was suspended from the gate posts across the route in question by either rope or chain, this was to stop dairy cows going further down the lane, as there are no water troughs in the fields on the opposite side of the route in question.

The cows grazed these fields in the day time and they would walk back across the route in question to drink in the farm yard and to be milked.

P.T.O

I cannot recall ever seeing anyone riding horses or driving vehicles up or down the route in question.

We would not have been allowed to play on the route in question if it had been used by vehicles other than farm vehicles belonging to Mr. Mrs Bradley (tractors etc.)

