HIGHWAYS ACT 1980, s.119 APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER PERMANENTLY TO DIVERT A PUBLIC FOOTPATH OR BRIDLEWAY

When completing this form please read the attached notes, then fill in the form carefully
Name of applicantArden Academy Trust AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, West Midlands, B93 0PT Tel. (work)01564 773348 Tel. (home)
I hereby apply for the diversion of the footpath/bridleway* known asSchool Footpath in the parish ofKnowle, Solihull under s.119 of the Highways Act 1980 and undertake, if the Borough Council agrees to make the order for the diversion of the path, to carry out such work on the diverted route of the path as may be required to bring the path into a fit condition for public use at such time as the diversion order can be confirmed. (*Delete if not applicable.) Signed
The path to be diverted
ParishKnowleNoSL20A
FromStation Road OS grid ref417836 276414
ToMilverton Road OS grid ref417973 276360
General description of path
Footpath Through School Site
Status: This path is a footpath
Stated widths1.8m (For office use)

Is the right of way open and available for use at all times by members of the public? If
not, give details of any obstructions or impediments
Controlled access during school day. Open to Public after 6.00pm weekdays,
weekends and during school closure (holiday) periods
Landowner
NameSolihull Metropolitan Borough Council
AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, B93 0PT
Addition Road, Alleman, Leave,
Lessee/tenant
NameArden Academy Trust
AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, B93 0PT
Occupier
NameArden Academy Trust
AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, B93 0PT
Reasons for the diversion
Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980, as amended by Schedule 16 para. 5 of the
Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, permits diversions of public footpaths and bridleways
on the grounds that it is expedient in the interests of (i) the owner, lessee or occupier
and/or (ii) the public. Please indicate whether this application serves the interests of (i)
and/or (ii) and give specific reasons why. Please provide as much detail as possible as
this will help to inform the Councils decision making process (Please continue on a
separate sheet as necessary):
Overriding Safeguarding Responsibilities for 1500 Children on School Site. and
provision of more convenient and direct route between Station Road and
Milverton Road for local residents
(see attached statement)

What effect will the diversion have on the convenience and enjoyment of the path by the public?
 - More direct route - Remove necessity for Controlled Access - Similar outlook - Safer Route
The proposed new route of the path Please enclose a signed and dated plan, preferably at scale of not less than 1:2,500 and based on an Ordnance Survey map. FromStation Road
General description of new pathThe new route will be constructed using tarmac, concrete edging and high quality fencing to both sides of footpath
Landowner NameSolihull Metropolitan Borough Council
AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, B93 0PT Occupier NameArden Academy Trust AddressStation Road, Knowle, Solihull, B93 0PT

Please give details of any other person(s) having a legal interest in the land over which the right of way is to be diverted including a mortgagee or a person having an easement over the land:
Has the written consent of all such persons been obtained?
Yes/* (*Delete if not applicable.) SMBC is Landowner
The consents must accompany this application.
Not required further to discussions with SMBC
General State what work (including the construction of stiles, gates and fences) will be necessary to put the proposed route into a fit condition for use by the public and how long this should take (a maximum of three months is usually allowed):
Clear proposed route of shrubs/foliage
Install tarmac footpath and concrete edging
Erect Fencing
No longer than three months to complete work
You may be required to enter into an agreement with the Borough Council for you and your successors to maintain such bridges to the satisfaction of the Council.
The new path will be signposted and/or waymarked to the extent deemed necessary by the Council.

Statement

The applicant (named above) agrees the following:

Costs

to reimburse the Council's proper and reasonable costs for making and processing this application. These costs include the cost of carrying out consultations, advertising the application and the Council's legal fees and Officer time. The fee for an uncontested order is £2100. Please note that additional costs may become payable if the application is contested.

New Works Cost

to put the new route(s) into a fit condition, as approved by the Council, for use by the public within 28 days of a request by the Council to do so. (I acknowledge that under the provisions of s.119(5) of the Highways Act 1980 the Borough Council will put the path(s) into a fit condition if I have not already done so and recover the costs of doing so from me).

Compensation Costs

to reimburse the costs in full of any compensation which becomes payable under Section 28 of the Highways Act 1980 as applied by Section 121 (2) of the Highway Act 1980.

Statutory Undertakers

undertake with Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council to meet in full the requirements of any statutory undertaker in respect of any apparatus which may be over, in or under the right of way in respect of which I am making this application. I understand that the consent of the statutory undertakers (i.e. gas, water, electricity, telecommunications, the Post Office and the Civil Aviation Authority) is required before the order can be confirmed by the Council and that their consent may be conditional on my carrying out works to protect the statutory undertakers' apparatus and/or rerouting it. (The Council will consult with statutory undertakers on your behalf).

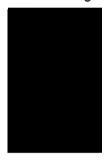
Plan

enclose a signed and dated plan, at a scale of not less than 1:2,500 and based on an Ordnance Survey map.

I have read and understand this application form and the notes for applicants and make my application acknowledging the conditions specified therein.

Signed Agent)..... Date ..6th May 2015.....

B Armstrong-Payne Dip TP. MRTPI



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Traffic Management **Highway Services Places Directorate** Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council The Council House Solihull **B91 3QT**

