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Dear Ms Rebecca Buck,

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 - Section 53
Order Making Authority: Dorset Council
Title of Order: (Footpath from East Lane (D20502) to D20503 Public Road East of
Coombe Cottages, Bradford Abbas) DMMO 2017

The Inspector will be making an unaccompanied inspection of the claimed right of way the day before the inquiry, arrangements have been made for the Inspector to gain access.

Please note the Inspector will not be able to discuss the case with anyone she meets. The Inspector will refuse any approach that is made. On this basis could I ask you not to approach the Inspector if you observe her at any time either before, during or after this site inspection.

If requested to do so the Inspector can make a further visit in the company of representatives of the Order Making Authority, supporters of the Order and the objectors, either during, or following the close of the inquiry.

During that final inspection, however, the Inspector will not be able to hear any further evidence. However, people should make sure the Inspector has seen features or locations that they have mentioned in their evidence. The Inspector would like to make it clear that she will not be prepared to entertain attempts to present further evidence or engage in discussion over the merits or otherwise of the Order during the site visit.

If parties wish to speak and give evidence, they will need to attend the inquiry either in person or virtually. If you would like to attend online, please contact the Order making Authority for details on how to do this.

Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

Helen Sparks
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