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Footpath 113 (Chobham)

In the absence of a reply to my e-mail queries regarding the standard of the proposed alternative route and its future management I am lodging a formal objection to this public footpath diversion order, on behalf of the society whose land this footpath joins.

The proposed new route is currently too narrow and bordered by a poorly maintained fence with barbed wire. There is no public benefit in the proposed diversion.

Similar diversion of footpath 5 in Woking has resulted in the path becoming unkempt and difficult in the wet compared with when it ran in an open field maintained by grazing. The open aspect of a walk through a field is lost when it is penned in by fencing.

Yours faithfully,

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Dear Mrs Briant

Re: Surrey County Council Footpath No. 113 (Chobham) Diversion Order 2004

Thank you for your letter of 8th September with its enclosure. It seems to me that the Society are asking for a fairly minor concession given the considerable advantages which will be achieved for the applicant Mr Woodbridge.

If it is not possible to include that Condition in the Order or indeed even in the Works Agreement, then perhaps Mr Woodbridge would be prepared to enter into a specific Agreement with the Society on this particular matter.

We would be happy to prepare a short Deed of Covenant for which we would ask the applicant to pay legal costs of £125.00 plus V.A.T. If the applicant is prepared to pursue that solution, could you please ask him to contact me and to send me details of his registered Title.

If the matter can be resolved in this way then of course we will be happy to remove our Objection.

Yours sincerely

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