# **ACQUISITION OF LAND ACT 1981**

## **HIGHWAYS ACT 1980**

# **ENVIRONMENT AGENCY**

# ENVIRONMENT AGENCY (OXFORD FLOOD ALLEVIATION SCHEME) (FOOTPATH 320/16 HINKSEY CAUSEWAY) ACQUISITION EXTINGUISHMENT ORDER 2023

This Order is made by the Environment Agency ("the authority") under section 32 of the Acquisition of Land Act 1981 ("the 1981 Act").

The authority propose to acquire land over which subsists a public right of way, not being a right enjoyable by vehicular traffic, as mentioned in section 32(1) of the 1981 Act.

The authority are satisfied that a suitable alternative right of way will be provided over land situate at Hinksey Causeway, south of Ferry Hinksey Road and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this order and shown by a bold thick dashed line on the map contained in this order.

## BY THIS ORDER:

- 1. The footpath over land situate at Hinksey Causeway, south of Ferry Hinksey Road and described in Part 2 of the Schedule to this order and shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this order shall be extinguished as from a date specified by the authority, such date to be not earlier than the first of the following events to occur:
  - (a) confirmation of the Environment Agency (Oxford Flood Alleviation Scheme) Compulsory Purchase Order 2022;
  - (b) if in the exercise of the power conferred by section 11(1) of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965, or by agreement, the authority takes possession of the land, the date on which the authority takes possession of the land;
  - (c) if the authority does not take possession of the land in exercise of any such power, the date on which the acquisition of the land is completed.
- 2. There shall be created from a date specified by the authority, an alternative footpath for use as a replacement for the said footpath, as provided in Part 1 of the Schedule to this order and shown by a bold thick dashed line on the map contained in this order, such alternative footpath to be to a standard certified by the highway authority for the area in which the said alternative footpath is situated.

#### **Schedule**

#### Part 1

# **Description of Site of Alternative Footpath**

From point A (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49930 05787) for 67 metres from Ferry Hinksey Road for 2 metres in width to point B (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49897 05743) at the electric cableway as indicated on the map entitled Oxford Flood Alleviation Scheme Acquisition Extinguishment Order Plan - Footpath 320-16.

From point C (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49829 05699) for 109 metres from west of the bank of Bulstake Stream for 2 metres in width to point D (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49756 05629) as indicated on the map entitled Oxford Flood Alleviation Scheme Acquisition Extinguishment Order Plan - Footpath 320-16.

## Part 2

# **Description of Site of Footpath Extinguished**

From point E (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49925 05791) for 57 metres from Ferry Hinksey Road for the entire width of the footpath to point F (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49897 05743) at the electric cableway as indicated on the map entitled Oxford Flood Alleviation Scheme Acquisition Extinguishment Order Plan - Footpath 320-16.

From point G (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49829 05699) for 101 metres from west of the bank of Bulstake Stream for the entire width of the footpath to point H (at Ordnance Survey grid reference SP 49756 05629) as indicated on the map entitled Oxford Flood Alleviation Scheme Acquisition Extinguishment Order Plan - Footpath 320-16.

Dated this 30 day of March 2023

(THE COMMON SEAL of the (ENVIRONMENT AGENCY (was hereto affixed in the presence of:

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DEPUTY DIRECTOR
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