

APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION ORDER
WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT, 1981
SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL DEFINITIVE MAP AND
STATEMENT FOR PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY
PARISHES OF LAVENHAM, LONG MELFORD AND ALPHETON

To: The County Surveyor, Suffolk County Council,
Of: St Edmund House, County Hall, Ipswich, Suffolk. 1P4 ILZ.

I Graham S. Pattrick

of Bright's Farmhouse, Bright's Lane, Lavenham, Sudbury, Suffolk CO10 9PH
hereby apply for an order under Section 53 (2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 modifying the
Definitive Map and Statement for the area by deleting byway open to all traffic (No 22 Lavenham; No
36 Long Melford; No 8 Alpheton) from Bridge Street Road, Lavenham to Bury Road, Alpheton and
shown on the map annexed hereto.

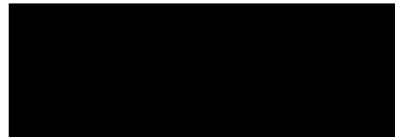
I cite the following documents in support of this application:

1. All surviving records of the nineteenth and early twentieth century Highway Authorities (all in Suffolk County Council's archives) viz :
 - a) The Parish Vestry Records (to 1899)
 - b) Lavenham Highway Board 1863 to 1880 including :
 - Lavenham Highway Board committee reports and correspondence mentioned in Suffolk County Council paper H6 dated 25/2/1987* (SRO Bury and Ipswich have been unable to find these documents for me) * last digit could be 6,7,8 or 9
 - all reports of meetings in *The Bury and Norwich Post & Suffolk Herald*
 - c) Cosford Rural District Council; Melford Rural District Council (1899 onwards)
2. For correct contemporary interpretation of the foregoing, and for case law:
 - Parish Law* (Joseph Shaw; seventh edition* 1748)
 - A Treatise on the Law of Highways* (Wellbeloved 1829)
 - Pratt's Law of Highways* (ninth edition* 1863)
 - Glen's Highway Surveyor* (second edition* 1881)
 - The Law Relating to Highways* (Glen; 1883*)
 - The Tithe Acts* (G.P. Leach; sixth edition* 1896)
 - Pratt & MacKenzie's Law of Highways* (sixteenth edition* 1911)
 - Garner's Rights of Way*
3. Ordnance Survey maps 1:2500 first editions coloured 1880's and, for interpretation, *Ordnance Survey Maps : a concise guide for historians* (Richard Oliver)
4. Official Map of Footpaths (Lavenham) (West Suffolk County Council Rights of Way review under NPACA 1949)
5. Correspondence with Suffolk County Council Secretary and Solicitor's Office 1.12.00, 18.12.00, 27.2.01 (e-mail), 21.3.01 and updates/revisions thereof.
6. Summary of case based on foregoing (enclosed)

Dated 31st January, 2003

Signed

* or any other similarly dated editions available to the Council



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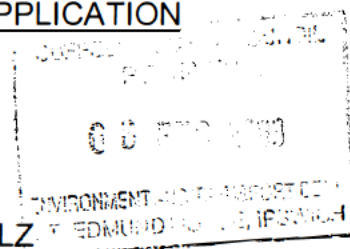
Regulation 10 (4)

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE
OF APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION ORDER**

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE OF NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR MODIFICATION ORDER



To: The County Surveyor, Suffolk County Council
of: St Edmund House, County Hall, Ipswich, Suffolk, 1P4 ILZ

I Graham S. Patrick of Bright's Farmhouse, Bright's Lane, Lavenham, Sudbury,
Suffolk CO10 9PH

hereby certify that the requirements of paragraph 2 of Schedule 14 to the Wildlife
and Countryside Act 1981 have been complied with and that the following people
have been served with a Notice under Schedule 8:

Name

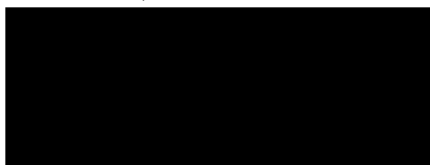
Sir Richard Hyde Parker
Mr. C. Whitton
Mrs. D. Wynn

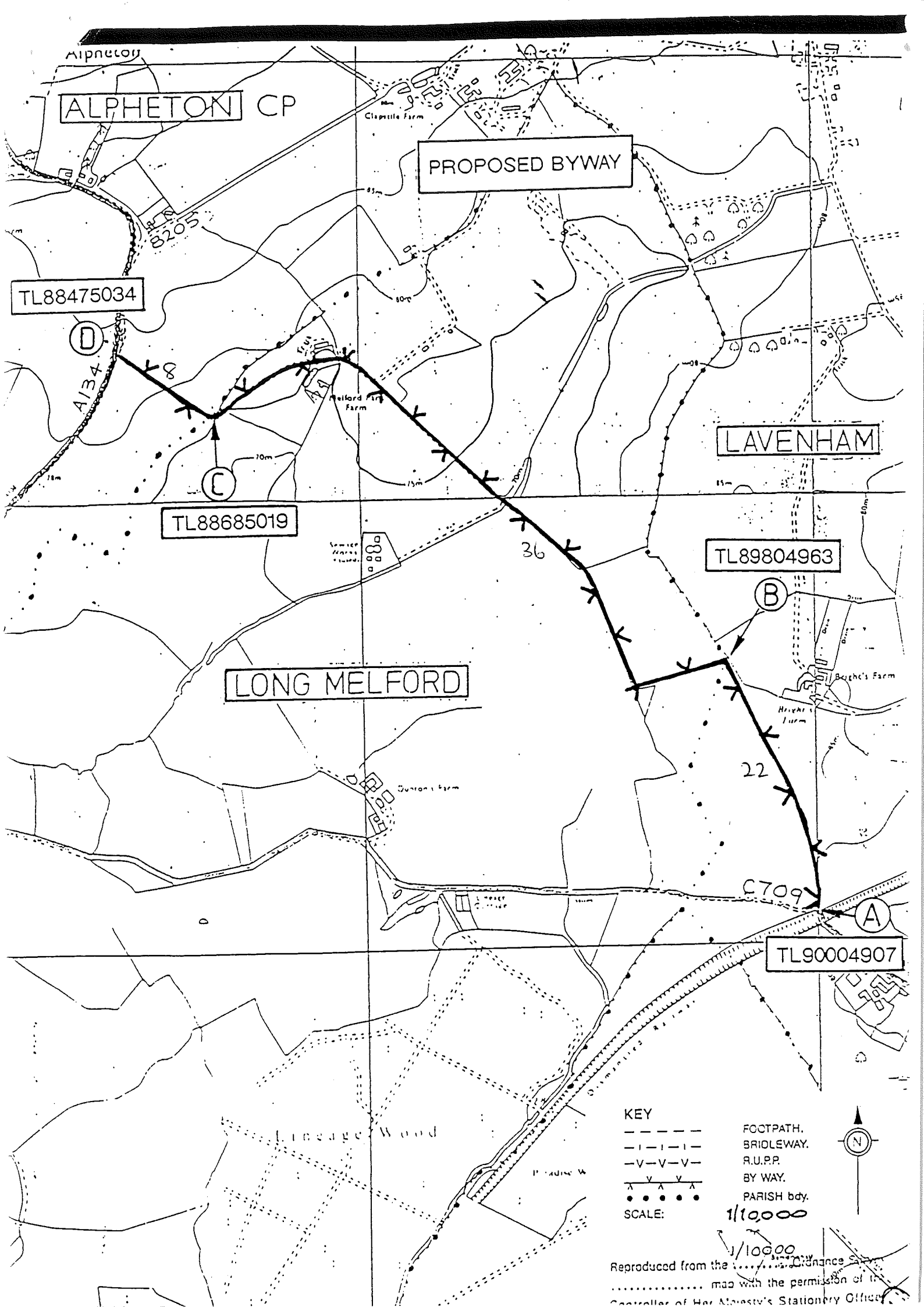
Address

Melford Hall, Long Melford
c/o Black Barn, Potlands, Lavenham
Melford Park Farm, Long Melford

Dated this thirty-first day of January, 2003

Signed





ALPHETON CP

PROPOSED BYWAY

TL88475034

LAVENHAM

TL88685019

TL89804963

LONG MELFORD

TL90004907

KEY

- FOOTPATH.
- |-|- BRIDLEWAY.
- v-v-v- R.U.P.P.
- v-v-v- BY WAY.
- PARISH bdy.

SCALE:

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