

Under the Scheme of Delegation, the Service Director for Highway and Technical Services and the Definitive Map and Highway Searches Team Leader has authority to make and confirm Definitive Map Modification Orders under section 53(2) as a result of events listed under section 53(3) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981; if the Order is opposed it must be referred to the Secretary of State

<p>LEGISLATION Section 53 Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 and Section 31 Highways Act 1980</p>
<p>OFFICER REQUESTING DECISION Helen Francis</p>
<p>APPLICATION BACKGROUND</p> <p>Investigation into the status of the route connecting Public Footpath 81 with North Mill Road, Parish of Bledlow-cum-Saunderton. There is sufficient evidence to show that a public right of way on foot subsists or is reasonably alleged to subsist over the route by virtue of Section 31 Highways Act 1980 or common law dedication.</p>
<p>DECISION COMMENTS</p> <p>After reading the report and looking at the background papers it is agreed that an Order should be made.</p>
<p>DECISION Recommendation Accepted & Order to be MADE Or.....Application Rejected</p>

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