# Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

# **Definitive Map and Statement for Darlington Borough Council**

# Darlington Borough Council Definitive Map and Statement (Public Footpath No. 63 Darlington) Modification Order 2012

This Order is made by Darlington Borough Council ('the Council') under section 53(2)(b) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 ('the Act') because it appears to the Council that the Definitive Map and Statement for Darlington Borough Council require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(b) of the Act, namely, the expiration, in relation to a way in the area to which the map relates, of any period such that the enjoyment by the public of the way during that period raises a presumption that the way has been dedicated as a public path, and the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(c)(i) of the Act, namely, the discovery by the Council of evidence which (when considered with all other relevant evidence available to them) shows that a right of way which is not shown on the map and in the statement subsists or is reasonably alleged to subsist over land in the area to which the map relates, being a right of way such that the land over which the right subsists is a public path.

The Council has consulted with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the Order relates. The Council hereby orders that:

- 1. For the purposes of this Order the relevant date is 31<sup>st</sup> August 2012.
- The Definitive Map and Statement for Darlington Borough Council shall be modified as described in Part I and Part II of the Schedule and shown on the map attached hereto.
- This Order shall take effect on the date it is confirmed and may be cited as the Darlington Borough Council Definitive Map and Statement (Public Footpath No. 63 Darlington) Modification Order 2012.

Dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2012

The COMMON SEAL of DARLINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereto affixed in the presence of:-

Authorised Signatory



The foregoing order is hereby confirmed

An Inspector appointed by The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

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Alan Beckett

## SCHEDULE

# Part I

#### **Modification of Definitive Map**

#### Description of path to be added

A footpath running from OS Grid Reference NZ 28714-14296 at Grange Road then through a covered alley way adjacent to 21 Grange Road for a total approximate distance of 22 metres and finishing at Beaumont Street West OS Grid Reference NZ 28736-14292. The width of the footpath is 3 metres. The footpath is to be known as Public Footpath No.63 Darlington.

## Part II

## **Modification of Definitive Statement**

The Definitive statement is to be modified by the addition of the length of footpath described in Part I of the Schedule by the description as follows:-

## Footpath No. 63

Parish	Darlington
Ordnance Sheet No	NZ 21 SE
Start Point	NZ 28714-14296 at Grange Road
Finishing Point	NZ 28736-14292 at Beaumont Street West
Description	From Grange Road through a covered alley way adjacent to 21 Grange Road for a total approximate distance of 22 metres to Beaumont Street West
Length	Approximately 22 metres
Width	3 metres
Furniture	There is a removable metal bollard in the middle of the alley way at the start of the route at Grange Road. There are two concrete bollards, approximately 3 metres apart, at the roadside at Beaumont Street West
Notes	Registered after a Definitive Map Modification Order dated 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2012

