



## **Record of Officer's Decision**

## The Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014 and the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Date of Decision:	15 <sup>th</sup> April 2019
Decision Maker (Officer):	Cath Bicknell
Authority for Delegated Decision (Cabinet/Committee Decision or Scheme of Delegation – provide reference):	<ul> <li>Part 3, Schedule 1 – Functions not to be the responsibility of an Authority's Executive :</li> <li>The discharge of the Town &amp; Country Planning &amp; Conservation functions. Matters delegated to the Head of Planning.</li> <li>Power to authorise stopping-up or diversion of footpath, bridleway or restricted byway. Ss.257 Town &amp; Country Planning Act 1990.</li> </ul>
Identify which Portfolio Holder(s)/Committee Chairman consulted?	N/A
Ward Member(s) consulted?	No
Is it a Key Decision?	No
Is it subject to call-in?	No
Decision Made:	The diversion of part of Footpath 3, Great Bentley in accordance with Town & Country Planning Act 1990 – Section 257 Public Path Diversion Order 2018
Reason for Decision (if a report was produced to support the Decision, refer to it):	The diversion is required to facilitate the development of residential dwellings under 17/01759/DETAIL – the erection of 49 dwellings together with open space, landscaping, sustainable drainage and vehicular/pedestrian accesses from Heckfords Road, Great Bentley – approved on 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2018
Highlight any associated risks/finance/legal/equality considerations:	N/A

Details of any Alternative Options Considered and rejected (together with reasons):	N/A
Details of any declarations of interest (by Portfolio Holder/Committee Chairman who was consulted by the officer, which related to the decision)	N/A
If relevant, a note of the dispensation granted by the Monitoring Officer:	
ReasonDecision,orsupportingReport,isnotpublished:Tickoneormoreofthespecific exemptions,Support of theSupport of theSupport of theSupport of the	<ul> <li>The report supporting the Decision contains confidential information</li> <li>The Report supporting the Decision falls within an exemption pursuant to Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 Information:         <ul> <li>Relates to an individual</li> <li>Likely to reveal the identity of an individual</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<u>and</u>	<ul> <li>Relating to financial or business affairs of a person or organisation</li> </ul>
Give more information in the final box with regards to why the exemption applies and outweighs the public interest test (which is in favour of disclosure).	Relates to a claim for legal professional privilege in legal proceedings
	• Reveals that the Council proposes to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or to make an order or direction under any enactment
	Relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime
	<u>And</u> is exempt if and so long, as in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information
	Reasons:

## **Officers**

Signed:

Title: Head of Planning

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Dated: 15th April 2019