

IMPORTANT
THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE

MATERIAL CHANGE OF USE

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
(as amended by the Planning and Compensation Act 1991) ("the Act")

ISSUED BY: North Devon District Council ("the Council")

I hereby certify that this is a true
copy of the original

Signed



SOLICITOR
NORTH DEVON DISTRICT COUNCIL

DATED

29.6.93

1. **THIS IS A FORMAL NOTICE** which is issued by the Council because it appears to it that there has been a breach of planning control, under Section 171A(1)(b) of the Act, at the land described below. The Council consider it expedient to issue this notice, having regard to the provisions of the development plan and to other material planning considerations.

2. **THE LAND AFFECTED** (shown edged red on the plan attached)

Land at Venhay Farm, Meshaw, South Molton, North Devon

("the land")

3. **THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL ALLEGED**

A material change of use of the land from agriculture to mixed use of agriculture and the siting of mobile homes for residential occupation and caravans for the storage of motorcycling equipment.

4. **REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE**

The Council consider it expedient to issue this notice for the following reasons:

It appears to the Council that the above breach of planning control has occurred within the last ten years.

The land is within an area where the Council would only normally permit development which to the Council's satisfaction is necessary in the interests of agriculture pursuant to its recognised rural settlement policy and the Devon County Structure Plan. The Council is not satisfied that there is an overriding agricultural or other need for the uses such as would overcome the Council's planning objection.

The Council has already refused permission for the siting of an agricultural workers mobile home on the land and consider that to allow the uses of the land to continue would set an undesirable precedent along a road which, by virtue of its width and alignment, is unsuitable for additional traffic be generated by such uses.

5. WHEN YOU ARE REQUIRED TO ACT

The Council require that the steps specified in paragraph 6 be undertaken within [the period of THREE months from the date when this notice takes effect] [REDACTED]

6. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

- (i) Cease the residential use of all mobile homes.
- (ii) Cease the use of all caravans for the storage of motorcycling equipment and items ancillary to motorcycling.
- (iii) Remove all mobile homes, used for residential accommodation, from the land.
- (iv) Remove all caravans used for the storage of motorcycling equipment and items ancillary to motorcycling, from the land.
- (v) Remove all unauthorised mobile homes and caravans from the land.
- (vi) Clear up and remove all rubbish and debris resulting from taking the above-mentioned steps.

7. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This Notice takes effect on 5th APRIL 1993 ("the effective date")* unless an appeal is made against it beforehand.

Dated: [date of issue] 22nd February 1993

Signed: [REDACTED]

on behalf of: North Devon District Council,
Civic Centre,
Barnstaple, Devon,
EX31 1EA.

* specific date, not less than 28 clear days after date of service

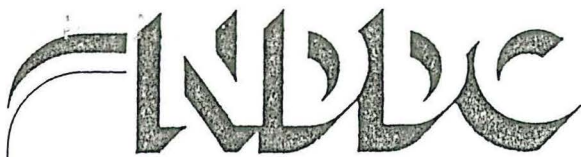
GUIDANCE NOTES FOR YOUR INFORMATION

YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL

You can appeal against this notice, but any appeal must be received, or posted in time to be received, by the Secretary of State before the effective date. The enclosed booklet "Enforcement Appeals - A Guide to Procedure" sets out your rights. Read it carefully. You may use the enclosed appeal forms. One is for you to send to the Secretary of State if you decide to appeal. The other is for you to keep as a duplicate for your own records. You should also send the Secretary of State the spare copy of this Enforcement Notice which is enclosed.

WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL

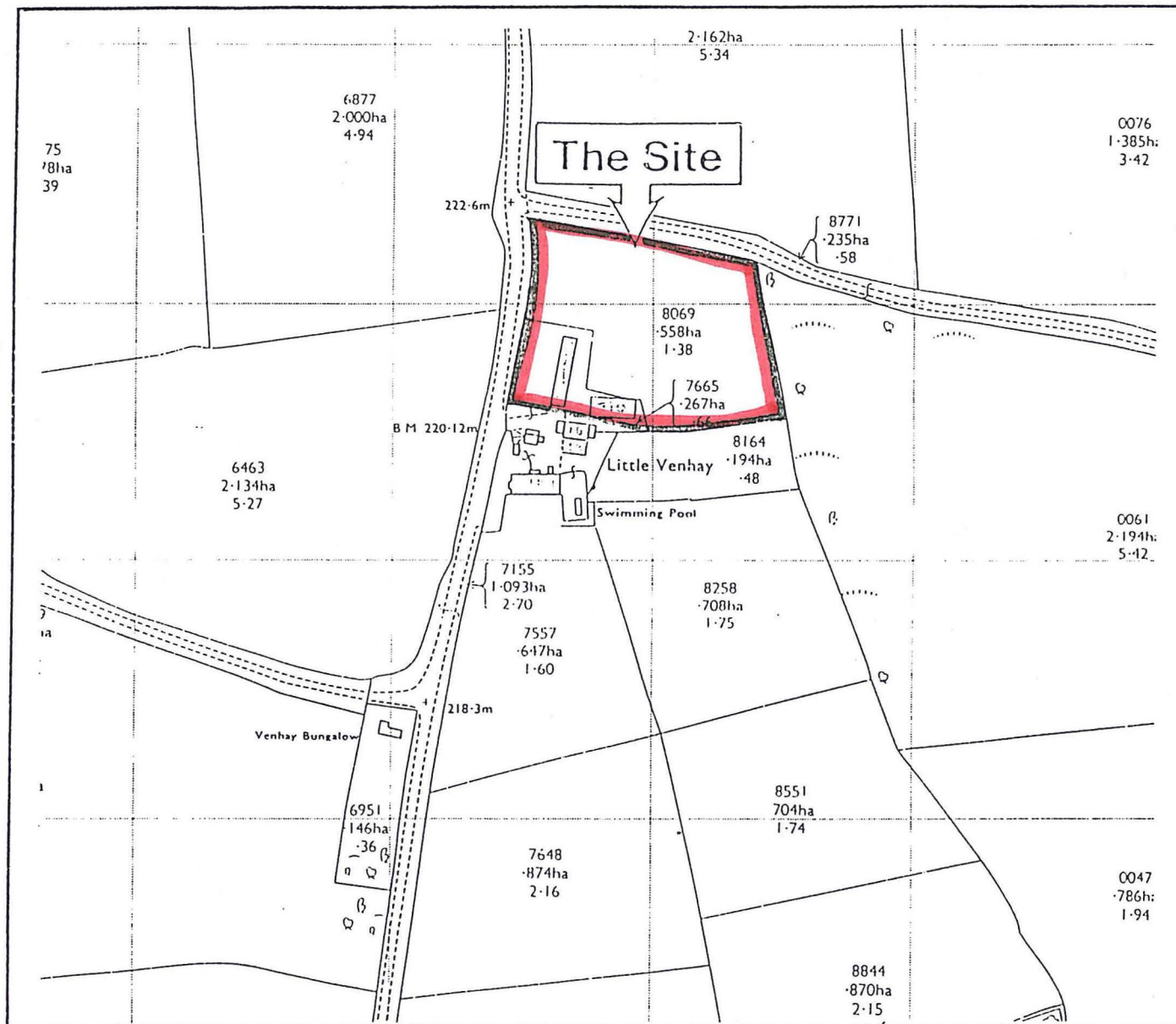
If you do not appeal against this Enforcement Notice, it will take effect on the effective date and you must then ensure that the required steps for complying with it, for which you may be held responsible, are taken within the period[s] specified in the notice. Failure to comply with an Enforcement Notice which has taken effect can result in prosecution and/or remedial action by the Council.



North Devon District Council
Civic Centre, Barnstaple, Devon EX31 1EA

J. H. Martin Dip.T.P. M.R.T.P.I., Director of Planning.

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE (PLANNING).



UNAUTHORISED MOBILE HOMES AND CARAVANS

Venhay Farm, Meshaw

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Drawn: S.M.T.

Scale: 1/2500

Date: August 1991