

PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

EVIDENCE OF USE ON FOOT

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NAME:

DAVID JOHN RIMMER

ADDRESS:

3 GEORGE'S LANE

BANKS

SOUTHPORT

DATE OF BIRTH: 10.5.58. OCCUPATION: HORSE TRAINER

Route of Way

From: RALPH'S WIFE'S LANE (Grid Reference) SD 33971 420857
TO STATION ROAD.

Via Towards

To: MAIN SLUICE (Grid Reference) SD 337998 420784

1. How long have you known the route?

ALL MY LIFE

2. Have you used the above way on foot? YES/NO

If so:

(a) During which years? 1969 - APPROX 1988

(b) Where were you going to and from? FROM VICARAGE LANE
GOING FISHING

(c) For what purpose? FISHING OR RIDING TO STATION RD

(d) How many times a year? APPROX MONTHLY

(e) Have you used the way by other means?

Please fill in all that apply

On horseback YES

On motorcycle/in vehicle BICYCLE

Other

During which years and often?

1969 - 1975 APPROXIMATELY.

(f) Have you ever seen others using the way?

Please fill in all that apply

On horseback YES

On motorcycle/in vehicle NO

Other WALKING OFTEN

During which years and how often

1969 - APPROX 1975

3. Has the way always run over the same route? If not, give details and dates of any changes. Mark any changes or variations on the attached plan

ALWAYS ALONG THE SIDE OF THE SWICE & ALSO
THERE WAS A TRACK ACROSS FROM ~~STABLES~~ ^{WATER LANE}
WE USED TO RIDE UP TO NEW LANE IN CROSSBENS
WHICH RAN ALONG THE THREE FIELDS

4. (a) Have there, to your knowledge, been any stiles, gates or fences across the way? If so, state where the stiles, gates or fences stood and mark their locations on the attached plan. NO GATES & NO STILES
IT WAS EASILY ACCESSIBLE.

(b) Were any of the gates locked? If so, state when and where they were, and mark them on the attached plan. NO GATES

(c) Did any of the stiles, gates or fences prevent you from using the way on foot? If so, when?

THE TRACK WAS FENCED OFF FROM
WHEN CROOK TOOK OVER THE LAND.

5. (a) Have you worked for any landowner over which the route passes? If so, give dates of employment and name of employer.

NO

(b) Have you been a tenant of any land over which the routes passes? If so, give dates of tenancy and mark land rented on attached plan.

NO.

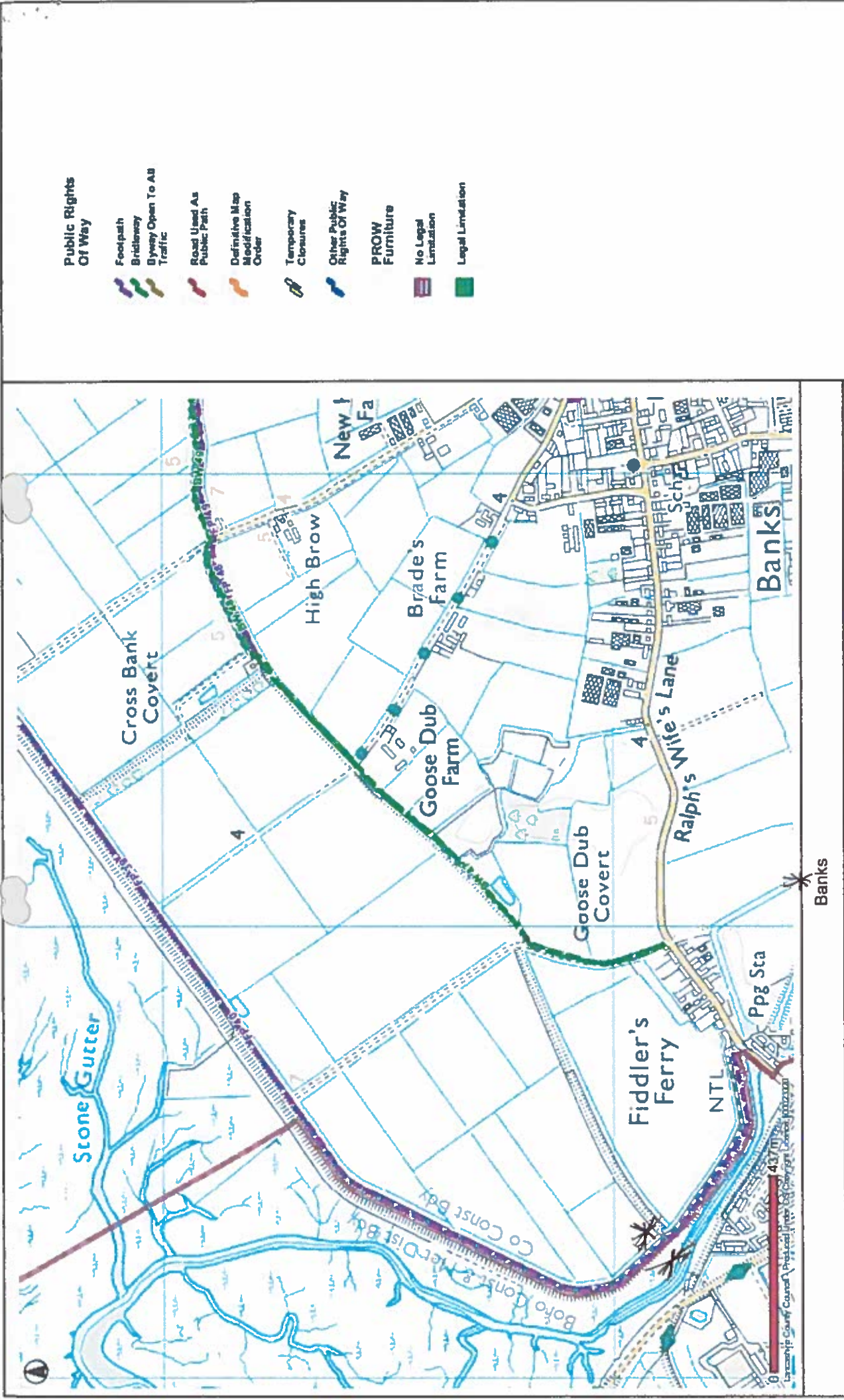
<p>6. If you have answered yes to 5a or 5b did you ever receive any instructions from the landowner as to the use of the way by the public? If so, what were they?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p>
<p>7. (a) Have you ever been stopped or turned back when using this way on foot?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p> <p>(b) Do you know or have you heard of anyone else having been stopped or turned back when using the way on foot? If so, state when the interruption took place and give particulars.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p>
<p>8. Were you ever told by any owner or tenant of the land crossed by the way, or by anyone in their employment, that the way was not a public right of way on foot? If so, state when and give particulars and dates.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p>
<p>9. Have you ever seen notices such as 'Private', 'No Road', 'No Thoroughfare' or 'Trespassers will be Prosecuted' on or near the way? If so, what did the notices say? Mark the location of the notices on the attached plan.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p>
<p>10. Have you ever asked permission to use the way? If so, who did you ask?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO</p>
<p>11. Please give any other information that you think is relevant. Use a separate sheet if necessary.</p> <p>* PLEASE SEE COMMENTS RE THE TRACK FROM WATER LANE AS WE USED TO COME OFF THIS TRACK RIDE UP THE BYPASS A SHORT WAY A CONTINUE TO RIDE UP TO NEW LANE ALONG 3 POOLS</p>

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the facts that I have stated are true.

I am/am not willing to attend a hearing, public inquiry or court to give evidence on this matter, if this should prove to be necessary.

Signature: D. Zimmer Date: 2-6-12

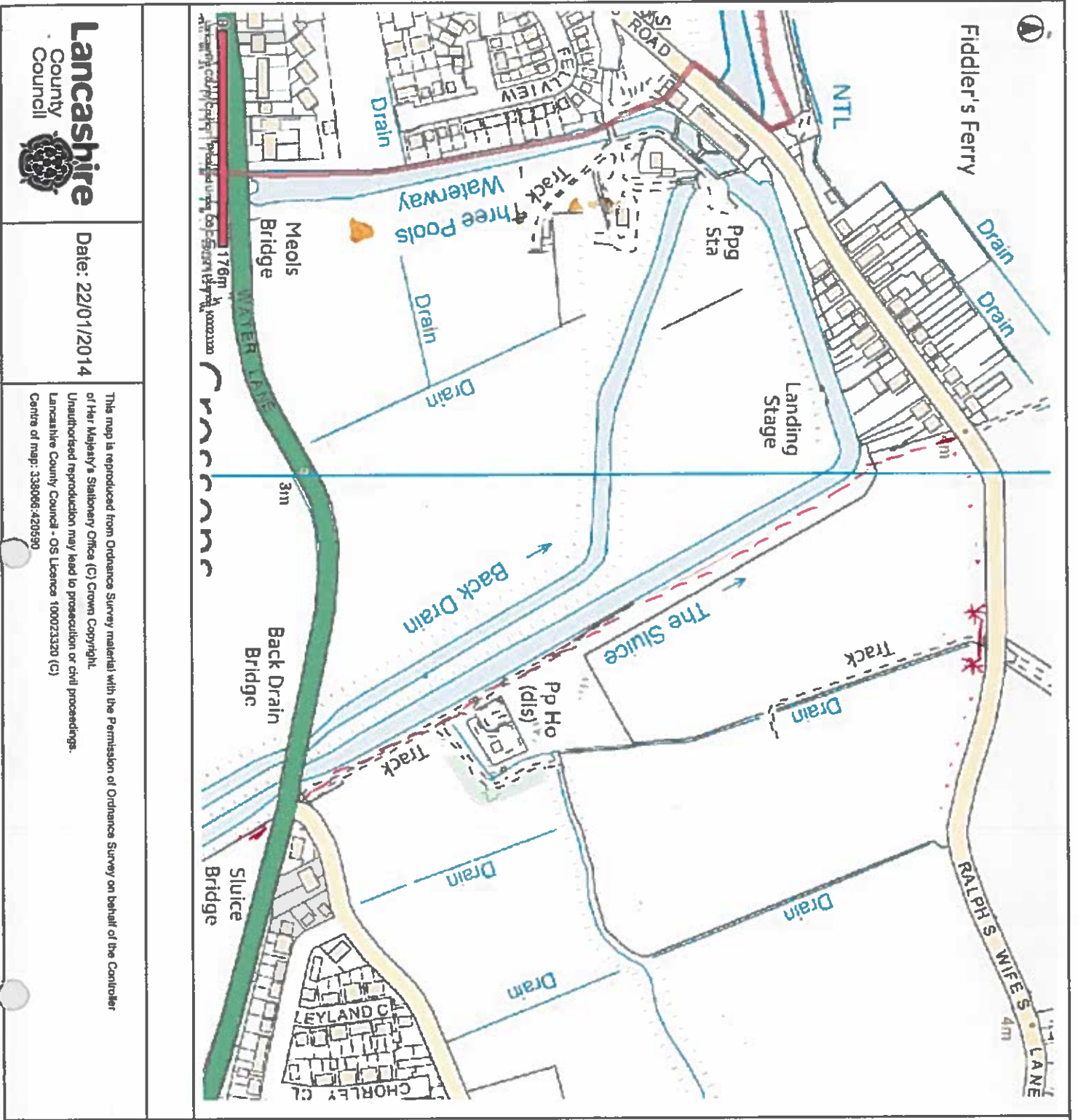




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A fence was erected late 90's along the road & gates where markers further up fence & gates. We rode along the track & then along the road up to 3 pools & over the moss but this was closed some time ago - possibly the same time.



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