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Public Right of Way Evidence Form

BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END

Personal Details

Name:

Address:

Post Code:

Telephone No:

Date of Birth:

Occupation:

(if retired, give former occupation)

Identification of the Alleged Route

Description of the Route:

(mark route on map)

Start Grid Reference:

End Grid Reference:

Name of Route (if named):

Believed Status of the Route

(Footpath, Bridleway, Restricted Byway or Byway Open to All Traffic)

Has the route always run on the same route?

(If not provide details)

Your Use of the Alleged Route

When did you first use the route?

When did you last use the route?

Was there a period between those dates that you did not use the route
(If yes, when & why?)

How did you use the route?

(e.g. foot, horse, cycle, carriage, motor vehicle)

How often did you use the route?

If you have stopped using the route, why did you stop?

The Nature of Your Use

What was the purpose of your journeys?

Long Row past call
centre to Wapping Street

NZ35965 67478

NZ35933 67745

Coastal Route

2014

2018

No

Walk, run

daily

pathway was blocked
by building of flats
Jetty blocked by gate.

recreation

Did you see other people using the route?	<u>Yes</u>
Did other people see you using the route?	<u>Yes</u>
Did you encounter or have to remove any obstructions when using the route? (e.g. fences, locked gates etc) (If yes give details)	<u>No</u>
Did you ever ask for permission to use the route? (If yes give details)	<u>No - Public</u>
Were you ever given permission to use the route? (If yes give details)	<u>Not needed</u>
Have you ever owned/occupied land crossed by the route?	<u>No</u>
Have you ever worked for the owner/occupier of the land?	<u>No</u>
If yes, were you ever given any instructions regarding the route? (If yes give details)	
Additional Information	
Were there any stiles, gates or bridges along the route? (If yes, show locations on map)	<u>No</u>
Were there any signs along the route? (If yes, give details & show locations on map)	<u>none</u>
Were you ever stopped, prevented or turned back from using the route? (If yes, give details)	<u>No</u>
Any other information you consider relevant	

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

Signature

Date:

6/8/23

Signature of person taking statement:
(If applicable)

Print Name:

Note:

1. You may be interviewed by the investigating Authority to confirm the content of this form
2. You may also be asked to attend a public inquiry to give evidence
3. The information contained within this form will be in the public domain, and may be disclosed to other parties with an interest in this case. By completing this form you are confirming you consent for such disclosure. This includes the personal details given.
4. If your recollections of dates and other details are approximate or to the best of your recollection, please say so.

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MAP ✓ POSTED BACK

Your Name: [REDACTED]

Your Address: [REDACTED]

Postcode: [REDACTED]

Tel No: [REDACTED] (Optional)

To whom this may concern,

I can confirm that I used to use the path outlined in the map attached on page 2.

Please could you describe your knowledge of the route in your own words, explaining when you used it first and last, how you used the route, how often and if you stopped using it when & why.

MY USE OF THE ROUTE (Please continue on a separate page if required)

Even before I moved into the estate, I have used the coastal path as a running, cycling and walking route.

The now closed walkway means that I ~~now~~ have to take my son in his pram, an alternative route away from the coastal path and beautiful scenic river route. I urge that you ~~be~~ consider the reopening so it can be once again enjoyed.

SIGNATURE: [REDACTED]




Dear Sir/Madam

I wish to give my support to the application for the walkway around the dry dock, Long Row, South Shields, to be reopened to the public. The paths around the riverside and dry docks have been in public use since the estate was first built and should remain so.

I have lived in the estate for a number of years and have used this walkway as a safe walking and running route along the riverside. The river and its scenery should remain for the public to use for recreation.

Closing this walkway sets a worrying precedent for other areas along the river being subjected to privatisation so I would strongly urge that you give consideration to its reopening.

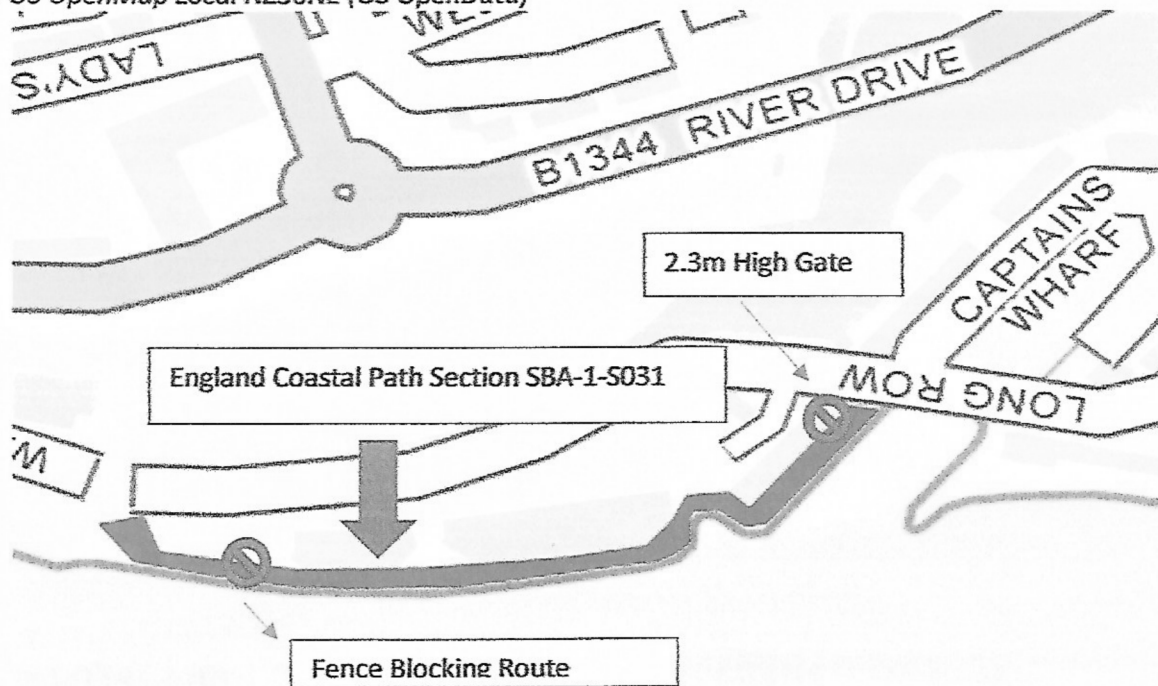
Yours faithfully



MAP OF THE APPLICATION ROUTE

Please annotate the map with anything that is referred to in your statement, and confirm you agree to its contents, by putting your initials on the map and date it. **DO NOT ADD YOUR FULL SIGNATURE.**

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