**NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF A COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER**

**CHICHESTER DISTRICT COUNCIL (TANGMERE) COMPULSORY ORDER 2020**

**The Town & Country Planning Act 1990 and**

**The Acquisition of Land Act 1981**

1. Notice is hereby given that Mr Peter Rose, an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, acting in exercise of his powers under the above Acts, on 11 November 2021 confirmed with modifications the Chichester District Council (Tangmere) Compulsory Purchase Order 2020 submitted by Chichester District Council.
2. The Order as confirmed provides for the purchase of the land described in Schedule 1 hereto for the purposes of purpose of carrying out the development of the Tangmere Strategic Development Location to deliver at least 1,000 homes and up to 1,300 homes, an expanded village centre, school, open space, community facilities, associated infrastructure and other associated works.
3. A copy of the Order as confirmed by the Secretary of State and of the map referred to therein has been deposited on the Council’s website and can be viewed at <https://www.chichester.gov.uk/article/31554/Tangmere-strategic-development-location>. Hard copies of the documents are available for inspection at the Council's offices at East Pallant House, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY by prior appointment between the hours of 9am-4pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and 10am–4pm on Thursdays. Please contact Customer Services on contact@chichester.gov.uk to make an appointment.
4. The Order as confirmed becomes operative on the date on which this notice is first published. A person aggrieved by the order may, by application to the High Court within 6 weeks from that date, challenge its validity under section 23 of the Acquisition of Land Act 1981. The grounds for challenge can be that the authorisation granted by the order is not empowered to be granted or that there has been a failure to comply with any relevant statutory requirement relating to the order.
5. Once the Order has become operative, the Council may acquire any of the land described in Schedule 1 below by executing a general vesting declaration under section 4 of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981. A statement on the effect of Parts 2 and 3 of that Act is set out in Schedule 2 below.
6. Every person who, if a general vesting declaration were executed under section 4 of that Act in respect of the land comprised in the order (other than land in respect of which notice to treat has been given), would be entitled to claim compensation in respect of any such land, is invited to give information to Tangmere SDL Chichester District Council, E: tangmeresdl@chichester.gov.uk or at East Pallant House, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY or to Ged Denning, Dalton Warner Davis E: ged.denning@dwdllp.com about the person's name, address and interest in land, using a prescribed form. The relevant prescribed form is set out in Schedule 3 below.

**SCHEDULE 1**

**LAND COMPRISED IN THE ORDER AS LAND CONFIRMED**

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| **Number on CPO Map**  | **Description of Land Acquired** |
| 1, 2, 3, 4 | Grass verge and Agricultural arable land used in crop production adjacent to the Tangmere Road, Tangmere |
| 5 | Agricultural arable land used in crop production adjacent to the Tangmere Road, Tangmere |
| 6 | Agricultural arable land used in crop production and access road off Church Lane, Tangmere |
| 7 | Land in use as an access road and parking lot to premises known as Saxon Meadow |
| 8, 8A, 8B | Open grassy land and orchard adjacent to the premises known as Saxon Meadow |
| 9, 10, 11, 12 | Agricultural arable land used in crop production to the north of Tangmere Road, Tangmere |
| 13, 14 | Agricultural arable land used in crop and grass production to the west of Campbell Road and Mannock Road, Tangmere |
| 15, 16, 17 | Agricultural arable land used in crop production and hedgerow south of the A27 Westhampnett Bypass |
| 18 | Scrubland adjacent to the south of the A27 Westhampnett Bypass |

**SCHEDULE 2**

**STATEMENT OF EFFECT OF PARTS 2 AND 3 OF THE COMPULSORY**

**PURCHASE (VESTING DECLARATIONS) ACT 1981**

**Power to execute a general vesting declaration**

1. Once Chichester District Council (Tangmere) Compulsory Purchase Order 2020 has become operative, Chichester District Council (hereinafter called "the Council") may acquire any of the land described in Schedule 1 above by executing a general vesting declaration under section 4 of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 ("the Act"). This has the effect, subject to paragraphs 3 and 5 below, of vesting the land in Chichester District Council at the end of the period mentioned in paragraph 2 below.

**Notices concerning general vesting declaration**

1. As soon as may be after the Council execute a general vesting declaration, they must serve notice of it on every occupier of any of the land specified in the declaration (except land where there is one of the tenancies described in paragraph 4) and on every person who gives them information relating to the land in pursuance of the invitation contained in the confirmation notice of the order. When the service of notices of the general vesting declaration is completed, a period specified in the declaration, of not less than three months, will begin to run. On the first day after the end of this period the land described in the declaration will, subject to what is said in paragraphs 3 and 5, vest in the Council together with the right to enter on the land and take possession of it. Every person on whom the Council could have served a notice to treat in respect of his interest in the land (other than a tenant under one of the tenancies described in paragraph 4) will be entitled to claim compensation for the acquisition of his interest in the land, with interest on the compensation from the vesting date.
2. The "vesting date" for any land specified in a declaration will be the first day after the end of the period mentioned in paragraph 2 above, unless a counter-notice is served under Schedule A1 to the Act within that period. In such circumstances, the vesting date for the land which is the subject of the counter-notice will be determined in accordance with Schedule A1.

**Modifications with respect to certain tenancies**

1. In the case of certain tenancies, the position stated above is subject to modifications. The modifications apply where the tenancy is either a "minor tenancy", i.e. a tenancy for a year or a yearly tenancy or a lesser interest, or "a long tenancy which is about to expire". The latter expression means a tenancy granted for an interest greater than a minor tenancy but having on the vesting date a period still to run which is not more than the period specified in the declaration for this purpose (which must be more than a year). In calculating how long a tenancy has still to run, where any option to renew or to terminate it is available to either party, it shall be assumed that the landlord will take every opportunity open to him to terminate the tenancy while the tenant will use every opportunity to retain or renew his interest.
2. The modifications are that the Council may not exercise the right of entry referred to in paragraph 2 in respect of land subject to a tenancy described in paragraph 4 unless they first serve notice to treat in respect of the tenancy and then serve every occupier of the land with a notice of their intention to enter and take possession after the period (not less than three months from the service of the notice) specified in the notice. The right of entry will be exercisable at the end of that period. The vesting of the land will be subject to the tenancy until the end of that period or until the tenancy comes to an end, whichever happens first.

**SCHEDULE 3**

**FORM OF GIVING INFORMATION**

**The Chichester District Council (Tangmere) Compulsory Purchase Order 2020**

To: Chichester District Council

Pallant House, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1TY

[I][We] being [a person][persons] who, if a general vesting declaration were executed under section 4 of the Compulsory Purchase (Vesting Declarations) Act 1981 in respect of all the land comprised in the compulsory purchase order cited above in respect of which notice to treat has not been given, would be entitled to claim compensation in respect of [all][part on that land, give you the following information, pursuant to the provisions of section 15 of, or paragraph 6 of Schedule 1, to the Acquisition of Land Act 1981.

1. Name and address of informant(s) (i) ……………..…………………………………………..

2. Land in which an interest is held by informant(s) (ii) …………………………………………

3. Nature of interest (iii) ………………………………………………………………………….

Signed ………………………………………………………………………………………….

[on behalf of] ..…………………………………………………………………………………………………

Date …………………………………………………………………………………………….

(i) In the case of a joint interest insert the names and addresses of all the informants.

(ii) The land should be described concisely.

(iii) If the interest is leasehold, the date of commencement and length of term should be given If the land is subject to a mortgage or other incumbrance, details should be given, e g name of building society and roll number.

Dated 23 December 2021

Nicholas Bennett

Divisional Manager, Democratic Services

Chichester District Council