

APPENDIX A

Bromsgrove District Council

Planning Committee 14th June 2010.

Tree Preservation Order (No. 4) 2008, was made in provisional form on 11th April 2008. Due to the large area of land, number of trees, and number of landowners involved the normal process of site investigations has only been completed recently.

Having regard to the long period to time which has now passed, there is a high risk that ownership of some of the land may have changed since the making of the original Order, as such the new owners will not have been afforded the opportunity to make comments.

Government Guidance in such a situation is that a complete new Order should be considered.

It is therefore recommended that TPO (No. 4) 2008 is revoked.

Tree Preservation Order (No. 7) 2009 was also made in provisional form on the 18th August 2009. This Order expired on the 18th February 2010 and due to unforeseen circumstances it was not possible for the investigations and assessments necessary to confirm the Order to be completed in the six month period. Again there is concern that new landowners will not have had the opportunity to comment on the Order and therefore revocation of the Order is the most appropriate course of action.

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24th May 2010.