

Countryside and Rights of Way (CROW) Act 2000

REVIEW OF STATUTORY DIRECTION

CONSULTATION OUTCOME REPORT ON EXISTING DIRECTION

Prepared by Peak District National Park Authority

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Land Parcel Name:	Direction Reference
West Nab, Bradfield	2014037142

1) Introduction

The Peak District National Park Authority (PDNPA) has completed its consultations on the review of the long-term direction to restrict CROW access on this land. A consultation was held between 21 February and 5 April 2024. A further consultation on a proposed variation was held between 6 June and 21 June 2024.

Responses from the Peak District Local Access Forum in relation to the existing directions and the proposed variation were received. The Local Access Forum agrees that the extent and nature of the restrictions are still appropriate. They welcomed both the proposed variation to the way-marked linear route, and the provision of additional access at such times when no red flags are flying. In their view, this represents a significant improvement in access for all users.

2) Outcome

The Authority has met with the owner regarding the review of this long-term direction. The owner has confirmed that the direction is required for the purposes for which it was originally applied for but to realign the access route and provide for wider access at times no shooting is taking place, as evidenced by red flags.

The PDNPA is satisfied that the restriction of CRoW access to the extent specified is still necessary on land management/public safety grounds. The restriction allows the public to safely access the land at times when no shooting is taking place and facilitates access to the adjoining access land, 365 days a year without being endangered by shooting and without undue cost or burden upon the landowner.

It is proposed that the existing direction continues as follows:

- Extend the end date to provide a further 6 years
- The linear access to follow the main track through the site
- The linear access to be available at all times
- Exclusion conditional on red flags flying

3) Summary of Restriction

Land Parcel Name:	Dates of Restriction	Reason for Exclusion
West Nab, Bradfield	Restricted to a way-marked linear route when red flags are flying until 31/12/2029	Public Safety and Land Management

Details of the restriction will appear at www.openaccess.naturalengland.org.uk.