

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Notice by the Secretary of State under section 52 of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949

Newport Bridge to North Gare, Teesside

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On 23 March 2016 Natural England submitted a coastal access report relating to the stretch of land between Newport Bridge and North Gare, Teesside (“the coastal access report”) to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs under section 51 of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 (“the 1949 Act”), pursuant to its duty under section 296(1) of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009 (“the 2009 Act”).

In reaching her determination under section 52 of the 1949 Act the Secretary of State has considered Coastal Access Newport Bridge to North Gare - Natural England’s coastal access report - submitted to her on 23 March 2016.

Secretary of State’s approval of coastal access proposals

The Secretary of State has determined to approve the proposals set out in the coastal access report so far as they relate to those parts of the route (and associated coastal margin) in relation to which no objections or representations were made.

The Secretary of State has made available at www.gov.uk a copy of this notice. Natural England has also made available there the Coastal Access Newport Bridge to North Gare report.

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