

Notes on making a representation about a coastal access variation report

Any person can make a representation about a coastal access variation report. Any representation must be received by Natural England no later than midnight on 21 August 2019.

Representations must be made on the correct form (there is a different form for objections). You can obtain a copy of the form online at www.gov.uk/government/collections/england-coast-path-whitehaven-to-silecroft or by contacting Natural England at the address at the end of these notes.

If you wish to make more than one representation about only one land parcel (or several adjoining ones), please use the same form. If you wish to make representations about separate land parcels, please complete a different form for each land parcel.

The notes below will help you answer the questions on the form. For further information about making objections and representations please refer to the guidance which can be found at: www.gov.uk/guidance/england-coast-path-comment-on-a-proposed-new-stretch

Question 1 asks you to state here the variation location and map number about which you are making the representation. *For example: Nethertown station, Map VR7a.*

Question 2: Please clearly identify the land to which the representation relates here. If your representation is about the proposed route, please write the number(s) of the relevant route section(s) here. Route section numbers are shown on the maps in the report. For example: 'WHS-VR7-S002'. If your representation is not about the proposed route, please write a description of the land and the number(s) of the route section(s) that is closest to it. *For example: 'bank seaward of route sections WHS-VR7-S001 to WHS-VR7-S005'.* You may also wish to send a separate map showing the land – see question 6.

Question 3 asks who is making the representation. People with sporting rights over affected land, and representatives of certain prescribed organisations should tick the box marked "A person specified in Schedule 1 to the Coastal Access Reports (Consideration and Modification Procedure) (England) Regulations 2010 (S.I. 2010/1976)".

Question 4 asks if you are a person with a relevant interest in land to which the report relates. Please tick this box if you are the owner, tenant or occupier of such land.

Question 5 asks you to explain your representation. You may send additional documents if you wish to – see question 6.

Question 6: If there is not enough room on the form for all the information you wish to include, you can send additional information with the form. Please write a description of each additional document you send on this part of the form. *For example: 'Document 1- additional information in answer to question 5; Document 2 – map of land to which the representation relates'.*

Please also label any separate documents or attachments in a way that enables us to match it to your representation form. *For example: 'Objection – Mrs J. Smith – WHS-VR7-S002- Document 2: map of land to which representation relates'.*

Please send representations (and any additional supporting information) by email or post to the addresses shown on the form. We will send you an acknowledgement when we receive your representation. If you do not receive acknowledgement, or if you have any further queries about the representations process, please contact us at:

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