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PART 6

Neighbourhood development orders and community right to build orders

Publicising an order proposal

23.—(1) As soon as possible after receiving an order proposal which includes each of the documents referred to in regulation 22(1), a local planning authority must—

- (a) publicise the following on their website and in such other manner they consider is likely to bring the proposal to the attention of people who live, work or carry on business in the neighbourhood area—
 - (i) details of the order proposal;
 - (ii) details of where and when the order proposal may be inspected;
 - (iii) details of how to make representations;
 - (iv) a statement that any representations may include a request to be notified of the local planning authority's decision under regulation 26 in relation to the neighbourhood development order or community right to build order; and
 - (v) the date by which those representations must be received, being not less than 6 weeks from the date on which the proposal is first publicised; and
- (b) notify any consultation body which is referred to in the consultation statement submitted in accordance with regulation 22, that the order proposal has been received.

(2) As soon as possible after receiving an order proposal to which regulation 29A of the EIA Regulations(1) applies, the local planning authority must, in addition to any publicity required under paragraph (1), publicise the information described in paragraph (1)(a) and the environmental statement submitted in accordance with the EIA Regulations by giving notice—

- (a) by site display in at least one place on or near the land to which the order proposal relates for not less than 21 days; and
- (b) by publication of the notice in a newspaper circulating in the locality in which the land to which the order proposal relates is situated.