

## **ACQUISITION OF LAND (AUTHORISATION PROCEDURE) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1947**

### **THE A96 TRUNK ROAD (INVERNESS TO NAIRN (INCLUDING NAIRN BYPASS)) (EXTINGUISHMENT OF PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY) ORDER 2024**

The Scottish Ministers give notice that they have made the above-mentioned Order, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 3 of the Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) (Scotland) Act 1947, extinguishing public rights of way in the County of Nairnshire and providing alternative public rights of way, as described in the Schedule hereto.

The Order comes into operation on 12th March 2024.

A copy of the Order and of the relevant plans referred to therein may be inspected, free of charge, from 12th March 2024 to 23rd April 2024 at the following locations and times:-

Transport Scotland, 2nd Floor, 36 North Hanover Street, Glasgow, G1 2AD from Monday to Friday 09:00 to 17:00

Highland Council Headquarters, ePlanning Centre, Glenurquhart Road, Inverness, IV3 5NX from Monday to Friday 08:00 to 16:00

Highland Council, Inverness Service Point, Town House, Castle Street, Inverness, IV1 1JJ from Monday to Friday 10:00 to 12:30 and 13:30 to 16:30

Highland Council, Nairn Service Point, The Court House, High Street, Nairn, IV12 4AU from Wednesday to Friday 09:30 to 12:30

Ardersier Library and Service Point, Old School, Station Road, Ardersier, IV2 7SU on Monday 12:00 to 17:00, Wednesday 10:00 to 13:00, Friday 12:00 to 17:00 and Saturday 10:00 to 13:00

Culloden Library, Keppoch Road, Culloden, Inverness, IV2 7LL on Monday 10:00 to 17:00, Tuesday 13:00 to 17:00, Wednesday 10:00 to 20:00, Friday 10:00 to 14:00 and Saturday 10:00 to 13:00

Inshes Library, Inshes Road, Inverness, IV2 3RF on Monday 15:15 to 20:00, Tuesday 15:15 to 20:00, Wednesday 15:15 to 18:00, Thursday 15:15 to 20:00, Friday 15:15 to 18:00 and Saturday 10:00 to 13:00

Inverness Library, Farraline Park, Inverness, IV1 1NH from Monday to Friday 09:00 to 18:30 and Saturday 09:00 to 17:00

Nairn Library, 68 High Street, Nairn, IV12 4AU on Monday 09:30 to 19:00, Tuesday 09:30 to 17:30, Wednesday 09:30 to 13:30, Thursday 09:30 to 19:00, Friday 09:30 to 17:30 and Saturday 10:00 to 13:00

A copy of the Order and plans and this Notice can be viewed on the Transport Scotland website at: <https://www.transport.gov.scot/projects/a96-dualling-inverness-to-aberdeen/a96-inverness-to-nairn-including-nairn-bypass/>

Any person wishing to question the validity of the decision to make the Order, or any of its provisions, may make an application as regards that validity to the Court of Session, within such time period as the Court in its discretion will allow.



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## **SCHEDULE**

### **PART 1**

#### **PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY TO BE EXTINGUISHED**

1. A length of the existing public right of way, on the Balnaspirach – Nairn Moss Lands Road (U3226), in a generally north-westerly direction, leading to the Balnaspirach House, Nairn, IV12 5NY from the B9091 – Croy – Clephanton – Kildrummie – Nairn Road.
2. A length of the existing public right of way, in a generally south south-westerly direction leading to the existing A96 Trunk Road from Waterloo – Eastertown – Inshoch Road (U2997).

### **PART 2**

#### **ALTERNATIVE RIGHT OF WAY TO BE PROVIDED**

1. A public right of way from the A96 Trunk Road, in a generally northerly then north-westerly direction, leading to the Balnaspirach House, Nairn, IV12 5NY.
2. A public right of way, in a generally easterly direction along the Waterloo – Eastertown – Inshoch Road (U2997), then crossing under the A96 Trunk Road in a generally south south-easterly direction, then a generally west south-westerly direction, leading to the existing public right of way.