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RE: SYLVAN GLADE, BENSKINS LANE, NOAK HILL,  
ROMFORD. RM4 1LB

**IMPORTANT - THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY**

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**  
**(as amended by the Planning and Compensation Act 1991)**

**ENFORCEMENT NOTICE**

- TO:
1. The Owner of the said land
  2. The Occupier of the said land
  3. Steven Corbyn of Sylvan Glade, Benskins Lane. Noak Hill. Romford. RM4 1LB
  4. Halifax plc of Pendeford Business Park, Wobaston Road, Wolverhampton, WV9 5HZ
  5. Southern Pacific Personal Loans Limited of 125 Kensington High Street, London W8 5PA

**ISSUED BY:** London Borough of Havering

1. **THIS IS A FORMAL NOTICE** which is issued by the Council because it appears to the Council that there has been a breach of planning control, under Section 171A(1)(a) of the above Act, at the land described below. They consider that it is expedient to issue this Notice, having regard to the provisions of the development plan and to other material planning considerations.

2. **THE LAND AFFECTED**

Sylvan Glade, Benskins Lane, Noak Hill, Romford, RM4 1LB shown edged in black on the attached plan ("the Land")

3. **THE BREACH OF PLANNING CONTROL ALLEGED**

Without the grant of planning permission, a change of use of the land to i) the repair and parking of motor vehicles and ii) storage including the storage of building/plant machinery, fork lift trucks and other heavy vehicles, scaffolding and building materials, shipping containers and truck bodies, skips and waste material.

4. **REASONS FOR ISSUING THIS NOTICE**

It appears to the Council that the above breach of planning control has occurred within the last ten years.

The site lies within the Metropolitan Green Belt. The unauthorised uses are inappropriate and harmful to the function, character, appearance and openness of the Green Belt.

The Council do not consider that this harm can be overcome by the use of planning conditions.

In making its decision to issue this notice the Council consider that the unauthorised uses are contrary to Planning Policy Guidance 2: Green Belts and policies ENV1 and GRB2 of the Havering Unitary Development Plan and their counterpart policies in the Local Development Framework.

#### 5. WHAT YOU ARE REQUIRED TO DO

- i) Cease using the Land for the parking and repair of motor vehicles

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this notice

- ii) Cease using the Land for the purposes of storage including the storing of scaffolding, building materials, building/plant machinery, fork lift trucks, heavy vehicles, skips, rubbish, waste materials, shipping containers and truck bodies

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this notice

- iii) Remove from the Land all motor vehicles, scaffolding, building materials, building plant/machinery, fork lift trucks, heavy vehicles, skips, shipping containers, truck bodies and waste materials

Time for compliance: 3 months from the effective date of this notice

- (ii) Restore the Land to grassed open rural land

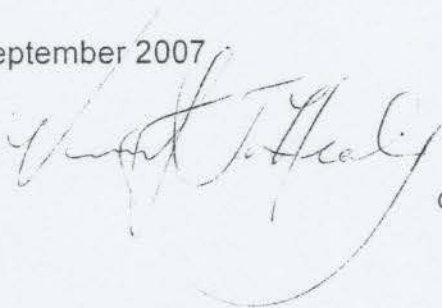
Time for compliance: 6 months from the effective date of this notice

#### 6. WHEN THIS NOTICE TAKES EFFECT

This Notice takes effect on 23 October 2007, unless an appeal is made against it beforehand

Dated: 18 September 2007

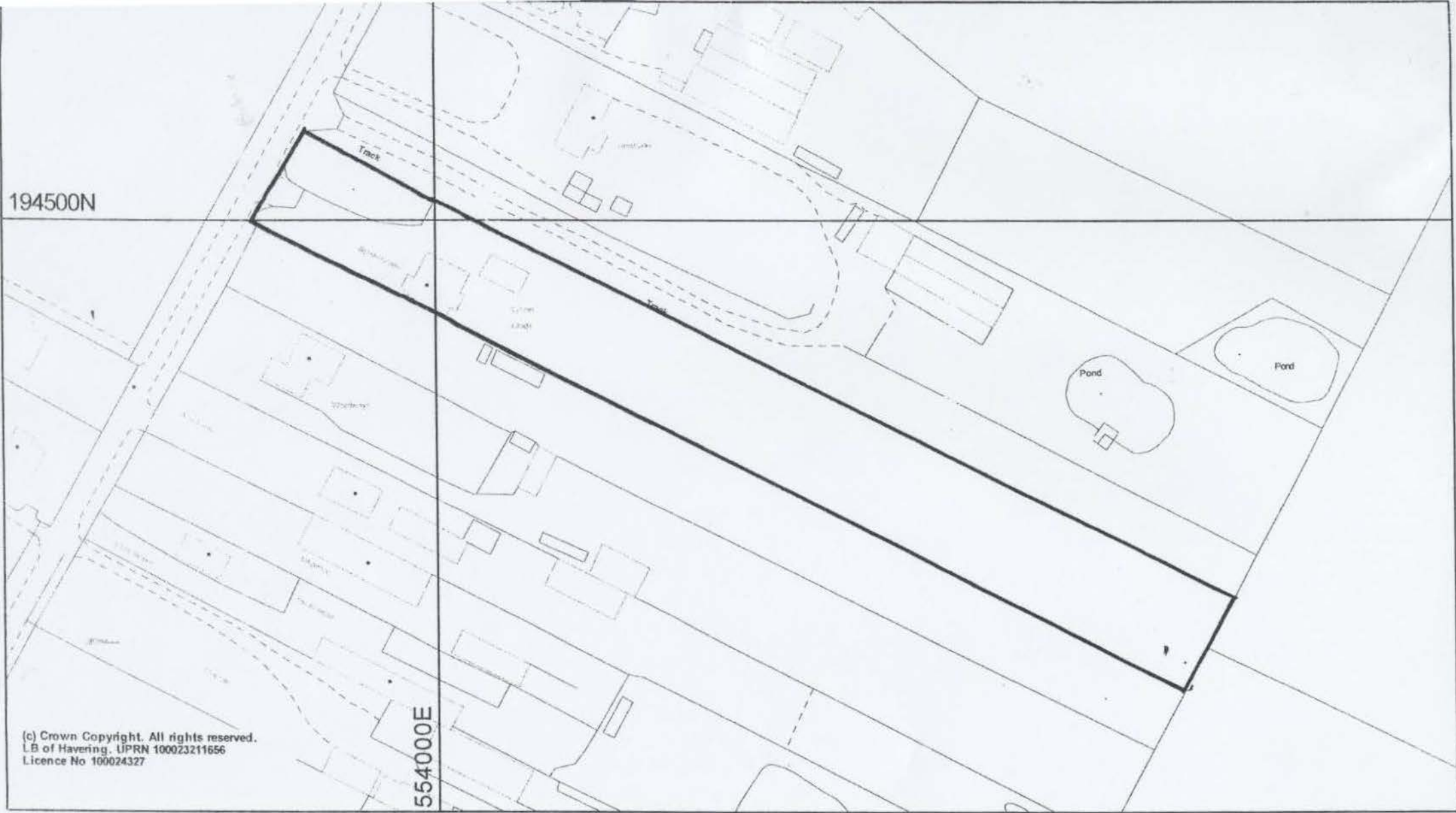
Signed:



Authorised Officer  
on behalf of London Borough of Havering  
Town Hall  
Main Road  
Romford RM1 3BD

**YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL**

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### Sylvan Glade, Benskins Lane, Noak Hill



Map Reference:  
 TQ5494SW

Date: 15/08/2007

Scale: 1:1250



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You can appeal against this Enforcement Notice to the Secretary of State by the 23 October 2007. Further details are given in the attached explanatory note.

**WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU DO NOT APPEAL**

If you do not appeal against this Enforcement Notice, it will take effect on 23 October 2007 and you must then ensure that the required steps for complying with it, for which you may be held responsible, are taken within the period specified in the Notice.

**FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH AN ENFORCEMENT NOTICE WHICH HAS TAKEN EFFECT CAN RESULT IN PROSECUTION AND/OR REMEDIAL ACTION BY THE COUNCIL.**

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### **STATUTORY PROVISIONS**

A summary of Sections 171A, 171B and 172 to 177 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) is enclosed with this Notice.

### **YOUR RIGHT OF APPEAL**

You can appeal against this Notice, but any appeal must be in writing and received, or posted (with the postage paid and properly addressed) in time to be received in the ordinary course of the post, by the Secretary of State before 23 October 2007. The enclosed booklet "Enforcement Appeals - A guide to Procedure" sets out your rights. Read it carefully. If you appeal you should use the enclosed appeal forms. Two copies are for you to send to the Secretary of State if you decide to appeal. The other is for you to keep as a duplicate for your own records. You should also send the Secretary of State a copy of the Enforcement Notice.

### **GROUND OF APPEAL**

The grounds of appeal are set out in Section 174 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1991 and are also set out on page 2 - 5 the enclosed appeal forms.

### **PLANNING APPLICATION FEE**

Should wish to appeal on ground (a) - that planning permission should be granted for the unauthorised use - then a fee of £265 is payable both to the Secretary of State and to the Council. If the fees are not paid then that ground of appeal will not be valid.

### **STATEMENT ON GROUNDS OF APPEAL**

You must submit to the Secretary of State, either when giving notice of appeal or within 14 days from the date on which the Secretary of State sends him a notice so requiring him, a statement in writing specifying the grounds on which you are appealing against the enforcement notice and stating briefly the facts on which you propose to rely in support of each of those grounds.

### **RECIPIENTS OF THE ENFORCEMENT NOTICE**

The names and addresses of all the persons on whom the Enforcement Notice has been served are:

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