# IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE QUEEN'S BENCH DIVISION

THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE MITTING

Dated this 6th day of April 2006

# SOUTH CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

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#### and

- 1. JAMES SHERIDAN
- 2. DAVID SHERIDAN
- 3. PATRICK QUILLIGAN
- 4. MARGARET O'BRIĖN
- 5. MICHAEL SLATTERY
- 6. KATHLEEN O'BRIEN
- 7. JEAN O'BRIEN
- 8. JOHN CULLIGAN
- 9. MICHAEL FLYNN
- 10. MARGARET QUILLIGAN
- 11. MARY GAMMELL
- 12. NORA O'BRIEN
- 13. MICHAEL O'BRIEN
- 14. NORA SLATTERY
- 15. MICHAEL HEGARTY
- 16. MILES CONNORS

# 17. PERSONS UNKNOWN

- a. causing or permitting caravans, mobile homes, sheds or other residential accommodation to be stationed on the areas of land edged in black on the plan hereto at Smithy Fen, Cottenham ('the Northern Area' and 'the Southern Area')
- b. occupying or causing or permitting the occupation of caravans, mobile homes, sheds or other residential accommodation stationed on the Northern Area or the Southern Area
- c. causing or permitting building materials or other material suitable for use in the creation of hard surfacing or drainage to be brought onto the Northern Area or the Southern Area
- causing or permitting excavations to be made or building operations to be carried out preparatory to or associated with the creation of hard surfacing or drainage on the Northern Area or the Southern Area



Claimant

# ORDER FOR AN INJUNCTION

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS

This Order requires you to refrain from the acts set out in the Order. You should read the Order carefully. You are advised to consult a solicitor as soon as possible. If you disobey this Order you may be found guilty of Contempt of Court and you may be sent to prison or fined or your assets may be seized.

# The application

- An application was made to the Court by counsel on behalf of the Claimant. The
  Defendants did not appear and were not represented. The Judge read the written
  evidence listed in Schedule 1 to this order.
- 2. This order relates to two areas of land at Smithy Fen, Cottenham, shown edged in black and labelled on the plan hereto ('the Northern Area' and 'the Southern Area').
- 3. The Claimant gave the undertaking set out in Schedule 2 hereto.

#### The injunction

- 4. IT IS ORDERED THAT until trial or further order
  - a. Subject to the proviso below all the Defendants forthwith be restrained from causing or permitting any caravan, mobile home, day room or shed to be stationed within the Northern or Southern Areas

Provided that Defendants 4, 6 and 11-15 are permitted to continue to station caravans, mobile homes, sheds and day rooms within the Northern Area and Southern Area (or any replacement caravan, mobile home, shed or day rooms of a similar type) as follows —

- i. Defendant 11 occupied plot within Northern Area 1 mobile home
- ii. Defendant 13 plot 5 in Southern Area 1 mobile home, 1 shed
- iii. Defendant 4 plot 5a in Southern Area 1 mobile home
- iv. Defendant 12 plot 6 in Southern Area 1 touring caravan, 1 mobile home, 1 shed
- v. Defendant 14 plot 10 in Southern Area 1 mobile home, 1 dayroom
- vi. Defendant 15 plot 11 in Southern Area 1 touring caravan and 1 dayroom
- vii. Defendant 6 plot 15 in Southern Area 1 touring caravan, 1 mobile home, 1 day room;
- b. the Defendants be restrained forthwith from occupying any caravan, mobile home, shed or other residential accommodation brought onto the Northern or Southern Areas in breach of a. above;
- c. the Defendants forthwith be restrained, whether by themselves or their servants or agents, from causing or permitting any material suitable for use in the creation of hard surfacing or drainage to be brought onto the Northern or Southern Areas;
- d. the Defendants forthwith be restrained, whether by themselves or their servants or agents, from causing or permitting excavations to be made or building operations to be carried out preparatory to or associated with the creation of hard surfacing or drainage on the Northern or Southern Areas.

# Service of application notice, claim form etc.

5. The Claimant having taken the steps referred to in the witness statement of Charles Swain dated 4 April 2006, further service of the application notice herein, the claim form herein and the witness statement of Gareth Jones dated 9 March 2006 be dispensed with.

# Service of this order

- 6. This order may be served by on the Defendants by
  - a. placing a copy of it in a clear plastic envelope and affixing the same to a stake or post on each unoccupied plot in the Southern Area;
  - b. placing a copy of it in a clear plastic envelope and affixing the same to a stake or post at the points marked 'x' on the plan attached hereto;
  - c. as for the occupied plots in the Northern and Southern Areas, either (i) placing a copy in a clear plastic envelope and affixing the same to a stake or post on such plot or (ii) delivering a copy to such plot;
  - d. giving a copy of it to any adult present on the Northern and Southern Areas at the time the above steps are taken; and
  - e. delivering it to 6 Pine View, 9 Setchell Drove and 10 Setchell Drove, Smithy Fen, Cottenham.
- 7. Service of this order shall be treated as effected at the time the steps referred to above are taken.

# Varying the order

8. The Defendant may apply to vary or discharge this order upon giving 24 hours notice in writing to the Claimant's Solicitors, Colin Tucker, Head of Legal Services, South Camrbidgeshire District Council, South Cambridgeshire Hall, Cambourne Business Park, Cambourne, Cambs, CB3 6EA, Tel 01954 713 060, Fax 01954 713 305. If any evidence is to be relied upon in support of the application, the substance of it must be communicated in writing to the Claimant's Solicitor in advance.

#### <u>Costs</u>

9. No order as to costs

#### Interpretation of this order

- 10. A Defendant who is ordered not to do something must not do it him/herself or in any other way. He/she must not do it through others acting on his/her behalf or on his/her instructions or with his/her encouragement.
- 11. The requirements of this order apply to each Defendant.

#### Communications with the Court

12. All communications to the Court about this Order should be sent to Room WG08, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London WC2A 2LL quoting the case number. The telephone number is 0207 947 6010.

## Schedule 1

Witness statement of Gareth Jones dated 9 March 2006 and the exhibits thereto Witness statement of Charles Swain dated 4 April 2006

# Schedule 2 - Claimant's undertaking

To serve the order herein as soon as practicable by the means referred to in paragraph 6 above.

