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Project: Land off Lewth Ln (Modified Access)

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Introduction

- 1.1. The site is land off Lewth Ln, Woodplumpton, near Preston.
- 1.2. It has an existing access off Lewth Ln and the client's proposal is for a modified access to permit HGV's to enter the site and exit in a safe manner.
- 1.3. The illustration below shows the location and existing access point.



Figure 1 - Location Plan (Illustrative only, not an accurate depiction of boundary demarcation)



1.4. This Technical Note highlights the principal design merits of the proposed layout.

General Layout – Drawing L1

- 1.5. Drawing L1 shows the General Layout. The format of the proposed modified access is based on vehicle tracking.
- 1.6. The merits of the proposed layout are:
 - Desing vehicle is a 16.5m Articulated HGV.
 - Access width configured to eliminate or minimise encroachment of vehicle body on to opposite lane of Lewth Ln.
 - Where relevant, geometry incorporates minimum 1m buffer between vehicle body and kerb.
 - The kerb format includes 'High Containment Kerb', to ensure that vehicles stay on the intended path thus preventing overrun of vulnerable areas.
 - Merge Taper to northwest,15m long.
 - Edge of carriageway markings to delineate the threshold between the carriageway and access.
 - Linear drain across moth of access to prevent the site's surface water discharging onto public highway.

Vehicle Tracking – Drawing T1

- 1.7. The Vehicle Tracking exercises are shown on drawing T1 show that the geometry of the proposed access is feasible and can accommodate a16.5m Articulated HGV. Four manoeuvres are shown:
 - 1. Left In
 - 2. Right In
 - 3. Left Out
 - 4. Right Out

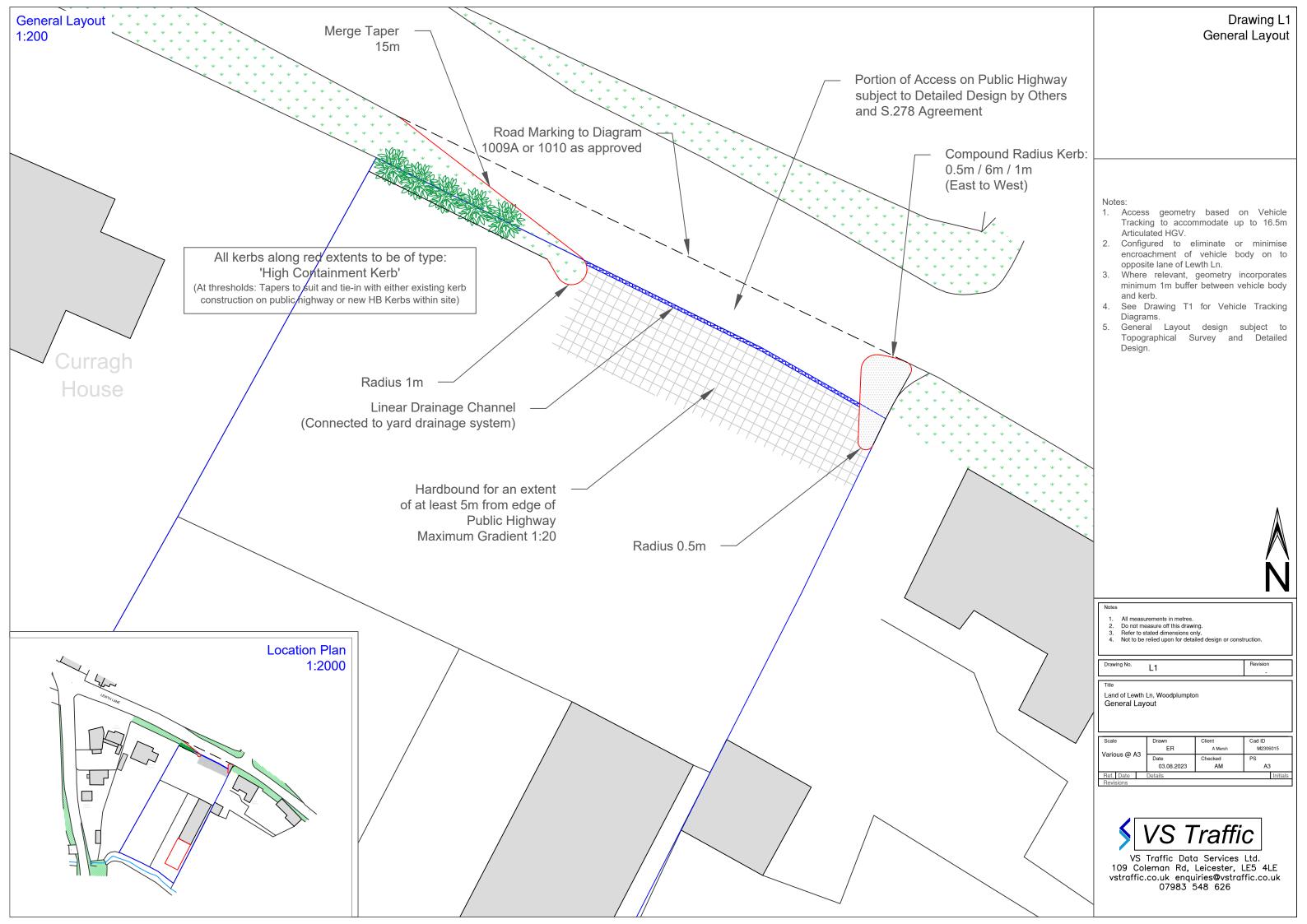
Conclusion

- 1.8. The geometry of the proposed access is feasible and can accommodate a 16.5m Articulated HGV.
- 1.9. The proposed layout is subject to a Topographical Survey and Detailed Design to be carried out by Others.



Appendix 1

General Layout Drawing L1





Appendix 2

Vehicle Tracking Drawing T1

