Appendix 13

Mark Blackburn Statutory Declaration

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In support of Appeal Reference APP/D3640/C/22/3312913 and Linked Appeal References APP/D3640/C/22/3312915 and APP/D3640/C/22/3312916, against Surrey Heath Borough Council Enforcement Notice reference 20/0019/ENF at:

Land at Easigrass, Hillings Nursery, Bagshot Road, Chobham, GU24 8DB

I, Mark Blackburn, are employed by Landform as a Yard Manager. I solemnly and sincerely make this Statutory Declaration in support of Appeal Reference APP/D3640/C/22/3312913 and linked appeal references APP/D3640/C/22/3312915 and APP/D3640/C/22/3312916 against Surrey Heath Borough Council Enforcement Notice reference 20/0019/ENF.

In this declaration I use the following descriptions:

- The "Ownership/Lease site" (OLS), which is the area of land shown in Exhibit 1.
- The "Planning Unit Site" (PUS), which is the area of land shown in Exhibit 2.
- The "Enforcement Notice Site (ENS)", which is the area of land shown in Exhibit 3.

I am told the ENS falls entirely within the PUS and the PUS falls entirely within the OLS.

I DECLARE AS FOLLOWS:

- I was first employed at the PUS by Easigrass in on the 14th June 2021 to 4rd April 2023. My role at both companies was to manage the yard.
- 2. It is very normal for me to help out both companies, even through I'm only employed by one company. What I would do is load and unload the vehicles bringing landscaping materials, plants, machinery and equipment to the site for either company, particularly if there was nobody else who could do it.
- 3. This is really normal. Eugene, who is an Easigrass employee, will unload for Landform if people are not around to unload, or are unavailable. All this unloading would take place across the whole northern area of the PUS. Vehicles would arrive (usually articulated lorries and large vans) would park up on the site to be unloaded. Sometimes they would stay overnight until the morning when staff arrived for work.
- 4. We would run the forklifts all around the north, and to the east and west to unload/load and place goods. This was due to the movement of customer orders into various holding areas, for their subsequent loading. Where the lorries were not turning and loading/unloading, I've seen people parking their cars. That might be customers or staff but I also often see people who I believe are not associated with the businesses on the site.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act 1835

Declared by Mark Blackburn

Signature.....

This......day of.....2023

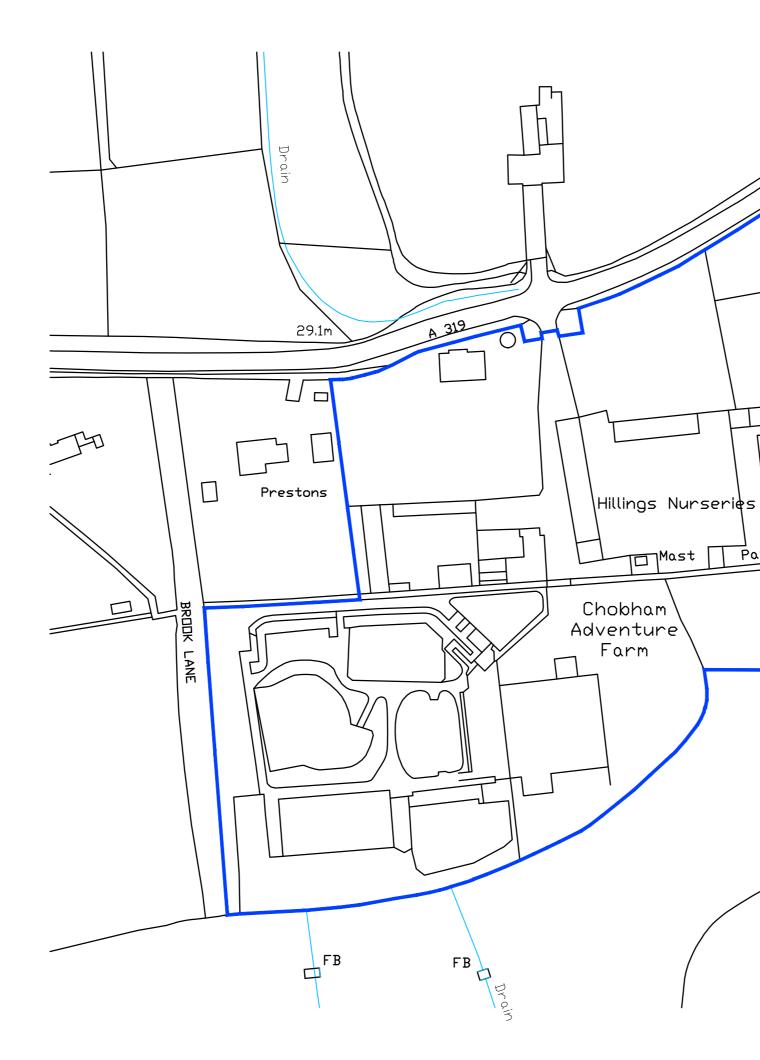
This is Exhibit 1 (Ownership/Lease Site (OLS)) referred to in the Statutory Declaration of Mark Blackburn

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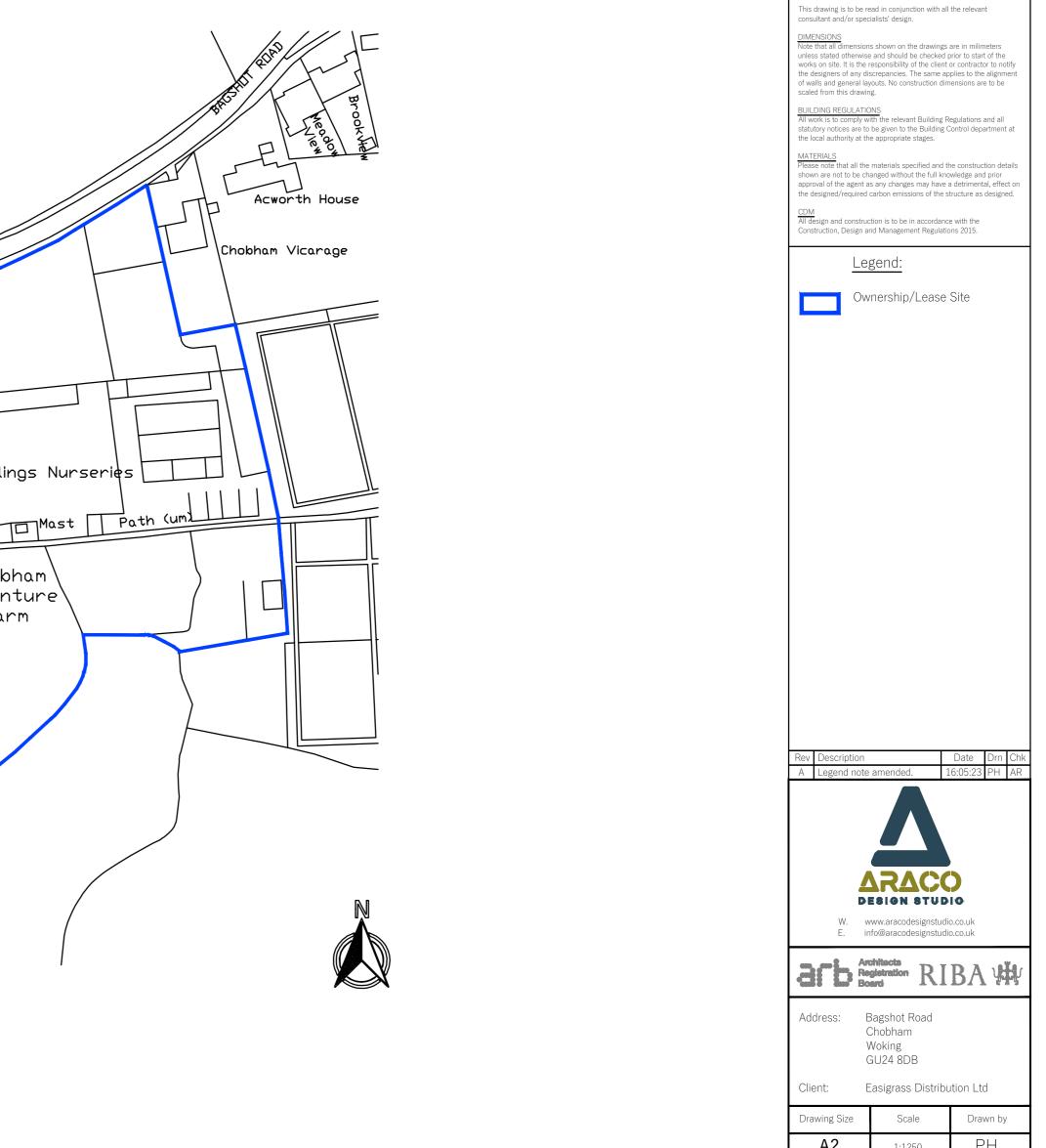
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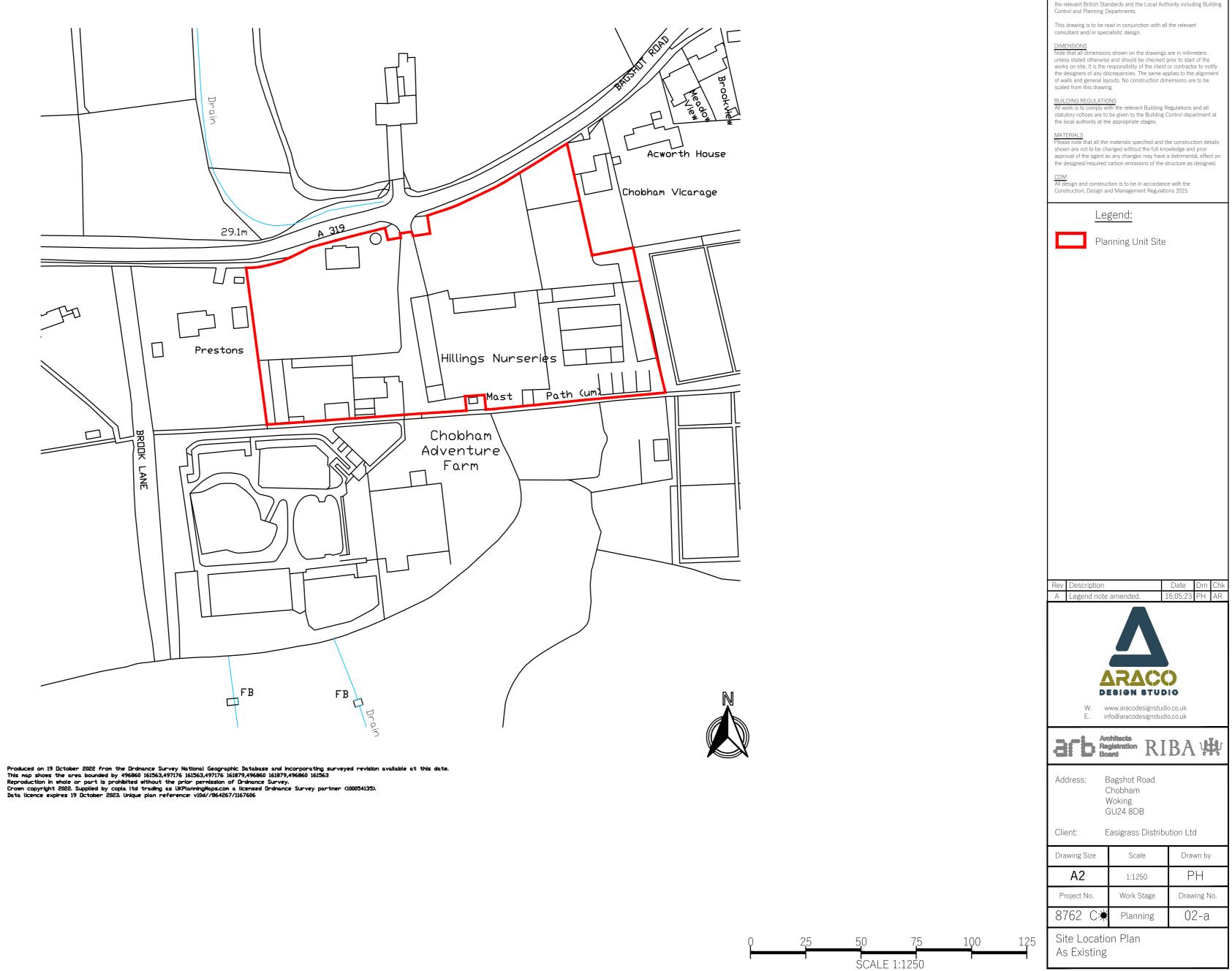
This is Exhibit 2 (Planning Unit Site (PUS)) referred to in the Statutory Declaration of **Mark Blackburn**

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This is Exhibit 3 (Enforcement Notice Site (ENS)) referred to in the Statutory Declaration of **Mark Blackburn**

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