

In the High Court of Justice

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Queen's Bench Division

Queen's Bench Division Planning Court

In the matter of two applications for Judicial Review

CO/2429/2018

THE QUEEN

on the application of

THE SOUTH DOWNS
NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY

Claimant

versus

HIGHWAYS ENGLAND

Defendant

CO/2752/2018

THE QUEEN

on the application of

EMMA TRISTRAM

Claimant

versus

HIGHWAYS ENGLAND

<u>Defendant</u>

Pursuant to the orders of Justine Thornton QC, sitting as a Deputy High Court Judge, dated 11 September 2018, and

Following consideration of the documents lodged by the parties

Order by the Honourable Mrs Justice Lang DBE

- 1. Pursuant to CPR r.3.1(2)(h), claims CO/2429/2018 and CO/2752/2018 are to be heard and determined on the same occasion, with a time estimate of 3 days.
- 2. The Claimants are to circulate their proposed trial bundle indexes to all parties well in advance, in an attempt to avoid unnecessary duplication in their separate trial bundles. The South Downs National Park Authority is to take responsibility, on behalf of all parties, for filing and serving a separate bundle comprising those documents which are common to both claims.
- 3. Costs reserved.

Reasons

Despite the objections raised by Sharpe Pritchard, I consider that a single hearing is consistent with the overriding objective of dealing with the claims proportionately, and allotting them an appropriate share of the court's resources.

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The date of service of this order is calculated from the date in the section below

For completion by the Planning Court

Sent to the Claimant, Defendant and any Interested Party / the Claimant's, Defendant's, and any Interested Party's solicitors on (date):

8 OCT 2018