

17th August 2023

STATUTORY DECLARATION

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I, David John Dugdale, of Street Farm, North Street, Freckenham, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, do solemnly and sincerely declare that:

1. I am a veterinary surgeon and Managing Partner at Newmarket Equine Hospital, Cambridge Road, Newmarket, Suffolk.
2. I have knowledge of the activities of the former Animal Health Trust (AHT) as both a collaborative researcher and through use of their commercial equine clinical and diagnostic services from 1989 until its closure in the summer of 2020.
3. The AHT had significant research endeavours in equine infectious diseases and epidemiology, for example equine influenza, herpes virus and Strangles and also in equine exercise physiology, cardiology and orthopaedics. The majority of the AHT's activities consisted of clinical services including an equine clinical unit which was primarily an orthopaedic referral service for sport horses and commercial diagnostic laboratory including DNA testing and pathology service for both equine and small animals. A small animal referral hospital specialising in orthopaedics, ophthalmology, oncology and dermatology completed the clinical services offered.
4. These commercial and research activities utilised all the buildings situated on the eastern side of the site known as the Centre for Small Animal Studies and Centre for Equine Studies. The laboratory facilities utilised the buildings on the southern edge of the site at the top of the drive. The grass paddocks on the western side of the site were for the use and care of horses and ponies used in research trials. The site was used in its entirety by the AHT for its own activities including the old Lanwades Hall as offices and for conferences.
5. The clinical referral services catered for horses, cats and dogs with referrals made to AHT clinicians from both local and nationwide veterinary practices. Two hospital buildings for equine and small animals were built to house these services.
6. The AHT clinicians had a programme for training interns and residents in the various disciplines and ran regular continuing professional development courses for veterinary surgeons.

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

Declared at (ADDRESS) EDMONDSON HALL SOLICITORS

on (DATE) 17th August 2023

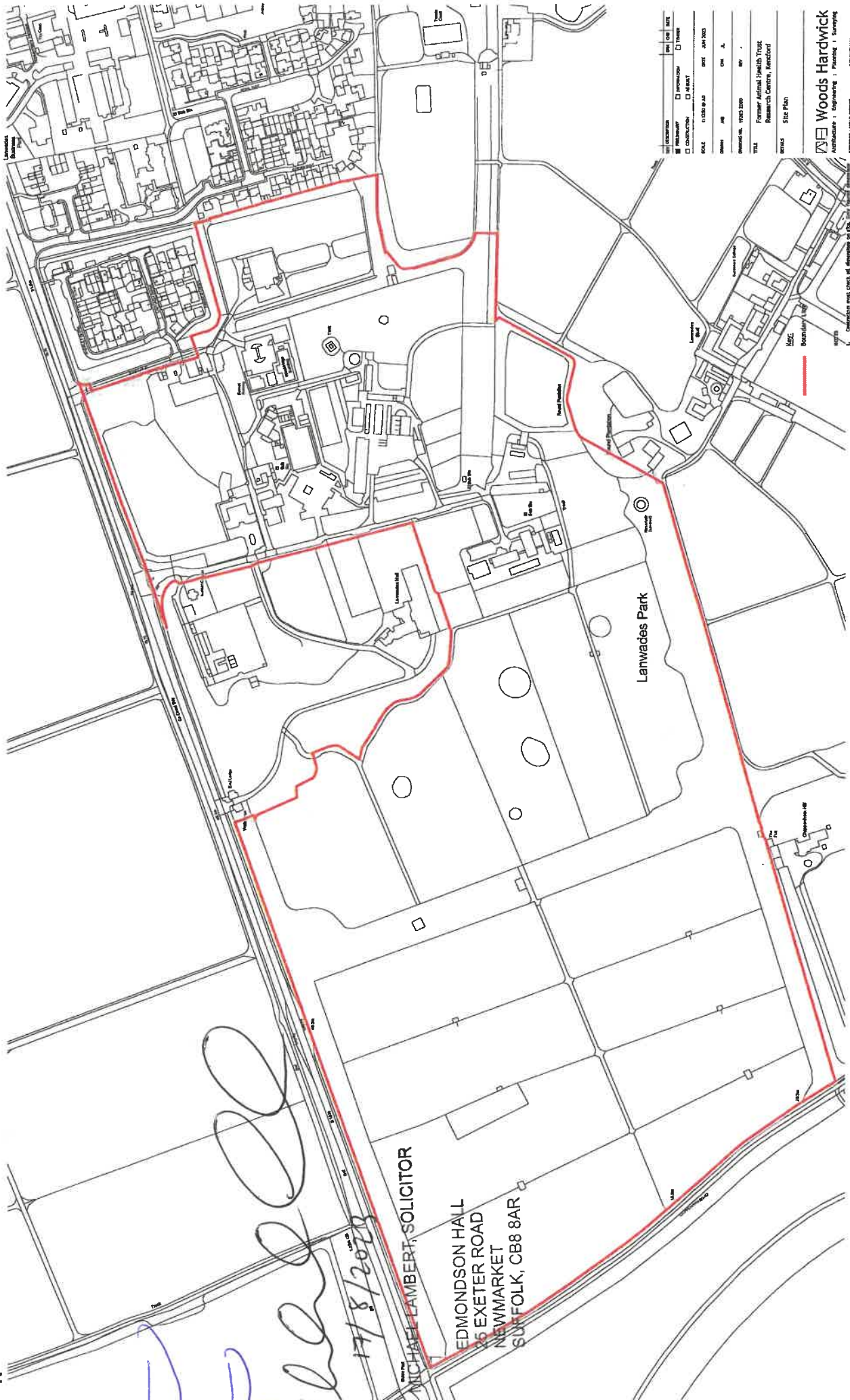
before me (NAME) MICHAEL LAMBERT

Signed.....

A commissioner for oaths or a solicitor empowered to administer oaths.

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