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SOLICITORS DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER

2004 No. 1001

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND**

**The Stratford-on-Avon (Parishes) Order 2004**

Made - - - 29<sup>th</sup> March 2004

Coming into force in accordance with article 1(2)

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 14 and 23 of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order, which gives effect (with modifications) to recommendations made to him by the Stratford-on-Avon District Council, following a review conducted by them in accordance with Part II of that Act, for the alteration of the areas of parishes and the constitution of new parishes within the district of Stratford-on-Avon:

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1. — (1) This Order may be cited as the Stratford-on-Avon (Parishes) Order 2004.
- (2) It shall come into force —
  - (a) for the purposes of this article and proceedings preliminary or relating to elections of parish councillors to be held on the ordinary day of election in 2004, on the day after that on which it is made; and
  - (b) for all other purposes, on 1st April 2004.
- (3) In this Order —

“the map” means the map prepared by the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, marked “Map of the Stratford-on-Avon (Parishes) Order 2004” and deposited in accordance with regulation 6(1) of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) Regulations 1999(b).

**Constitution of a new parish of Mappleborough Green and consequential provision**

2. — (1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined with a solid blue line on map 1 on sheet 1, shall be constituted within the district of Stratford-on-Avon.
- (2) The name of the new parish shall be Mappleborough Green.
- (3) In consequence of paragraph (1) the area of the new parish shall cease to be part of the existing parish of Studley.

(a) 1997 c.29.  
(b) S.I. 1999/545.

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**Constitution of a new parish of Arrow with Weethley and consequential provision**

3. —(1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined with a solid blue line on map 2 on sheet 1, shall be constituted within the district of Stratford-on-Avon.

(2) The name of the new parish shall be Arrow with Weethley.

(3) In consequence of paragraph (1) the existing parishes of Arrow and Weethley shall be abolished.

**Constitution of a new parish of Wilmcote and consequential provision**

4. —(1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined with a solid blue line on map 3 on sheet 2, shall be constituted within the district of Stratford-on-Avon.

(2) The name of the new parish shall be Wilmcote.

(3) In consequence of paragraph (1) the area of the new parish shall cease to be part of the existing parish of Aston Cantlow.

**Constitution of a new parish of Lighthorne Heath and consequential provision**

5. —(1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined with a solid blue line on map 4 on sheet 3, shall be constituted within the district of Stratford-on-Avon.

(2) The name of the new parish shall be Lighthorne Heath.

(3) In consequence of paragraph (1) the area of the new parish shall cease to be part of the existing parish of Lighthorne.

**Constitution of a new parish of Clifford Chambers and Milcote**

6. —(1) A new parish, comprising the area outlined with a solid blue line on map 5 on sheet 4, shall be constituted within the district of Stratford-on-Avon.

(2) The name of the new parish shall be Clifford Chambers and Milcote.

(3) In consequence of paragraph (1) the existing parishes of Clifford Chambers and Milcote shall be abolished.

**Alteration of parish areas**

7. — In consequence of article 6, each area shown in colour, designated by a letter on the map and specified by reference to that letter in column (1) of the Schedule to this Order shall cease to be part of the parish specified in column (2) in relation to that area and shall become part of the parish specified in column (3) also in relation to that area.

**Parish Council for the new parishes and transitional provision**

8. — (1) The Stratford-on-Avon district council is hereby directed to establish parish councils for the new parishes.

(2) Until the councillors elected to the councils of the new parishes at the elections to be held on the ordinary day of election in 2004 come into office, the new parishes shall be represented by those who, immediately before 1<sup>st</sup> April 2004, are elected councillors holding office for the existing parishes of Studley, Arrow, Weethley, Aston Cantlow, Lighthorne, Clifford Chambers and Milcote.

**Order Date**

9. — 1st April 2004 is the Order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) Regulations 1999.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

*P. Russell*

A Senior Civil Servant  
in the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister

29 March 2004

**SCHEDULE**

**Alteration of Areas of Parishes**

1. Map (shaded areas show area to be transferred)	2. Transfer from (Parish)	3. Transfer to (Parish)
A	Weston-on-Avon	Clifford Chambers and Milcote
B	Weston-on-Avon	Clifford Chambers and Milcote
C	Milcote	Weston-on-Avon

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order gives effect (with modifications) to a recommendation resulting from a review conducted by the Stratford-on-Avon District Council for the alteration of the areas of parishes and the establishment of new parishes. The modifications relate to proposed alterations to the boundaries of certain parishes which proposals the Secretary of State has concluded require amendment. A map forming part of this note gives a general guide to the areas concerned.

Article 2 establishes the new parish of Mappleborough. It also makes consequential changes to the area of the parish of Studley.

Article 3 establishes the new parish of Arrow with Weethley. It abolishes the parishes of Arrow and Wheetley.

Article 4 establishes the new parish of Wilmcote. It also makes consequential changes to the area of the parish of Aston Cantlow

Article 5 establishes the new parish of Lighthorne Heath. It also makes consequential changes to the area of the parish of Lighthorne

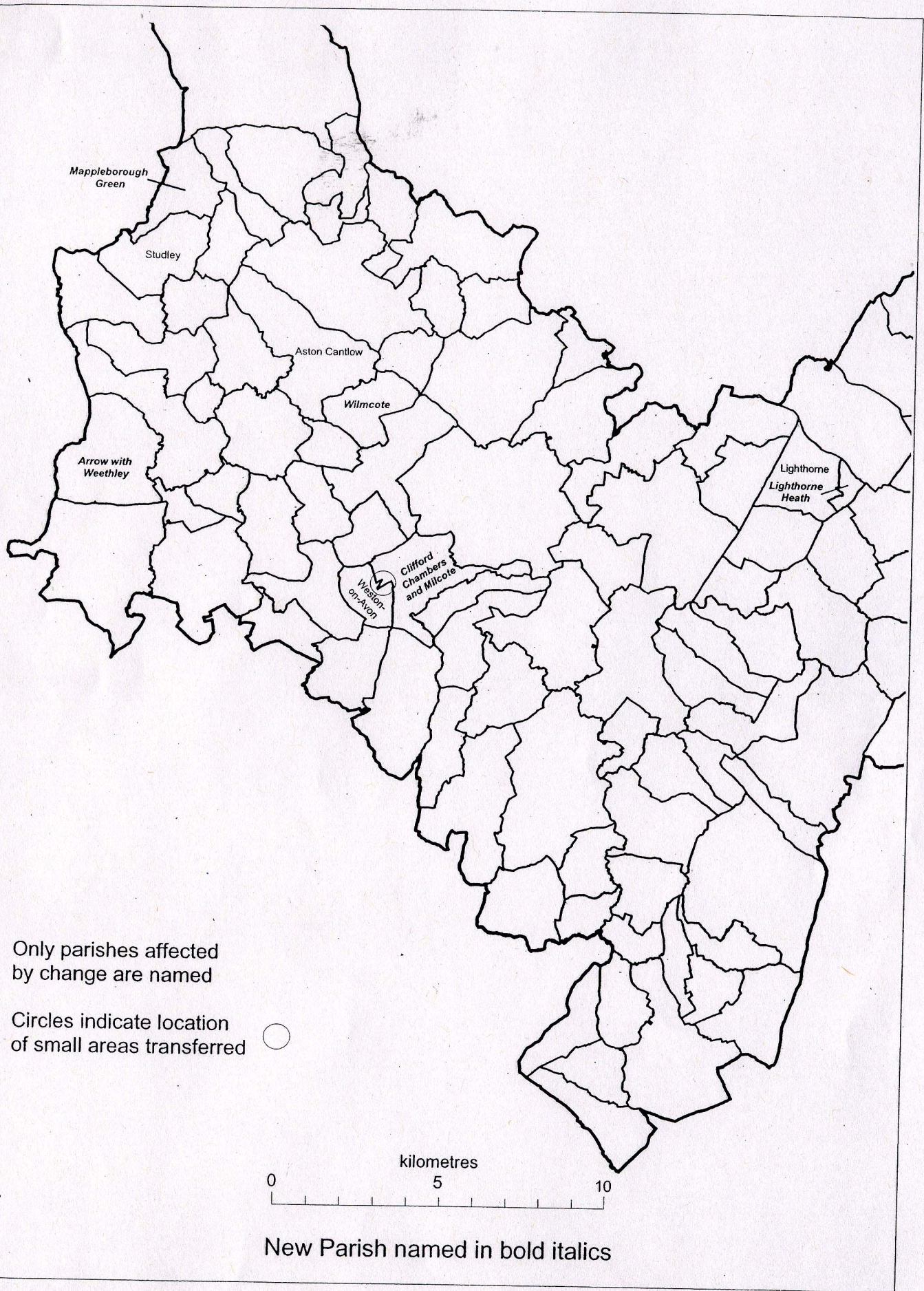
Article 6 establishes the new parish of Clifford Chambers and Milcote. It abolishes the parishes of Clifford Chambers and Milcote.

Article 7 makes alterations to the areas of parishes. On 1st April 2004 each area specified in column (1) of the Schedule of the Order will cease to be part of the parish specified in column (2) in relation to that area and will become part of the parish specified in column (3) in relation to that area.

Article 8 directs Stratford-on-Avon District Council to establish parish councils for the new parishes.

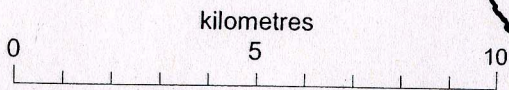
Article 9 specifies 1st April 2004 as the order date for the purposes of the Local Government (Parishes and Parish Councils) Regulations 1999, which make provision of general application in relation to orders such as this Order.

Prints of the map referred to in the Order may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the offices of the Stratford-on-Avon District Council, Elizabeth House, Church Street, Stratford-upon-Avon, CV37 6HX and at the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, Ashdown House, 123 Victoria Street, London SW1E 6DE.



Only parishes affected by change are named

Circles indicate location of small areas transferred



New Parish named in bold italics



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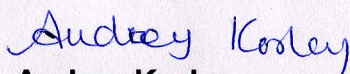
Dear Lorraine

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND RATING ACT 1997:  
STRATFORD-ON-AVON (PARISHES) ORDER 2004**

Please find enclosed a copy of the Stratford-on-Avon (Parishes) Order 2004 for your records.

This Order gives effect to the recommendations of the review of parishes undertaken by Stratford-on-Avon District Council for the alteration of areas of parishes and constitution of new parishes within the district of Stratford-on-Avon

Yours sincerely,

  
Audrey Korley