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PROPOSALS FOR FUTURE ELECTORAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE BOROUGH OF STEVENAGE
IN THE COUNTY OF HERTFORDSHIRE

1. We, the Local Government Boundary Commission for England, having carried out our initial review of the electoral arrangements for the borough of Stevenage in accordance with the requirements of section 63 of, and Schedule 9 to, the Local Government Act 1972, present our proposals for the future electoral arrangements for the borough.

2. In accordance with the procedure laid down in section 60(1) and (2) of the 1972 Act, notice was given on 10 June 1974 that we were to undertake this review. This was incorporated in a consultation letter addressed to the Stevenage Borough Council, copies of which were circulated to the Hertfordshire County Council, the Member of Parliament for the constituency concerned and the headquarters of the main political parties. Copies were also sent to the editors of the local newspapers circulating in the area and of the Local Government press. Notices inserted in the local press announced the start of the review and invited comments from members of the public and from interested bodies.

3. Stevenage Borough Council were invited to prepare a draft scheme of representation for our consideration. When doing so, they were asked to observe the rules laid down in Schedule 11 to the Local Government Act 1972, and the guidelines which we set out in our Report No 6 about the proposed size of the council and the proposed number of councillors for each ward. They were also asked to take into account any views expressed to them following their consultation with local interests. We therefore asked that they should publish details of their provisional proposals about a month before they submitted their draft scheme to us, thus allowing an opportunity for local comment.

4. The Council passed a resolution under section 7(4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 requesting a systems of elections by thirds.

5. On 18 February 1975 Stevenage Borough Council presented their draft scheme of representation. They proposed dividing the area of the borough into 7 wards returning from 4 to 7 members each to form a council of 39 members.

6. One of the Commission's guidelines that the Borough Council had been asked to observe was that borough wards should not return more than 3 councillors, save in very exceptional circumstances. The Council's scheme did not conform with this guideline and the Council were invited to reconsider their scheme with a view to creating smaller wards.

7. On 7 April 1975 Stevenage Borough Council presented an alternative scheme which provided for the subdivision of each of their seven large multi-member wards into two 3-member wards, to form a total council of 42. However, they stated that their preference was for their seven ward scheme, since each ward represented a distinct community and it was on this basis that the New Town had been constructed.

8. We considered both schemes submitted by the Council. We found the communities within Stevenage too large to form borough wards which would be within our guideline. We therefore decided to base our draft proposals on the Council's alternative scheme, but reduced the representation of some of the wards where we had doubts that that the growth in electorate over the next five years would justify their returning 3 members each. We assigned 1 member to Wellfield ward and 2 to Chells ward, thus producing a total council of 39. We formulated our draft proposals accordingly.

9. On 4 November 1975 we issued our draft proposals and these were sent to all who had received our consultation letter or had made comments. The Council were asked to make the draft proposals, and the accompanying map which defined the proposed ward boundaries, available for inspection at their main offices. Representations on our draft proposals were invited from those to whom they were circulated and, by public notices, from members of the public and interested bodies. We asked that any comments should reach us by 6 January 1976.

10. The District Council decided they did not wish to make any comments. No other comments were received.

11. We considered again our draft proposals and, having received no comments, we now confirm our draft proposals as our final proposals.

12. Details of our final proposals are set out in Schedule 1 to this report and on the attached map. Schedule 1 gives the names of the wards and the number of councillors to be returned by each. Schedule 2 shows the order of retirement of councillors. The boundaries of the new wards are defined on the map.

PUBLICATION

13. In accordance with Section 60(5)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972 a copy of this report and a copy of the map are being sent to the Stevenage Borough Council and will be available for public inspection at the Council's offices in Stevenage. Copies of this report, without map, are being sent to those who received the consultation letter and to those who made comments.

A detailed description of the boundaries of the proposed wards as defined on the map is set out in Schedule 3 to this report.

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Signed

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BOROUGH OF STEVENAGE: NAMES OF PROPOSED WARDS AND NUMBERS OF COUNCILLORS

<u>NAME OF WARD</u>	<u>NO. OF COUNCILLORS</u>
BANDLEY HILL	3
BEDWELL PLASH	3
CHELLS	2
LONGMEADOW	3
MARTINS WOOD	3
MOBBSBURY	3
MONKSWOOD	3
OLD STEVENAGE	3
PIN GREEN	3
ROEBUCK	3
ST NICHOLAS	3
SHEPHALL	3
SYMONDS GREEN	3
WELLFIELD	1

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ELECTIONS BY THIRDS -
ORDER OF RETIREMENT

NAME OF WARD	NO. OF COUNCILLORS REPRESENTING WARD	1ST YEAR	2ND YEAR	3RD YEAR
BANDLEY HILL	3	1	1	1
BEDWELL PLASH	3	1	1	1
CHELLS	2	1	1	-
LONGMEADOW	3	1	1	1
MARTINS WOOD	3	1	1	1
MOBBSBURY	3	1	1	1
MONKSWOOD	3	1	1	1
OLD STEVENAGE	3	1	1	1
PIN GREEN	3	1	1	1
ROEBUCK	3	1	1	1
ST NICHOLAS	3	1	1	1
SHEPHALL	3	1	1	1
SYMONDS GREEN	3	1	1	1
WELLFIELD	1	-	-	1
		13	13	13

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Note: Where the boundary is described as following a road, railway, river, canal or similar feature, it should be deemed to follow the centre line of the feature unless otherwise stated.

WELLFIELD WARD

Commencing at a point where Weston Road meets the northern boundary of the District thence generally southeastwards following said District boundary to the southeast corner of parcel No 0003 on 1:2500 Ordnance Survey Plan TL 26/2726 revision of Sept 1972 thence southwestwards in a straight line to NG ref TL 25979 26887 being the northern end of Wedgewood Way thence southwards along said Way to a point opposite a footpath thence westwards and northwards to and along said footpath adjacent to the southern and western boundaries of Wellfield Wood to a footpath adjacent to the rear of properties on the south side of Beverley Road thence westward along said footpath crossing Pilgrims Way and continuing along said footpath adjacent to the rear of the following properties in Canterbury Way 491, 489, 389, 387, 301, 299, 205, 203, 117, 115 the Play Centre numbers 45 to 31 thence southwards following a footpath adjacent to the western boundaries of numbers 31 to 15 Canterbury Way thence westwards to and along the rear boundary of numbers 13 to 1 Canterbury Way and southwards following the western boundary of the last mentioned property to said Way thence westwards along said Way to a point in prolongation southwards of a footpath adjacent to the rear boundary of number 21 Ripon Road and leading to Weston Road thence northwards along said prolongation and said footpath to Weston Road thence eastwards and northwards along said road to the point of commencement.

ST NICHOLAS WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Wellfield Ward meets the northern boundary of the District thence generally eastwards southwards and westwards following said boundary and continuing along the southern boundary of parcel No 2256 as shown on Ordnance Survey Plan TL 2626 revision of Sept

1972 to a point in prolongation eastwards of Martins Way thence westwards along said prolongation to and along said Way to the roundabout at the latter junction with Canterbury Way thence generally northwards and eastwards along said Way to the southern boundary of Wellfield Ward thence generally eastwards following said southern boundary to the point of commencement.

MARTINS WOOD WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of St Nicholas Ward meets the eastern boundary of the District thence generally southwards and westwards along said boundary to Fairlands Way thence generally westwards along said Way to a point where it meets the prolongation of a footpath to the rear of the properties 79 to 111 Verity Way thence generally northwards southwestwards northwestwards and northeastwards following said prolongation and said footpath adjacent to the western boundaries of Nos 79 and 75 to 111 Verity Way the southern boundaries of Nos 19 to 123 the eastern boundaries of Nos 131 to 139 the southern boundaries of Nos 139 to 155 the western boundaries of Nos 155 to 171 the northern boundaries of Nos 71 to 175 the western boundaries of Nos 181 to 189 the northern boundary of No 189 and the northern boundaries of Nos 225 and 227 all aforementioned properties in Verity Way and in prolongation thereof to said Way thence northwards along said Way to Vardon Road thence generally southwestwards along said Road to Grace Way thence due west in a straight line crossing said Way to the eastern boundary of the cemetery thence northwards along the eastern boundary of said cemetery to the northeastern corner of said cemetery thence due north to the cycle track to the rear of property No 13 Trent Close thence generally northeastwards along said cycle track and subway to Grace Way thence northwards along said Way to the southern boundary of St Nicholas Ward thence generally eastwards following said southern boundary to the point of commencement.

MOBBSBURY WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Martins Wood Ward meets the eastern boundary of the District thence generally southwards following said District boundary to a point National Grid reference TL 26735 24047 being a point where said boundary crosses a track leading generally southwestwards from Tatlers Lane thence due westwards in a straight line crossing parcels Nos 6500 and 5900 as shown on 1:2500 Ordnance Survey Plan TL2624 Edn of 1973 and a playing field to the western boundary of said field thence generally northwards following said boundary to and continuing along the rear boundary of property No 3 Cromwell Road to a footpath leading to Six Hills Way thence northwestwards along said path crossing said Way to and along Chells Way to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 2 said Way thence northeastwards and northwestwards to and along the southern boundary of aforementioned property and rear boundaries of properties Nos 2 to 22 Chells Way and the western boundary of property No 2 Ferrier Road to said Road thence southwestwards along said Road to and northwestwards along Chells Way to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 24 said Way thence eastwards northwards and westwards along the southern rear and northern boundaries of properties Nos 24 to 34 said Way and in prolongation of the latter to Chells Way thence northwestwards along said Way to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 36 Chells Way thence eastwards to and along said southern boundary and generally northwestwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 36 to 122 said Way thence southwestwards following the northern boundary of last mentioned property to said Way thence northwestwards along said Way to a point opposite the southeastern boundary of property No 128 said Way thence northeastwards to and along said boundary and generally northwestwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 128 to 134 said Way thence in a straight line crossing Frobisher Drive to the rear boundary of property No 136 Chells Way thence to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 136 and 138 said Way and northwards to and along the southeastern boundary of property

No 140 said Way to the southern boundary of the property known as Mobbsbury thence eastwards northwards and generally westwards following the southern eastern and northern boundary of said property and continuing along the northern boundary of Cherrytrees and the garage to a point being a prolongation southeastwards of the rear boundaries of properties Nos 196 to 202 Chells Way thence northwestwards to and along said rear boundary and the rear boundaries of properties Nos 204 to 210 said Way and southwestward along the northwestern boundary of last mentioned property to Chells Way thence northwestwards along said Way to Fairlands Way thence generally northwards along said Way to and continuing along the southern boundary of Martins Wood Ward to the point of commencement.

PIN GREEN WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Martins Wood Ward meets the northern boundary of Mobbsbury Ward in Fairlands Way thence generally southwards along said northern boundary and continuing southwards and westwards along said Way to Grace Way thence northwards along said Way to a point in prolongation eastwards of the northern boundary of the property known as Bury Batchelors thence westwards to and along said boundary to the eastern boundary of property No 185 Sish Lane thence northwards along said boundary and continuing along the rear boundary of the garages of the properties on the eastern side of Barclay Crescent and the rear boundaries of properties Nos 22 to 46 said Crescent the eastern boundary of property No 162 Haycroft Road and continuing along the eastern boundaries of properties Nos 131 to 129 Haycroft Road to and along the eastern boundary of the allotment gardens the rear boundaries of properties Nos 97 to 83 Whites Mead Road the eastern boundary of the allotment gardens and the footpath leading to Walkern Road thence eastwards along said Road to Grace Way thence northwards along said Way to the cycle track leading to Walkern Road thence westwards along said cycle track and said Road to a point opposite the eastern boundary of the

cemetery thence northwards to and along said boundary to the southern boundary of Martins Wood Ward thence generally eastwards and southwards following said southern boundary to the point of commencement.

CHELLS WARD

Commencing at a point where the eastern boundary of Pin Green Ward meets the western boundary of Mobbsbury Ward in Fairlands Way thence generally south-eastwards following said western boundary to the southeast boundary of property No 25 Cromwell Road thence continuing along the western boundary of the playing field to a point being the prolongation of the rear boundaries of properties Nos 88 to 46 Marlborough Road thence westwards to and along said rear boundaries to and northwestwards along a footpath adjacent to the western boundary of property No 46 Marlborough Road and rear boundaries of properties Nos 22, 20, 6 and 4 in said Road to Six Hills Way thence southwestwards along said Way to a point being National Grid reference TL 25187 23698 thence generally northwards to and following the centre of the lakes in Fairlands Valley to Campsill Lane thence northwestward along said Lane to the eastern boundary of Pin Green Ward thence northwards following said boundary to the point of commencement.

BEDWELL PLASH WARD

Commencing at a point where the eastern boundary of Pin Green Ward meets the western boundary of Chells Ward thence generally southwards along said western boundary to the junction with Six Hills Way thence generally westwards along said Way to a point opposite a cycle track leading to Ramsdell thence northwards to and along said track to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 55 Ramsdell thence to and along said southern boundary to the southeast corner of said property thence generally northeastwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 55 to 33 Ramsdell thence to and along the rear boundary of property No 31 Ramsdell thence generally northeastwards to

and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 31 to 9 Ramsdell thence to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 7 to 3 Ramsdell thence eastwards northwards and westwards along the southern rear and northern boundaries of property No 1 Ramsdell to Ramsdell thence northwestwards to Bedwell Crescent thence westwards along said Crescent to the junction with Priory Dell thence southwestwards along said Dell to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 70 Bedwell Crescent thence to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 70 to 62 said Crescent thence generally southwards along the eastern boundary of property No 60 in said Crescent thence southeastwards and westwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 1 to 15 Cuttys Lane thence to Homestead Moat thence northwestwards to the junction with Cuttys Lane thence in a westerly direction along said Lane to the junction with Penn Road thence in a southerly direction along said Road to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 17 Cuttys Lane thence westwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 17 to 21 said Lane and the rear and western boundaries of Friends Meeting House to a point in prolongation of the rear boundaries of properties Nos 23 to 39 Cuttys Lane thence southwestwards to and along said boundary and along the rear boundary of the Church of St George (C of E) to St George's Way thence generally northwestward along said Way to Fairlands Way thence westwards along said Way to the junction with Lytton Way thence generally northwards and eastwards along A602 road to London Road (Great North Road) thence northwards along said Road to the junction with Sish Lane thence eastwards to and along said Lane to the prolongation of the western boundary of property No 21 Sish Lane thence northwards to and along said prolongation and the western boundary of said property to the rear boundary of said property thence generally eastwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 21 to 69 Sish Lane thence southwards along the eastern boundary of last mentioned property thence generally eastwards and northeastwards along the southern and eastern boundaries of Fairlands Infants School to a point being the prolongation of

the northern boundary of the property No 7 Sish Close thence eastwards to and along said prolongation the northern boundaries of said property and properties Nos 8 and 17 Sish Close the northern boundary of the garages and the rear boundaries of Nos 111 to 125 Sish Lane thence generally southwards and south-eastwards along the eastern boundary of the last mentioned property thence along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 127 to 133 Sish Lane thence generally eastwards crossing Greydells Road to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 135 to 173 Sish Lane thence crossing Barclay Crescent to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 175 to 185 said Lane to the western boundary of Pin Green Ward thence generally eastwards southwards and eastwards along the western and southern boundaries of said Ward to the point of commencement.

BANDLEY HILL WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Mobbsbury Ward meets the eastern boundary of the District thence generally eastwards southeastwards and southwestwards along said eastern boundary to the junction with Broadwater Lane thence generally southwards southwestwards and northwestwards to and along the eastern rear and western boundaries of the properties situated on the south side of Broadwater Lane and in prolongation of said western boundary to said Lane thence generally southwestwards along said Lane to Broadhall Way thence generally northwestwards along said Way to the junction with Shephall Green thence generally northwards along said Green to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 12 said Green thence eastwards to and along said southern boundary and northwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 12 to 3 Shephall Green thence eastwards northwards and westwards along the southern eastern and northern boundaries of property No 42 Shephall Green to said Shephall Green thence generally northwards along Shephall Green to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 148 Hydean Way thence to and along the southern and eastern boundaries of said

property to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 150 Hydean Way thence generally eastwards to and along said southern boundary and the southern boundaries of Nos 152 to 172 said Way thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of property No 172 said Way to Hydean Way thence generally eastwards along said Way to Wigram Way thence northwards along said Way to a point opposite the northern boundary of property No 175 Hydean Way thence generally eastwards to and along the southern boundaries of properties Nos 2 to 8 Wigram Way thence northwards and westwards along the eastern and northern boundaries of properties Nos 10 to 16 Wigram Way to said Way thence generally northeastwards along said Way to a point opposite the southern boundary of property No 18 Wigram Way thence generally eastwards to and along said southern boundary and northwestwards along the rear of the properties Nos 18 to 48 Wigram Way thence westwards along the northern boundary of last mentioned property to said Way thence generally northwards along said Way to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 39 Beech Drive thence generally eastwards to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 39 to 13 said Drive crossing Unwin Road to the rear boundary of property No 11 Beech Drive thence generally eastwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 11 to 1 said Drive to Shephall Way thence northwards along said Way to and southwestwards along Beech Drive to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 185 said Shephall Way thence generally northwards to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 185 to 199 Shephall Way thence westwards northwestwards and eastwards along the southern western and northern boundaries of properties Nos 201 to 211 said Way thence northwards and eastwards along the eastern and northern boundaries of property No 1 Long Hyde (Path) to Shephall Way, thence generally northwestwards along said Way to a point opposite the eastern boundary of property No 213 said Way thence southwestwards to and along said boundary and generally westwards southwards and northwestwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 213 to 235 Shephall Way thence northeastwards along the northwestern boundary of last mentioned property to said Way thence northwestwards along said Way to a point opposite

the eastern boundary of property No 237 said Way thence southwestwards to and along said boundary and generally northwestwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 237 to 259 Shephall Way to The Paddocks thence generally north-eastwards along The Paddocks to Shephall Way thence northwestwards along said Way to the junction with the southern boundary of Chells Ward in Six Hills Way thence generally northeastwards southwards and eastwards along said southern boundary to the point of commencement.

SHEPHALL WARD

Commencing at a point where the western boundary of Bandley Hill Ward meets the southern boundary of Chells Ward in Six Hills Way thence generally southeastwards and southwards along said western boundary to Broadhall Way thence generally westwards along said Way to a point opposite the eastern boundary of a grass road adjacent to Monk's Wood thence generally northeastwards to and along said eastern boundary and the eastern boundaries of Monk's Wood and Magpie Corner Wood thence northwestwards along the northern boundary of said Wood to a point where said northern boundary meets the eastern boundary of parcel No 0149 as shown on Ordnance Survey Plan TL 24/2523 Edn of 1965 thence northeastwards along said eastern boundary and in prolongation thereof to the southern boundary of Bedwell Plash Ward thence generally eastward along said southern boundary and the southern boundary of Chells Ward to the point of commencement.

LONGMEADOW WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Bandley Hill Ward meets the eastern boundary of the District thence generally northeastwards eastwards southwestwards southeastwards and westwards following the eastern and southern boundaries of the District to a track National Grid reference 25584 21292 thence northeastwards to and along said track to Hertford Road thence in a straight line to the southeast corner of property No 84 Brook Drive thence northwest-

wards and northwards to and along the rear and western boundaries of properties Nos 84 to 24 Brook Drive to a path leading from said Drive to Spring Drive thence northwestwards to and along said path and northwards along the northwestern boundaries of properties Nos 22 and 10 Brook Drive to a path adjacent to the rear boundaries of properties Nos 338 to 320 Broadwater Crescent thence eastwards along said path to Brook Drive thence generally northwards along said Drive to Broadwater Crescent thence generally eastwards along said Crescent to a point being the prolongation of the western boundaries of properties Nos 1 to 15 The Noke thence generally northwards to and along said prolongation and the western boundaries of properties Nos 1 to 13 and 17 to 29 The Noke and continuing to the southwest corner of property No 44 The Noke thence northwards along the western boundary of last mentioned property and the western boundaries of properties Nos 15 to 17 Pepsal End to the southwest corner of property No 19 said End thence northwards to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 19 to 27 said End and the western and northern boundaries of the garages to the eastern boundary of Burydale Junior School thence northwestwards to and along said eastern boundary to Shephall Lane thence westwards along said Lane to Shephall Green Lane thence generally northwards along said Lane to the junction of the southern boundaries of Shephall Ward and Bandle Hill Ward in Broadhall Way thence generally eastwards along the southern boundary of last mentioned Ward to the point of commencement.

ROEBUCK WARD

Commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Shephall Ward meets the western boundary of Longmeadow Ward thence generally southwards along the western boundary of last mentioned Ward to the District boundary thence generally westwards and northwards to and along the southern and western boundaries of the District to a point in prolongation of Broadhall Way thence to and along said prolongation to said Way thence generally northeastwards along said Way to the junction with the southern boundary of Shephall Ward

thence eastwards along said southern boundary to the point of commencement.

MONKSWOOD WARD

Commencing at a point where the western boundary of Shephall Ward meets the southern boundary of Bedwell Plash Ward thence generally southwestwards along said western boundary to and generally southwestwards along the northern boundary of Roebuck Ward to the District boundary thence generally northwestwards to and along said boundary to the northeast corner of High Broomin Wood thence northeastwards in a straight line to the northwest corner of parcel No 1500 as shown on 1:2500 Ordnance Survey Plan TL 2224 Rev of April 1974 thence generally northeastwards to and along the northern boundaries of parcels Nos 1500 and 3200 on said Ordnance Survey Plan thence generally southwards and eastwards along the eastern boundary of last mentioned parcel to the corner of said parcel National Grid reference TL 22412 24076 thence in a straight line crossing the A1 and Gunnels Wood Road to Fairlands Way thence generally eastwards along said Way to the western boundary of Bedwell Plash Ward thence generally eastwards southwards and southeastwards along the western and southern boundary of said Ward to the point of commencement.

SYMONDS GREEN WARD

Commencing at a point where the northern boundary of Monkswood Ward meets the western boundary of the District thence generally northeastwards following said District boundary to Stevenage Road thence southeastwards along said Road to and crossing A1(M) roundabout in a straight line to Hitchin Road thence generally southeastwards to and along said Road to a point opposite property No 25 said Road thence southwestwards to and along the northern boundary of said property and generally southeastwards to and along

the rear of properties

Nos 25 to 1 Hitchin Road to Julian's Road thence eastwards along said Road to a point opposite property No 2 High Street (Great North Road) thence to and along the northern and rear boundaries of said property to a footpath adjacent to the northern boundary of property No 4 High Street thence south-

westwards to and along said footpath to the rear boundary of property No 10 Orchard Road thence generally southeastwards to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 10 to 2 said Road and southwards along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 26 to 30 High Street (Great North Road) to Orchard Road thence generally westwards along said Road to a point opposite the western boundary of the Town Hall thence southwards eastwards and southwards to and along said western boundary and the rear boundaries of properties Nos 32 to 58 High Street (Great North Road) to Bridge Road thence generally eastwards along said Road to a point opposite the eastern boundary of property No 35 said Road thence generally southwards along said eastern and rear boundary and the rear boundaries of properties Nos 83 to 147 Fairview Road to Brickkiln Road thence westwards along said Road to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 149 Fairview Road thence generally southeastwards to and along the rear boundaries of properties Nos 149 to 173 said Road to Chequers Bridge Road thence westwards along said Road to a point opposite the rear boundary of property No 185 Fairview Road thence southwards along the rear boundaries of properties 185 to 221 said Road thence to and along a prolongation of said rear boundaries crossing a cycle track to the northern boundary of Monkswood Ward in Fairlands Way thence generally westwards to and along said northern boundary to the point of commencement.

OLD STEVENAGE WARD

Commencing at a point where the western boundary of Wellfield Ward meets the northern boundary of the District thence generally southwards to and along said western boundary and the western boundaries of St Nicholas Ward Martins Wood Ward and Pin Green Ward to the northern boundary of Bedwell Plash Ward thence generally westwards and southwards along the northern and western boundaries of said Ward to the northern boundary of Monkswood Ward thence generally westwards along said northern boundary to the eastern boundary of Symonds Green Ward thence generally northwards along said eastern boundary to the northern boundary of the District thence generally eastwards following said District boundary to the point of commencement.