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**This letter constitutes formal advice from the Plymouth Local Access Forum. Plymouth City Council is required, in accordance with section 94(5) of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000, to have regard to relevant advice from this forum in carrying out its functions.**

When calling or telephoning please ask for: **Mr Ross Johnston**

Dear Mr Pearce,

At the recent meeting of the Local Access Forum on 2 September 2013 the issue of the Jennycliff section of the South West Coast Path was discussed.

During this discussion the deterioration of the steps at Jennycliff was mentioned and the Forum noted that one of the steps leading down to the path was broken and in urgent need of repair. The Forum agreed that a broken step on this popular section of the South West Coast Path was dangerous to users and request that urgent attention is given to repairing this step.

Further to this it was mentioned that large sections of the footpath around Jennycliff were suffering from overgrown hedgerows and the path would benefit from some clearance.

The Forum therefore requests that the overgrown hedgerows are cleared and the broken step is urgently repaired with an update on these requests provided at the Forum's next meeting on 16 December 2013.

Yours Sincerely,

Ray Fairchild,  
Vice-Chair of the Plymouth Local Access Forum