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DRIVERS

Thousands use bus zone despite cameras

Thousands of drivers have continued to use a bus zone in West Bromwich town centre despite cameras having gone up.

Those who flout the laws by driving through the section on New Street will now start receiving fines. The zone runs past Sandwell College's Central Sixth Form campus, off High Street.

Almost 7,000 motorists have escaped a penalty after they were caught during a two-week grace period.

Fines could be as much as £90.

Cameras have been switched on in an attempt to stop people from driving through the zone, which can only be used by buses, Hackney carriage taxis and cyclists. The council says it's a last resort.

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