HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

Date of Order: 9 April 2010 Order No: 7462

THE HERTFORDSHIRE (WATERHOUSE STREET, HEMEL HEMPSTEAD) (PROHIBITION OF STOPPING AND WAITING EXCEPT TAXIS) ORDER 2010

The Hertfordshire County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (which said Act of 1984 is hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1984"), and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act of 1984, hereby make the following Order:-

- 1. This Order may be cited as "The Hertfordshire (Waterhouse Street, Hemel Hempstead) (Prohibition of Stopping and Waiting except Taxis) Order 2010" and shall come into operation on Monday 26 April 2010.
- 2. Save as provided in Article 3 of this Order no person shall cause or permit any vehicle except a Taxi to stop or wait at any time in those lengths of Waterhouse Street, Hemel Hempstead specified in the Schedule to this Order.
 - In this Order 'taxi' has the same meaning as given in Regulation 4 of The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002. SI 3113
- 3(1) Nothing in Article 2 of this Order applies to the lengths of road restricted by that Article (which said lengths of road are referred to in this Article as "the restricted area") in relation to
 - (a) a vehicle being used for Fire and Rescue, Ambulance or Police purposes.
 - (b) anything done with the permission of or at the direction of -
 - (i) a police officer in uniform;
 - (ii) a Civil Enforcement Officer as defined by the Traffic Management Act 2004 and appointed by Dacorum Borough Council.
 - (c) a vehicle which is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the drivers control or which has stopped in order to avoid injury or damage to persons or property or when required to do so by law;
 - (d) a vehicle which is stationary in order that it may be used for one or more of the purposes specified in sub-Article (2) of this Article and which cannot reasonably be used for such a purpose without stopping in the restricted area;
 - (e) a marked vehicle which, whilst used by a universal service provider in the course of the provision of a universal postal service, is stationary only for so long as may be reasonably necessary for postal packets to be delivered or collected;

In this Article -

The expressions "universal service provider", "provision of a universal postal Service" and "postal packet" shall bear the same meanings as in the Postal Services Act 2000.

- (2) The "purposes" referred to in sub-Article (1)(d) of this Article are -
 - (a) any operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (b) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (c) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road;
 - (d) constructing, improving, maintaining, or cleaning of any street furniture; or

- (e) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning of any sewer or of any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any telecommunications apparatus kept or installed for the purposes of a telecommunications code system or of any other telecommunications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position.
- 4. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 5. The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any other regulations made or having effect as if made under the Act of 1984 or by or under any other enactment.

SCHEDULE

<u>lengths of Waterhouse Street, Hemel Hempstead –</u> <u>prohibition of stopping or waiting at anytime except Taxis</u>

Waterhouse Street (north east side)

from a point 4.5 metres south east of a point in line with the projected south east kerbline of the access road leading to Riverside south eastwards for approximately 47 metres to a point 5 metres north of a point in line with the projected north kerbline of the access

road leading to Lord Alexander House.

(west side)

from a point in line with the projected south kerbline of the access road leading to Lord Alexander House southwards for 12 metres.

IN WITNESS whereof the Common Seal of the Hertfordshire County Council was hereunto affixed this 9th day of April 2010.

The Common Seal of Hertfordshire County Council was hereunto affixed in the presence of:-

Kathryn Pettitt

Chief Legal Officer

