THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DURHAM (RAINTON GATE AND PITTINGTON) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 2008

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

Part I

General

 This Order may be cited as The County Council of Durham (Rainton Gate and Pittington) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 2008 and shall come into operation on 25 January 2008.

Interpretation

2. (1) In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:-

"Universal service provider" has the same meaning as in the Postal Services Act 2000:

"disabled person's badge has the same meaning as in the Disabled Person's (Badge's for Motor Vehicles) (England) Regulations 2000 (as amended);

"parking disc" means a device which:

- (a) is 125 millimetres square coloured blue, if issued on or after 1 April 2000, or orange if issued before that date
- (b) has been issued by a local authority and has not ceased to be valid and
- (c) is capable of showing the quarter hour during which a period of waiting began;

"Enforcement Officer" means a uniformed police officer, police community support officer or any subsequent designation of these officers.

(2) For the purposes of this Order a vehicle shall be regarded as displaying -

- (a) A disabled person's badge in the relevant position if -
 - (i) the badge is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle:

or

(ii) where the vehicle is not fitted with a dashboard or fascia, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle:

so that the front of the badge is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle.

- (b) A parking disc in the relevant position if -
 - (i) the disc is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle:

or

(ii) where the vehicle does not have a dashboard or fascia, the disc is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle

so that when marked to show the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting began, that period is clearly legible from outside of the vehicle.

Part II

Revocation

3. Orders listed in Schedule 1 to this Order are hereby revoked.

Part III

Prohibition of Waiting At Any Time

4. Save as provided in Article 5 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of an enforcement officer, cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time in or on the lengths of roads or sides of lengths of roads specified in Schedule 2 of this Order.

Part IV

Exceptions

5. (1) Nothing in Articles 4 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait in the lengths of roads or sides of lengths of roads referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:-

- (a) the picking up or setting down of passengers;
- (b) goods to be loaded on to or to be unloaded from the vehicle
- (c) the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any of the following operations namely
 - (i) building or demolition;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said roads:
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or maintenance in or in land adjacent to the said lengths of roads of any sewer, main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or any telecommunications apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;
- (d) the vehicle if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road to be used in the service of a local authority or water authority in pursuance of statutory duties;
- (e) the vehicle to be used for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets in the service of a universal service provider.
- (2) Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall apply to any vehicle being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes.
- (3) Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall apply to any official vehicle being used in connection with weddings or funerals.
- (4) Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a vehicle which displays in the relevant position a disabled person's badge and parking disc (on which the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle, has marked the quarter hour period during which the period of waiting began) to wait in any of the lengths of road or the sides of road referred to in Schedule 2 of this order for a period not exceeding three hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than one hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle in the same length of road on the same day).

PART V

Saving

6. In so far as any provision of this Order conflicts with any provision which is contained in an Order made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment then the provisions of THIS Order shall prevail.

7. The prohibitions and restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulations made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment.

Schedule 1

Revocations

- 1. The County Council of Durham (Hallgarth Lane and Manor View Pittington) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 2002.
- The County of Durham (Moor House Lay-By, Rainton Gate) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 1992

Schedule 2

No Waiting at Any Time

Item No	Location		Description	Side Of Road	Restriction
1.	Rainton Gate	Moor House Lay-By, Rainton Gate Service Road	To a point 128.3m South West, and 78.5m North East of the centre line with the Unc. Road leading to Moor House Farm.	Both	No Waiting At Any Time
2.	Rainton Gate	Unc Road leading from Moor House Lay-By Rainton Gate Service Road to A690 (North end)	From the centre line of Unc Moor House Lay-By for a distance of 21.7m in a South Eastwards direction.	Both	No Waiting At Any Time
3.	Pittington	Unc 20.16 Hallgarth Lane	To a point 14.2m in a South Westwards direction and 24.1m in a North Eastwards direction from the centre line of Unc. Manor View.	South East	No Waiting At Any Time

Item No	Location		Description	Side Of Road	Restriction
4.	Pittington	Unc Manor View	From its junction with Unc 20.16 Hallgarth Lane (Back of Highway) for a distance of 7.3m in a South Eastwards direction.	Both	No Waiting At Any Time

Given under the Common Seal of the Council this day of 24 January 2008.

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