

The Essex County Council (Gunson Gate, Chelmsford) (Temporary Bus Lane Restrictions) Order 2007

WHEREAS the Essex County Council (hereinafter referred to as 'the Council') being the traffic authority for Gunson Gate, Chelmsford as described in the Schedule to this Order (hereinafter referred to as 'the said length of road') are satisfied that traffic in the length of road detailed in the schedule should be restricted by reason of public safety.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council in exercise of its powers under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and all other enabling powers hereby make the following Order:-

1. In this Order:
 - "bus" means
 - (i) Motor vehicles constructed or adapted to carry more than 8 passengers (exclusive of the driver), and
 - (ii) local buses not so constructed or adapted.
 - "local bus" has the same meaning as in the Traffic Sign Regulations & General Directions 2002 .
 - "motor vehicle" has the same meaning as in s.136 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.
 - "pedal cycle" has the same meaning as in the Traffic Sign Regulations & General Directions 2002 .
 - "taxi" means a vehicle licensed under s.37 of the Town & Police Clauses Act 1847.

2. Save as provided in Article 3 & 4 of this Order, no person shall cause any motor vehicle to be in the length of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

3. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall apply so as to prevent any person from causing any motor vehicle to be in the length of road specified in the Schedule if the vehicle is a bus, a taxi or a pedal cycle.

4. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order shall apply so as to prevent any person from causing any motor vehicle to proceed in the lengths of road specified in that Article if the vehicle:-
 - (a) Is being used for fire brigade, police or ambulance purposes;
 - (b) Is being used in connection with any of the following operations, namely:-
 - (i) The removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (ii) The maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of those lengths of road;
 - (iii) The laying, erecting, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to those lengths of road, of any sewer, or any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of water, gas or electricity, or any telegraphic line; or
 - (c) Is being used in the service of or contracted to a local authority or water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.

5. This Order shall come into operation on 14 September 2007 and may be cited as the Essex County Council (Gunson Gate, Chelmsford) (Temporary Bus Lane Restrictions) Order 2007.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Essex County council this Thirteenth day of September Two Thousand and Seven.

THE COMMON SEAL of the)
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL was)
hereunto affixed in the presence of:-)

Attesting Officer

SCHEDULE

Gunson Gate, Chelmsford From its junction with Gloucester Avenue for a distance of 40 metres in northerly direction.