

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

THE COUNTY OF HEREFORD AND WORCESTER

(ST. PETER'S SQUARE AND UNION STREET, HEREFORD)

(PROHIBITION OF DRIVING) ORDER 1988

410.05/223

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

1. The City of Hereford (St. Peter's Square) (One-Way Traffic and Restriction of Driving) Order 1967 is hereby revoked.
2. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed or wait in that length of the eastern arms of St. Peter's Square and Union Street in the City of Hereford in the County of Hereford and Worcester which extends from the junction with St. Owen Street for a distance of 50 metres (164 feet) in a northerly direction.
3. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a public service vehicle to enter, proceed or wait in the lengths of roads referred to in that Article for so long as may be necessary.
4. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit the following vehicles to proceed along the lengths of roads referred to in that Article:-
  - (a) a vehicle being used for police, ambulance or fire brigade purposes.
  - (b) a vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
  - (c) any road cleansing vehicle;
  - (d) a vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any building operation or demolition, the removal of any obstruction to traffic, the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the lengths of roads referred to, or the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or near the said lengths of roads of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any telecommunications apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984; and
  - (e) a vehicle requiring access to land or premises adjoining the said lengths of roads to which there is not a satisfactory alternative access.

5. "Public Service Vehicle" means a vehicle of one of the following types:-

- (i) "scheduled express carriage" being an express carriage, as defined in Section 2 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 operated in accordance with a Timetable attached as a condition to a road service licence granted under Section 31 of the said Act of 1981, or in accordance with a timetable attached to an authorisation issued under Council Regulation (EEC) Nos. 516/72 or 517/72, both dated 28th February 1972;
- (ii) "school bus" being a vehicle constructed or adapted to carry 12 or more passengers and being used to carry passengers to or from schools as defined in the Education Act 1944;
- (iii) "stage carriage" which had the same meaning as in Section 2 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981;
- (iv) "works bus" being a vehicle constructed or adapted to carry 12 or more passengers and being used to carry persons to or from their place of employment and owned or provided by the employer.

6. This Order shall come into operation on the 23rd day of April 1988 and may be cited as The County of Hereford and Worcester (St. Peter's Square and Union Street, Hereford) (Prohibition of Driving) Order 1988.

Dated this 14th day of April 1988

The Common Seal of Hereford and Worcester County Council was hereunto affixed in the presence of:-

  
DEPUTY County Secretary and Solicitor

