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ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

THE COUNTY OF HEREFORD AND WORCESTER

**(BELLE ORCHARD AND BELLE ORCHARD CLOSE, LEDBURY)**

**(PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTION OF WAITING) ORDER 1989**

Hereford and Worcester County Council in exercise of their powers under Section 1(1) and (2), 2(1) to (3) and 4(2) of 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. Save as provided in Articles 5(a) to (g) and 6 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police officer in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on the sides of lengths of roads in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester specified in the First Schedule to this Order.
2. Save as provided in Articles 5(b), (g), (i) and 6 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police officer in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on the sides of lengths of roads in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
3. Save as provided in Articles 5(b), (g), (h) and 6 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police officer in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on the side of length of road in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester specified in the Third Schedule to this Order.
4. Save as provided in Articles 5(a) to (g) and 7 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police officer in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle to wait between the hours of 8.00 am and 6.00 pm on any day on the side of length of road in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester specified in the Fourth Schedule to this Order:-
  - (a) for a period exceeding 45 minutes;
  - (b) if a period of less than one hour has elapsed since the termination during the said hours of the last period of waiting (if any) by that vehicle on the side of length of road.

5. Nothing in Articles 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the sides of lengths of roads referred to in those Articles for so long as may be necessary:-
- (a) to enable a person to board or alight from the vehicle (applies to sides of lengths of roads specified in the First and Fourth Schedules);
  - (b) to enable goods to be loaded onto and/or unloaded from the vehicle;
  - (c) to enable the 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 sides of lengths of roads referred to, or the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or near the said sides of 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 (applies to sides of lengths of roads specified in the First and Fourth Schedules);
  - (d) to enable the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purposes in any other road, to be used in pursuance of statutory powers or duties (applies to sides of lengths of roads specified in the First and Fourth Schedules);
  - (e) for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets as defined in Section 87 of the Post Office Act 1953 (applies to sides of lengths of roads specified in the First and Fourth Schedules);
  - (f) for the purpose of removing furniture and effects from one office or dwellinghouse to another, or to such premises from a depository or from such premises to a depository, provided notice is given twenty-four hours in advance to the police, their consent is obtained and such reasonable conditions as they may impose are complied with (applies to sides of lengths of roads specified in the First and Fourth Schedules);
  - (g) for fire brigade, police or ambulance purposes.
  - (h) the vehicle, if it is displaying a badge issued by the British Medical Association, to be used by a registered medical practitioner in the course of his professional duties (applies to side of length of road specified in the Third Schedule);
  - (i) for ambulances to wait on the side of length of road specified in the Second Schedule.

6. Nothing in Articles 1, 2 and 3 shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a disabled person's vehicle which displays in the relevant position a disabled person's badge, and a parking disc (on which the driver, or other person in charge of the vehicle, has marked the time at which the period of waiting began) to wait in the sides of lengths of roads referred to in those Articles for a period not exceeding two hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than one hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle on the same sides of lengths of roads on the same day).
7. The restriction imposed by Article 4 of this Order shall not apply to a disabled person's vehicle left by the driver thereof being a vehicle which displays in accordance with the Local Authorities Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England and Wales) Regulations 1986, a badge issued under the Disabled Persons' (Badges for Motor Vehicles) Regulations 1975, in pursuance of a scheme under Section 21 of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act 1970.

8. (1) In this Order:-

"disabled person's badge" has the same meaning as in The Disabled Persons' (Badges for Motor Vehicles) Regulations 1975;

"disabled person's vehicle" has the same meaning as in The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England and Wales) Regulations 1986;

"parking disc" means a disc, issued by a local authority, complying with the requirements of the British Standard Specification for Parking Discs (BS No. 4631 : 1970) but coloured orange, and capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting begins.

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

(a) a disabled person's badge in the relevant position, when -

(i) in the case of a vehicle fitted with a front windscreen, the badge is exhibited thereon with the obverse side facing forwards on the near side of and immediately behind the windscreen; and

(ii) in the case of a vehicle not fitted with a front windscreen, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the front or near side of the vehicle;

(b) a parking disc in the relevant position, when the disc is exhibited thereon with the side which shows the time facing forwards or outwards and immediately behind the windscreen or side window nearest to the kerb.

9. The restrictions, prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order are in addition to and not in derogation of any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any other enactment and any exception or exemption to the provisions of this Order is without prejudice to the provisions of any other enactment.
10. This Order shall come into operation on the 4th February 1989 and may be cited as The County of Hereford and Worcester (Belle Orchard and Belle Orchard Close, Ledbury) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting) Order 1989.

Dated this 26th day of January 1989

The Common Seal of Hereford and        )  
Worcester County Council was affixed)  
hereto in the presence of:            )

L.S.

County Secretary and Solicitor

(Signed) J.W. RENNEY

NWAAT.

**FIRST SCHEDULE**

Sides of lengths of roads in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester:-

1. Belle Orchard (north side) From its junction with The Homend for a distance of 45 metres (148 feet) in a westerly direction.
2. Belle Orchard (south side)
  - (a) From its junction with The Homend for a distance of 5 metres (16 feet) in a westerly direction;
  - (b) from a point 45.5 metres (149 feet) west of its junction with The Homend for a distance of 12.5 metres (41 feet) in a westerly direction.
3. Belle Orchard Close (east side) From its junction with Belle Orchard for a distance of 45 metres (148 feet) in a southerly direction.

**SECOND SCHEDULE**

NWAAT

*with exemption for ambulances*

Side of length of road in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester:-

Belle Orchard (south side) From a point 5 metres (16 feet) west of its junction with The Homend for a distance of 13.5 metres (44 feet) in a westerly direction.

**THIRD SCHEDULE**

NWAAT

*with exemption for doctors*

Sides of length of road in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester:-

Belle Orchard (south-west side) From a point 33.5 metres (110 feet) west of its junction with The Homend for a distance of 12 metres (39 feet) in a north-westerly direction.

**FOURTH SCHEDULE**

*NW. ANY DAY 8am-6pm  
45 min wait (1 hour no return)*

Side of length of road in the Town of Ledbury in the District of Malvern Hills in the County of Hereford and Worcester:-

Belle Orchard (south side) From a point 18.5 metres (60 feet) west of its junction with The Homend for a distance of 15 metres (49 feet) in a westerly direction.