

**NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL CASTELL-NEDD PORT TALBOT**

**(HILL STREET, RITSON STREET, REGENT STREET EAST AND NEATH ROAD,  
BRITON FERRY, NEATH)**

**(PROHIBITION OF WAITING) (LIMITED WAITING) AND (REVOCATION)**

**ORDER 1998**

The Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 1, 2, 32 and 45 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as "The Act of 1984") and of all other powers them enabling 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 shall come into operation on the 2nd day of November 1998 and may be cited as the Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (Hill Street, Ritson Street, Regent Street East, and Neath Road, Briton Ferry, Neath) (Prohibition of Waiting) (Limited Waiting) and (Revocation) Order 1998.

2. (1) In this Order:-

"Public Service Vehicle" shall have the same meaning as in Section 1 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 and "Local Service" shall have the same meaning as in Section 1 of the Transport Act 1985.

"Disabled Persons Vehicle" has the same meaning as in the Local Authorities 'Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England and Wales) Regulations 1986.

"Disabled Persons Badge" has the same meaning as in the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) Regulations 1982 as amended by the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Amendment) Regulations 1991.

"Parking Disc" means a disc issued by a Local Authority complying with the requirements of the British Standard Specification for Parking Discs (B.S. 4631-1970) coloured orange and capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting begins.

"Residents Parking Place Permit" (hereinafter referred to as "a Residents Permit") means a Permit issued by the Council for a period of up to twelve months to a person who has satisfied the Council as being entitled to the issue of a Residents Permit in accordance with the Council's police as may be determined from time to time.

"Relevant Position" has the same meaning as in the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) Regulations 1982 as amended by the Local Authorities Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 1991.

(2) Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered Article or Schedule is a reference to the Article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

- (3) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
3. The Order set out in Schedule 1 to this Order is hereby revoked insofar as it relates to the sides and lengths of roads specified in Schedules 2 and 3 of this Order.
  4. Save as provided in Articles 6, 7, 8 and 10 of this Order, no person except at the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Traffic Warden shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on the sides and lengths of roads set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.
  5. Save as provided in Articles 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 of this Order, no person except at the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Traffic Warden shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait for more than 1 hour or to return within 2 hours to the same side and length of road on which that period of waiting occurred between the hours of 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. on any day except Sunday on the sides and lengths of roads as set out in Schedule 3 to this Order.
  6. Nothing in Article 4 of this Order 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 on the side and length of the road referred to in the Article for a period not exceeding 3 hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than 1 hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle on the same side and length of road).
  7. Nothing in Articles 4 and 5 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the sides and lengths of roads specified therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:-
    - (A) A person to board or alight from a vehicle;
    - (B) 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, industrial or demolition operations;
      - (ii) The removal of any obstruction to traffic;
      - (iii) The laying, erection, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to the said side and length of road of any sewer or of any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984.
    - (C) 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 a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
    - (D) The vehicle to be used for the purpose of deliveries or collecting postal packets as defined in Section 87 of the Post Office Act 1953;
    - (E) Public Service Vehicles operating a local service when waiting at an authorised bus stop to set down or pick up passengers, or to school buses.

8. Nothing in Articles 4 or 5 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the sides and lengths of roads specified therein for so long as may be necessary to enable goods to be loaded or unloaded from the vehicle.
9. Nothing in Article 5 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a disabled person's vehicle which displays in the relevant position a disabled persons badge to wait on the side and length of road referred to in the said Article.
10. The prohibitions imposed by Articles 4 and 5 of this Order shall not apply to Police, Fire, Ambulance or other Emergency Service vehicles or to Local Authority vehicles when in pursuance of statutory duties or powers.
11. The prohibition imposed by Article 5 of this Order shall not apply to the holder of a residents permit.

### **Permits**

- (i) The Council may at any time require an applicant for a Permit or the holder of a Permit to produce to an Officer of the Council such evidence in respect of an application for a Permit made to them as they may reasonably require to verify any particulars or information given to them or in respect of any Permit issued by them as they may reasonably require to verify that the Permit is valid;
- (ii) On receipt of an application for a Permit the Council upon being satisfied that:-
  - (a) the applicant is a person who resides in a road referred to in Schedule 3 to this Order or is a person who falls within the categories of persons eligible for the granting of a Permit as may be determined from time to time by the Council;
  - (b) the application is made in respect of an eligible vehicle as defined in paragraph (iii) of this Article;shall issue to the applicant a Permit in respect of that vehicle, subject to no more than two Permits being issued in respect of any particular residence.
- (iii) For the purposes of this Article "eligible vehicle" means:-
  - (a) a passenger vehicle which is a motor vehicle constructed solely for the carriage of passengers and their effects and adapted to carry not more than twelve passengers exclusive of the driver and not drawing a trailer;
  - (b) a goods vehicle the weight of which does not exceed 30 cwt. unladen;
  - (c) solo motor cycle or moped.
- (iv) (a) No person shall be entitled to hold a Permit for more than one vehicle at any one time;

- (b) The Permit shall be valid only for the vehicle in respect of which it is issued and no permit holder shall cause or permit any Permit issued to him by the Council to be displayed on any vehicle bearing a different registration number to that contained on that Permit.
- (v) A permit holder may surrender a Permit to the Council at any time and shall surrender it to the Council on the occurrence of any one of the following events:-
  - (a) the permit holder ceasing to be a resident in the street for which the Permit was issued;
  - (b) save as provided in paragraph (viii)(a) of this Article the permit holder ceasing to be the owner of the vehicle in respect of which the Permit was issued.
  - (c) the vehicle in respect of which the Permit was issued being adapted or used or used in such a manner that it ceases to be an eligible vehicle as defined in paragraph (iii) of this Article;
  - (d) the issue by the Council of a duplicate Permit;
  - (e) the expiry of the Permit pursuant to paragraph (vi) of this Article;
  - (f) the withdrawal of the Permit by the Council.
- (vi) A Permit shall cease to be valid at the expiration of the date stated thereon or on the occurrence of any of the events set out in paragraph (v) of this Article whichever is the earlier.
- (vii) The Council may by notice in writing served on a permit holder by sending the same by recorded delivery service to the permit holder at the address shown by that person on the application for the Permit or at any other address believed to be that person's abode withdraw a Permit if it appears to the Council that any of the events set out in paragraph (v) of this article has occurred and the Permit Holder shall surrender the Permit to the Council within forty eight hours of the receipt of the aforementioned notice.
- (viii) A Permit shall be in writing and shall include the following particulars:-
  - (a) the registration mark of the vehicle in respect of which the Permit was issued except when such Permit is issued to a resident whose vehicle is owned by a bona fide motor trader and which vehicle does not exceed 30 cwt. unladen weight in such cases the registration mark will be replaced with the words "MOTOR TRADER";
  - (b) the expiry date of the Permit pursuant to paragraph (vi) of this Article;
  - (c) an indication that the Permit was issued by the Council;
  - (d) the name of the street in which the applicant resides.

## CHARGES

- (i) The issue of a residents permit, shall be subject to the successful applicant for a permit paying a charge of £10.00 to the Council for the issue and use of the permit, such payment to be paid to the Council prior to the issue of the permit.
- (ii) In the event that a permit holder requires a duplicate permit to replace a permit which has been lost or destroyed, the issue of such a permit shall be subject to a fee of £5.00 being paid to the Council prior to the issue of the duplicate permit.

## SCHEDULES

### SCHEDULE 1 - REVOCATION

#### VARIOUS STREETS, BRITON FERRY

#### (REVOCATION, PROHIBITION OF WAITING, LOADING AND UNLOADING) ORDER 1984

##### 1. Second Schedule

###### No Waiting at any Time

Neath Road (Briton Ferry) (west side)

##### 2. Fourth Schedule

###### Limited Waiting 1 Hour Monday to Saturday 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. (No Return Within 1 Hour)

###### Neath Road (West Side)

- (i) From a point 25m north of the northern kerb line of Hill Street for a distance of 27m in a northerly direction.
- (ii) From a point 10m north of the northern kerb line of Ritson Street for a distance of 85m in a northerly direction.

### Schedule 2

#### Prohibition of Waiting at any Time

##### 1. Hill Street (North Side)

From its junction with Neath Road a distance of 4m in a westerly direction.

##### 2. Ritson Street (South Side)

- (i) From its junction with Neath Road a distance of 3m in a westerly direction.

###### North Side

- (ii) From its junction with Neath Road a distance of 12m in a westerly direction.

3. Regent Street East (South Side)

From its junction with Neath Road a distance of 14m in a westerly direction.

4. Neath Road (West Side)

- (i) From its junction with Hill Street a distance of 15m in a southerly direction.
- (ii) From its junction with Hill Street for a distance of 13m in a northerly direction.
- (iii) From its junction with Ritson Street a distance of 37m in a southerly direction.
- (iv) From its junction with Ritson Street a distance of 18m in a northerly direction.
- (v) From its junction with Regent Street East a distance of 35m in a southerly direction.

**Schedule 3 Monday to Saturday 8.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.**

**Waiting Limited to 1 Hour Return Prohibited Within 2 Hours Residents Exempt**

1. Neath Road (West Side)

- (i) Between points 13m and 50m North of its junction with Hill Street.
- (ii) Between points 18m and 100m North of its junction with Ritson Street.

THE COMMON SEAL of THE  
COUNCIL was hereunto  
affixed on the 29th  
day of October 1998  
in the presence of:-

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