The West Glamorgan County Council in exercise of their powers under Section 1(1), (2), (3), (3B) and (6) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1967, as amended by Part IX of the Transport Act 1968, Schedule 19 to the Local Government Act 1972, and Schedule 6 of the Road Traffic Act 1974 (which said Act of 1967 as so amended is hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1967") and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Section 84C (1) of the Act of 1967, hereby make the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on the 22nd day of August 1977 and may be cited as "The West Glamorgan County Council (New Road, Skewen) (Bus Stops Clearway) Order 1977.

2. (1) In this Order:-

"Prohibited area" in relation to a specified road means all that area of a specified road which is comprised within and indicated by a road marking complying with either:-

(a) diagram 1025.1 shown in Department of the Environment drawing numbered WM 1025.1, or

(b) diagram 1025.3 shown in Department of the Environment drawing numbered WM 1025.3

and authorised for the purpose by the Secretary of State under Section 54 of the Act of 1967;

"scheduled express carriage" means an express carriage as defined in section 117 of the Road Traffic Act 1960(c) as amended by the Public Service Vehicles (Definition of Express Carriage) Regulations 1971(d), operated in accordance with a timetable attached as a condition to a road service licence issued under Section 134 of the said Act of 1960, or to a permit granted under Section 30 of the Transport Act 1968 in lieu of such licence;

"specified road" shall mean any road or any length of road in the County of West Glamorgan specified in the Schedule to this Order on which a service of stage carriages or scheduled express carriages is run;

"stage carriage" has the same meaning as in Section 117 of the Road Traffic Act 1960.

"specified hours", in relation to a prohibited area, means the hours between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on any day;

(2) The Interpretation Act 1869 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
3. The Trunk Road (New Road, Skewen; Neath Abbey Road, Neath and Cadoxton Road, Neath) (Bus Stops) (Clearway) Order, 1974 is hereby amended in so far as Article 4 of this Order refers.

4. Save as provided in Article 5 of this Order, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle, other than a stage carriage or a scheduled express carriage, to wait during the specified hours in any prohibited area in any specified road detailed in the Schedule to this Order.

5. Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall render it unlawful for a person to cause or permit a vehicle to wait in a prohibited area:

   (a) if the vehicle is being used for the removal of any obstruction to traffic; or

   (b) if the vehicle is being used in the service of a Council or with the permission of a Council in exercise of statutory powers or duties and whilst being so used in such service it is necessary for the vehicle to wait in that prohibited area; or

   (c) in any case where the person in control of the vehicle is required by law to stop, or is obliged to do so in order to avoid an accident, or is prevented from proceeding by circumstances outside his control; or

   (d) if the vehicle is being used for police, fire brigade or ambulance purposes.

6. The West Glamorgan County Council is satisfied that, for facilitating the passage of vehicular traffic on the specified roads, it is requisite that Section 1 (5) of the Act of 1967 should not apply in relation to this Order.

   SCHEDULE

   Specified Road

   (1) The north side of New Road, Skewen opposite the Colliers Arms Public House for a length of 38.50 metres on the western end of the lay-by.

   (2) The south side of New Road, Skewen, outside the Colliers Arms Public House, for a length of 28.50 metres from the western end of the lay-by.

   The COMMON SEAL of the WEST GLAMORGAN COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto affixed on the 6 day of July, 1977.

   [Signature]

   Deputy County Clerk.