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

(THE PARADE, NEATH)

(LIMITED WAITING) AND (NO STOPPING EXCEPT TAXIS)

ORDER 2007

The Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1 and 2 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as “the Act of 1984”) and of all other powers it enabling and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act of 1984 hereby makes the following Order:-

1. The Order shall come into operation on the 24th day of December 2007 and may be cited as the “Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (The Parade, Neath) (Limited Waiting) and (No Stopping except Taxis) Order 2007”

2. (1) In this Order –

   “Disabled Person’s Vehicle” has the same meaning as in The Local Authorities’ Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (Wales) Regulations 2000;

   “Disabled Person’s Badge” has the same meaning as in The Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Wales) Regulations 2000;

   “Parking Disc” means a parking disc issued by a Local Authority, capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting begins;

   “Relevant Position” has the same meaning as in The Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Wales) Regulations 2000;

   “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;

   “Taxi” shall mean a licensed hackney carriage;

   “Universal Providers” means those operators of postal services who are licensed to provide all or part of a Universal Postal Service under the provisions contained in the Postal Services Act 2000.

   (2) Except where otherwise stated, 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 for the Interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
3. The Orders set out in Schedule 1 of this Order are hereby revoked in so far as they relate to the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedules 2 to 4 of this Order.

4. Save as provided in Articles 6, 7 and 9 of this Order, no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait for more than 1 hour or to return within 2 hours to the same length or side of road on which that period of waiting began between the hours of 8.00am and 6.00pm on the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedule 2 of this Order.

5(1). Save as provided in Articles 5(2), 7 and 8 of this Order, no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause any vehicle to stop between the hours of 6.00pm and 8.00am on the lengths of sides of roads as set out in Schedule 3 to this Order.

5(2). Nothing in Article 5(1) of this Order shall apply to Taxis.

6. Nothing in Articles 4 and 10 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 to wait on the lengths of roads referred to in the said Article.

7. The prohibitions imposed by Articles 4, 5(1) and 10 of this Order shall not apply to Police, Fire, Ambulance or other Emergency Service vehicles or to Local Authority vehicles when in pursuance of their statutory duties or powers.

8. Nothing Article 5(1) of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the lengths of sides of roads specified therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:

   (A) 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 lengths of sides of road of any sewer or any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or any telecommunications apparatus defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;

   (B) 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;

   (C) The vehicle to be used by a Universal Service Provider for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets.
9. Nothing in Articles 4 and 10 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the lengths of sides of roads specified therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:

(A) A person to board or alight from a vehicle;
(B) Goods to be loaded or unloaded from a vehicle;
(C) 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 or repair in or on land adjacent to the said lengths of sides of road of any sewer or any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or any telecommunications apparatus defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;

(D) 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 Water Authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;

(E) The vehicle to be used by a Universal Service Provider for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets;

(F) Public Service Vehicles operating a local service when waiting at an authorised bus stop to set down or pick up passengers;

(G) The vehicle to take in petrol, oil, water or air from any garage situated on or adjacent to the said lengths of road.

10. Save as provided in Articles 6, 7 and 9 of this Order, no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait for more than 1 hour or to return within 2 hours to the same length of road on which that period of waiting began on any day except Sunday between the hours of 8.00am and 6.00pm on the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedule 4 of this Order.

SCHEDULES

Schedule 1 – Revocations
Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (Neath Town Centre) (Contraflow Bus Lane) Order 2001.
Schedule 10 – No Waiting, Loading or Unloading At Anytime

7. The Parade (South East Side)
   Between its junction with Croft Road and a point 30 metres south of that junction.
Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (Neath Traffic Management)  
(Phase 1) Order 2003.  
Schedule 13 – No Stopping at anytime except Taxis

**Schedule 2 – Waiting Limited to 1 hour, Return Prohibited Within 2 Hours, 8.00am to 6.00pm**  
**The Parade (East Side)**  
Between points approximately 24 metres and 81 metres north of its junction with Summerfield Place.

**Schedule 3 – No Stopping 6.00pm to 8.00am, Except Taxis**  
**The Parade (East Side)**  
Between points approximately 24 metres and 81 metres north of its junction with Summerfield Place.

**Schedule 4 – Waiting Limited to 1 hour, Return Prohibited Within 2 hours 8.00am to 6.00pm Monday to Saturday**  
**The Parade (South East Side)**  
Between points approximately 70 metres and 81 metres north of its junction with Charleston Place.

THE COMMON SEAL of  )  
the COUNCIL was hereunto  )  
affixed this 20th day of  )  
December 2007  )  
in the presence of:  )

PROPER OFFICER

B. L. Shawe

[Signature]