

NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

Date of Order: 2nd March 2015

Order No: NHDC/HIT/2014/05

**THE NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL (PORTMILL LANE, HITCHIN)
(RESTRICTION OF WAITING) ORDER 2014**

The North Hertfordshire District Council ("the Council") pursuant to arrangements made under Section 19 of the Local Government Act 2000 and the Local Government (Arrangements for Discharge of Functions) (England) Regulations 2000 with Hertfordshire County Council ("the County Council") and in exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 1, 2 and 3, of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the 1984 Act") and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Act of 1984 and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as "The North Hertfordshire District Council (Portmill Lane, Hitchin) (Restriction of Waiting) Order 2014" and shall come into operation on Monday 13th April 2015.
2. Save as provided in Articles 3, 4 and 5 of this Order no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on those lengths of Portmill Lane, Hitchin as specified in the Schedule to this Order.
3. (1) Nothing in Article 2 of this Order applies to the lengths of road restricted by that Article (which said lengths of road are referred to in this Article as "the restricted area") in relation to –
 - (a) a vehicle being used for Fire and Rescue, Ambulance or Police purposes.
 - (b) anything done with the permission of or at the direction of a Police Constable in uniform; or with permission of a Civil Enforcement Officer as defined by the Traffic Management Act 2004 and appointed by North Hertfordshire District Council.
 - (c) a vehicle which is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the drivers control or which has stopped in order to avoid injury or damage to persons or property or when required to do so by law;
 - (d) a vehicle which is stationary in order that it may be used for one or more of the purposes specified in sub-Article (2) of this Article and which cannot reasonably be used for such a purpose without stopping in the restricted area;
 - (e) a marked vehicle which, whilst used by a universal service provider in the course of the provision of a universal postal service, is stationary only for so long as may be reasonably necessary for postal packets to be delivered or collected;

In this Article -
The expressions "universal service provider", "provision of a universal postal Service" and "postal packet" shall bear the same meanings as in the Postal Services Act 2000.
- (2) The "purposes" referred to in sub-Article (1)(d) of this Article are –
 - (a) any operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (b) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (c) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road;
 - (d) constructing, improving, maintaining, or cleaning of any street furniture; or
 - (e) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning of any sewer or of any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any telecommunications apparatus kept or installed for the purposes of a telecommunications code system or of any other telecommunications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position.
4. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order applies to the lengths of road restricted by that Article (which said lengths of road are referred to in this Article as "the restricted area") so as to render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait only for so long as may be reasonably necessary –
 - (a) to enable goods to be loaded on or unloaded from the vehicle from or to premises adjacent to the restricted area; or

- (b) to enable a passenger to board or alight and to load and unload any luggage.
5. (1) Nothing in Article 2 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, to wait in the lengths of road specified in the Schedule of this Order 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 in the same length of road).
- (2) In this Article -
- “disabled person's vehicle” has the same meaning as in Section 142(1) of the Act of 1984;
- “disabled person's badge” has the same meaning as given in Regulation 3(1) of The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England) Regulations 2000
- “parking disc” has the same meaning as given in Regulation 8(5) of The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England) Regulations 2000; and
- “relevant position” has the same meaning as given in Regulation 4 of The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England) Regulations 2000
6. The provisions of the following Order are hereby revoked but only insofar as they are affected by the restrictions imposed by this Order;
- The North Hertfordshire District Council (Control of Parking) (Consolidation) Order 2012
7. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
8. The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any other regulations made or having effect as if made under the Act of 1984 or by or under any other enactment.

SCHEDULE

lengths of road in Portmill Lane, Hitchin – no waiting at any time restrictions.

Portmill Lane (north east side)	(a)	from a point 4 metres north west of a point in line with the south east facia wall of 8 Portmill Lane south eastwards for approximately 11.5 metres.
	(b)	from a point 28 metres south east of a point in line with the south east facia wall of 8 Portmill Lane south eastwards for 18 metres.

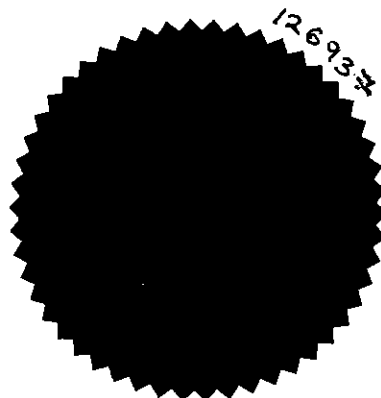
The Common Seal of
North Hertfordshire
District Council was hereunto

Affixed this 2nd day of March 2015

in the presence of:-

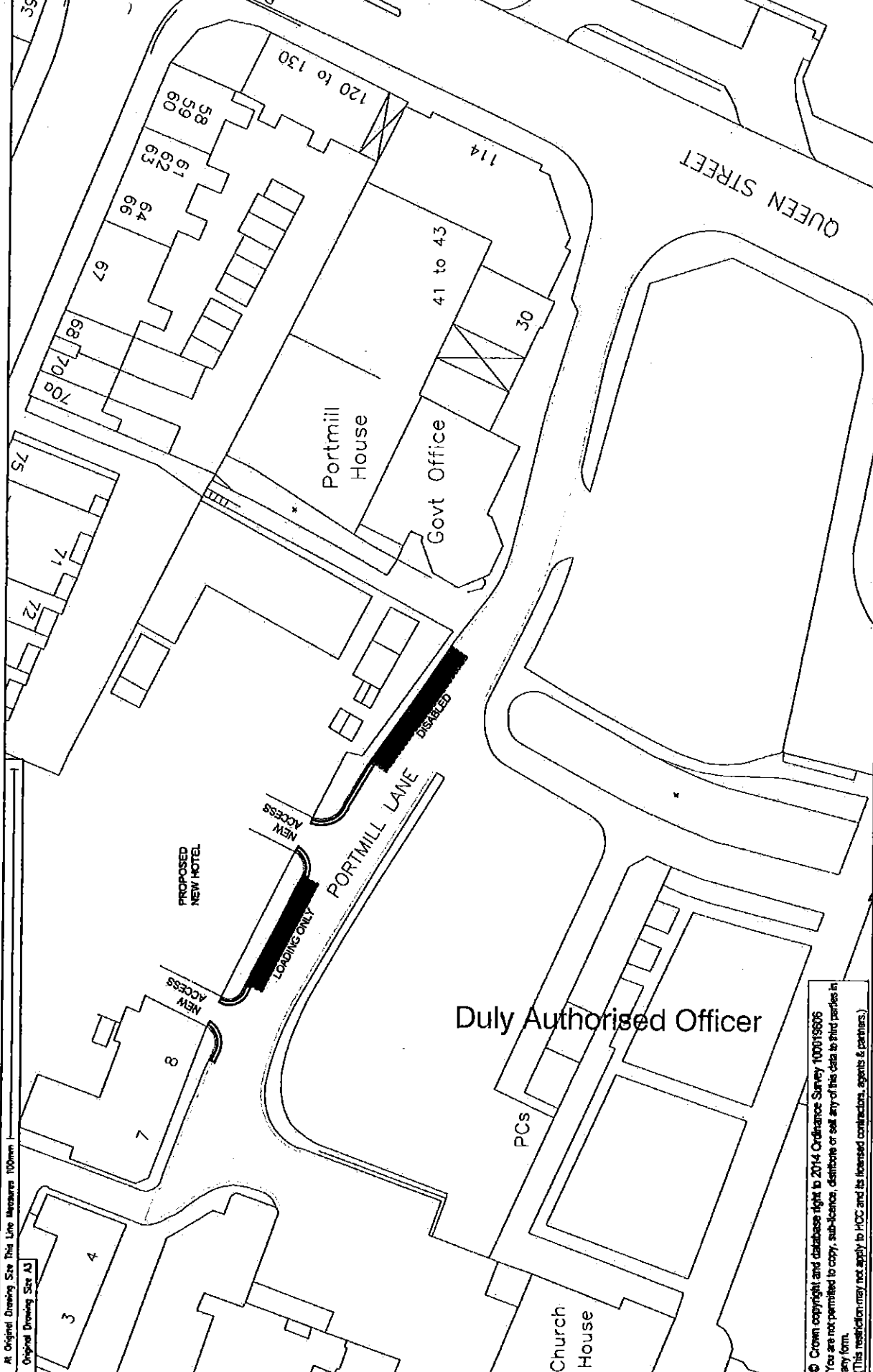
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- Notes
- Key:
 - Loading Only
 - Disabled Persons Parking
 - Mon-Sat 0800-1800
 - Limited to 3 hours
 - No Waiting At Any Time
 - Existing No Waiting Mon-Sat 0800-1800

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