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#### **OLDHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**

#### **ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984**

# THE OLDHAM - RICHMOND WALK/WINTERBOTTOM STREET (OLDHAM) PROHIBITION OF WAITING ORDER 2001

The Oldham Borough Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1), 2(1), 2(2) and 4(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, ("the Act") 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 Act hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on 13th August 2001 and may be cited as the Oldham - Richmond Walk/Winterbottom Street (Oldham) Prohibition of Waiting Order 2001.

#### 2. (1) In this Order:-

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"a disabled person's badge" in respect of a badge issued by a local authority means a badge in the form prescribed by Regulation 11 to the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (England) Regulations 2000 for display on a motor vehicle driven by a disabled person, or used for the carriage of a disabled person and includes a replacement badge issued in accordance with Regulation 7.

"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 125mm square coloured blue if issued on or after 1st April, 2000 or orange if issued before that date, and issued by a local authority and has not ceased to be valid, and is capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a waiting has begun.

- (2) For the purpose of this Order a vehicle shall be regarded as displaying:-
  - (i) a disabled persons badge in the relevant position if -
    - (a) the badge is exhibited on the dashboard or facia of the vehicle, or
    - (b) where the vehicle is not fitted with a dashboard or facia, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle.

so that the badge is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle.

- (ii) A vehicle displays a parking disc in the relevant position if:-
  - (a) the disc is exhibited on the dashboard or facia of the vehicle; or
  - (b) where the vehicle does not have a dashboard or facia, the disc is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle,

so that, when marked to show the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting began, that period is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle.

- (3) 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. Save as provided in Article 4 no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, of a traffic warden or a parking attendant cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time in the sides of lengths of roads specified in the Schedule to this Order.
- 4. (1) Nothing in Article 3 shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait in the sides of lengths of roads referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:-
  - (a) a person to board or alight from the vehicle;
  - (b) goods to be loaded onto or unloaded from the 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 or demolition operations;
    - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
    - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the sides of lengths of roads or any other adjacent length of road;
    - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in, or in land adjacent to, the 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 Schedule 2 to 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 a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
  - (e) the vehicle to wait at or near to any premises situated on or adjacent to the sides of lengths of roads for so long as is reasonably necessary in connection with any wedding or funeral; or
  - (f) the vehicle to be used for fire brigade, ambulance or police purposes.
  - Nothing in Article 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 the lengths of roads referred to in that Article, for a period not exceeding three hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than one hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle in the same length of road on the same day).
- 5. The prohibitions and restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulations made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment.

### **SCHEDULE**

Lengths of roads in the Borough of Oldham

## No Waiting at Any Time

Winterbottom Street

From a point 15 metres south of its junction with Middleton Road to its junction with Richmond Walk

From its junction with Winterbottom Street for a distance of 45 metres in a south westerly direction

Side(s)

East

South East

THE COMMON SEAL of
THE OLDHAM BOROUGH
COUNCIL was hereunto
affixed this 1st
day of August 2001
in the presence of:-

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