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THE KENT COUNTY COUNCIL (LONG MILL LANE, PLATT)
(PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 1976

The Kent County Council in exercise of their powers under Section 1(1), (2) and (3) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1967, as amended by Part IX of the Transport Act 1968 and Schedule 19 to the Local Government Act 1972, and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of police in accordance with Section 84C(1) of the said Act of 1967 hereby make the following Order:-

1. Save as provided in Articles 2 and 3 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 to wait in that part of Long Mill Lane, Platt, which extends from its junction with Maidstone Road (A.25) in a south-easterly direction to a point opposite the northern wall of No. 3 Sobraon Villas.

2. Nothing in Article 1 of this Order shall prevent any person from causing or permitting a vehicle to wait in the part of road specified in that Article for so long as may be necessary:-

- (a) to enable a person to board or alight from the vehicle;
- (b) to enable goods to be loaded on to or unloaded from the vehicle; or
- (c) to enable the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purposes elsewhere, to be used in connection with any building operation or demolition, the removal of any obstruction to traffic, the carrying out of any roadworks or the laying, erection, alteration or repair of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any telegraph wires, cables, posts or supports.

3. Nothing in Article 1 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 in the length of road referred to in the said Article for a period not exceeding 2 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).

4. The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation of any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulations made or having effect as if made under the said Act of 1967, or by or under any other enactment.

5. (1) In this Order

"disabled person's vehicle" has the same meaning as in the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 1975;

"disabled person's badge" has the same meaning as in the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) Regulations 1975;

"parking disc" means a disc, issued by a local authority, complying with the requirements of the British Standard Specifications for Parking Discs (BS No. 4631: 1970), coloured orange, and capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting begins; and

"relevant position" means:-

- (i) in the case of a vehicle fitted with a front windscreen, the badge is exhibited thereon with the obverse side facing forwards on the near side of and immediately behind the windscreen;

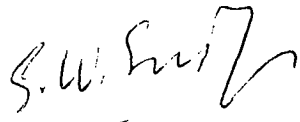
(ii) in the case of a vehicle not fitted with a front windscreen, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the front or near side of the vehicle.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applied for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

6. This Order shall come into operation on the fourth day of August 1976, and may be cited as "The Kent County Council (Long Mill Lane, Platt) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order, 1976".

GIVEN under the Seal of The Kent County Council this twenty-ninth day of July Nineteen hundred and seventy-six.

THE COMMON SEAL OF THE
KENT COUNTY COUNCIL
was hereunto affixed in the
presence of:-


County Secretary

Deputy

