

WATFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER

2014 No 760

**THE BOROUGH OF WATFORD
(CHURCH STREET, WATFORD)
(PROHIBITION OF STOPPING AND WAITING EXCEPT TAXIS) ORDER
2014**

The Watford Borough Council, pursuant to arrangements made under Section 19 of the Local Government Act 2000 and the Local Government (Arrangement for discharge of Functions) (England) Regulations 2000 with Hertfordshire County Council, and in exercise of powers conferred on that Council under Section 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (which said Act of 1984 is hereinafter referred to as "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 of the 1984 Act, hereby makes the following Order:

1. This order may be cited as THE BOROUGH OF WATFORD (CHURCH STREET, WATFORD) (PROHIBITION OF STOPPING AND WAITING EXCEPT TAXIS) ORDER 2013 and shall come into operation on 2 June 2014.
2. Save as provided in Article 3 of this Order no person shall cause or permit any vehicle except for a taxi to stop or wait on Mondays to Saturdays between the hours of 8.00am and 7.00pm and on Sundays between the hours of 8.00am and 6.00pm in that length of Church Street, Watford specified in the Schedule to this order and identified as shown on plan TRO/760/WBC/JY/01

In this Article 'Taxi' shall have the same meaning as given in Regulation 4 of the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002

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 "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 the permission of a Civil Enforcement Officer as defined by the Traffic Management Act 2004 and appointed by Watford Borough 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 meaning 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 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. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
5. 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.
6. The following items are hereby revoked
- (a) The Borough of Watford (Various Roads, Watford) (Prohibition of Stopping and Waiting except for Taxis) Order 2011, Schedule 1 in relation to Church Street.

THE COMMON SEAL of THE WATFORD)
 BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereunto)
 Affixed this 29th day of May 2014)
 In the presence of :-)



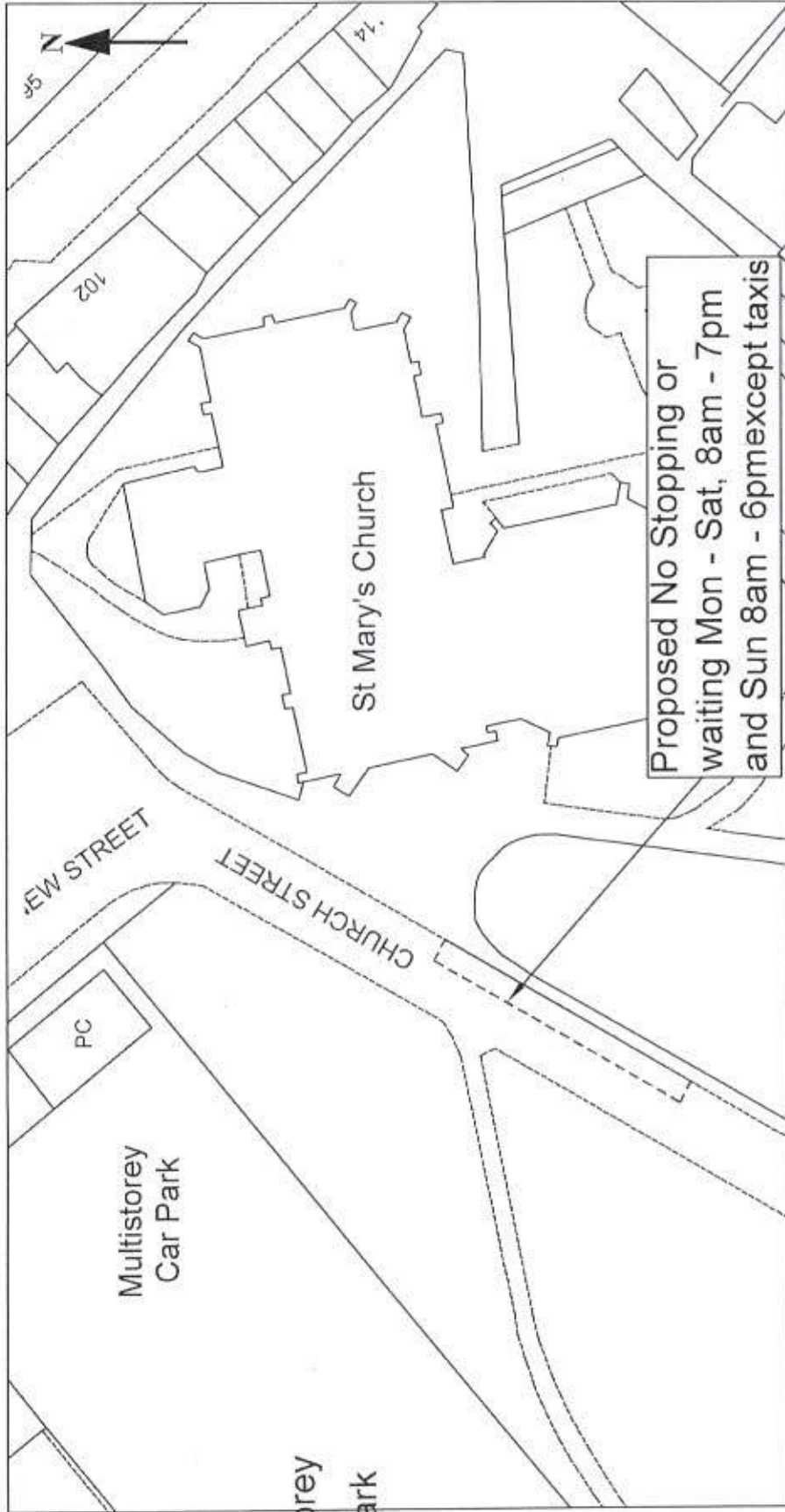
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 Head of Democracy and Governance

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Schedule – Length of road designated as taxi rank Mondays to Saturdays 8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Sundays 8:00 a.m. – 6:00p.m.

	Road	side	Description
1	Church Street	Southeast	From a point 27.5metres southwest of a point in line with the projected southwest kerbline of New Street, south westwards for approximately 28metres to a point 21.5metres northwest and northeast of a point in line with the boundary between 1 and 2 Almshouse. As identified on plan TRO/761/WBC/JY/01



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Revisions: The Borough of Watford (Church Street, Watford) (Prohibition of stopping & waiting except taxis) Order 2014		Location: Church Street	WATFORD Borough Council Regeneration & Development Town Hall Watford Herts WD17 3EX
Description: Amended taxi rank operating hours - ORDER PLAN		Date: October 2013	Drawing Number: TRO/760/WBC/JY/01
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