

WATFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL**TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER****2015 No 787****THE BOROUGH OF WATFORD
(BENTINE LANE, WATFORD)
(GOODS VEHICLE LOADING BAY) ORDER 2015**

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 32 and 35 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (which said Act of 1984 is hereinafter referred to as "the 1984 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 1984 Act, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order may be cited as "The Borough of Watford (Bentine Lane, Watford) (Goods Vehicle Loading Bay) Order 2015 and shall come in to operation on 1 September 2015
2. Save as provided in Article 4 of this Order that length of Bentine Lane, Watford specified in the Schedule to this Order is designated for use as a loading bay at any time for goods vehicles for the purpose of loading or unloading goods.
3. Save as provided in Article 4 of this Order, where in Article 2 of this Order a loading bay is described as designated for use as a loading bay at any time for goods vehicles for the purpose of loading and unloading vehicles, the driver of a vehicle shall not permit the vehicle to wait in that loading bay unless it is:
 - (a) a goods vehicle being used to load or unload goods and;
 - (b) the vehicle is wholly parked within the marked limits of the loading bay

In Articles 2 and 3 to this Order –
"goods vehicle" has the meaning as a motor vehicle or trailer constructed or adapted for use for the carriage or haulage of goods of burden of any description.

- 4(1) Nothing in Articles 2 and 3 of the Order applies to the length of road restricted by those Articles (which said length of road is 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 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 –
 - (f) 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 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 any other telecommunications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position.
5. A vehicle left in a loading bay in contravention of Articles 2 and 3 of this Order or otherwise in accordance with the provisions of this Order shall incur a penalty charge.
6. The interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the Interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
7. 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 the effect as if made under the Act of 1984 or by any other enactment.

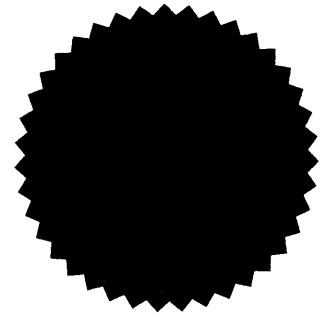
SCHEDULE

Length of Bentine Lane, Watford – designated loading/ unloading bay at any time for goods vehicles

Road	side	description
Bentine Lane	South east	From a point 13 metres south west of The Parade south westwards for a distance of 14 metres.

THE COMMON SEAL of THE WATFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereunto Affixed this 27th day of August 2015 In the presence of:-

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) MIN) Memo
) No) 28 7 15
) O/O) JC
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