NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE BOROUGH COUNCIL



The North East Lincolnshire Borough Council (Prohibition of Waiting & Taxi Rank Clearway) (Sea Road, Cleethorpes) (No. 20-17) Order 2021

North East Lincolnshire Council, hereinafter referred to as "the Council", in exercise of powers conferred upon it under Sections 1, 2, and 4 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Act of 1984') as amended, and of all other enabling powers, hereby make the following Order.

1. Title

1.1 This Order shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 2021 and may be cited as The Borough of North East Lincolnshire Council (Prohibition of Waiting & Taxi Rank Clearway) (Sea Road, Cleethorpes) (No. 20-17) Order 2021.

2. Definitions

- 2.1 In this Order, except where the context otherwise requires, the following expressions have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them:
 - "A Person Authorised By The Council" means a person employed in accordance with Section 76 of The Act of 2004 to carry out the functions therein;
 - "The Act of 1984" means The Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;
 - "The Act of 2004" means the Traffic Management Act 2004;
 - "Article" means the Article of this Order unless otherwise stated and includes reference to any paragraph to that Article referred to by number or letter;
 - "Carriageway" means a way constituting or comprised in a highway, being a way (other than a cycle track) over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles;
 - "Civil Enforcement Officer" means a person employed by, or on behalf of, the Council under the provisions of Part 6 of The Act of 2004 and in accordance with Section 76 of The Act of 2004 authorised to enforce the restrictions imposed by this Order and to carry out the functions therein;
 - "Clearway" means all parts of the Main Carriageway including any slip roads and any acceleration or deceleration splays of those lengths of roads specified in The Plans where stopping is prohibited during the No Stopping Hours, provided that the expression Clearway shall not include any Lay-By or Parking Place not specifically provided as a bus stop Clearway or Taxi Rank Clearway;
 - "Council" means North East Lincolnshire Borough Council and includes any parking services contractors or authorised agents appointed by or acting on behalf of the Council for the purposes of any function under the provisions of this Order;
 - "Delivering" or "Delivery" or "Collection" means a continuous activity during which Goods or Merchandise are Loaded or Unloaded from a vehicle to adjacent premises or nearby premises including a reasonable time for the checking of those Goods or Merchandise for the purpose of their Delivery or Collection;
 - "Disabled Person's Badge" shall bear the same meaning as in the Local Authorities Traffic Orders (exemptions for disabled persons) regulations 2000 (as modified or superseded from time to time).
 - "Disabled Person's Parking Disc" shall bear the same meaning as in the Local Authorities Traffic Orders (exemptions for disabled persons) regulations 2000 (as modified or superseded from time to time).

- "**Driver**" in relation to the vehicle left Waiting in a Prohibited Road, means the person driving the vehicle at the time it was left Waiting in the Prohibited Road or the person deemed to be the Driver by a Police Officer in uniform or a Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform acting under the terms of this Order;
- "Emergency" shall be defined as a situation that poses an imminent risk to health, life, property or environment which requires immediate intervention.
- "Emergency Vehicle" shall bear the same meaning as in Regulation 3(2) of the Road Vehicle Lighting Regulations 1989 (as modified or superseded from time to time).
- "Enactment" means any enactment, whether public, general or local, and includes any order, bylaw rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment;
- "Fee" in relation to parking Waivers means a non-refundable charge levied by the Council;
- "Funeral And Wedding Vehicles" means those vehicles attending funerals or weddings to which Penalty Charge Notices will not be issued pursuant to the Council's Civil Parking Enforcement Procedures 2010 as it relates to Funerals and Weddings;
- "Goods" and "Merchandise" means goods of any kind whether animate or inanimate and includes Postal Packets of any kind that require transportation by a vehicle;
- "Hackney Carriage" means a vehicle licensed under Section 37 of the Town Police Clauses Act 1847, or under any similar enactment;
- "Hackney Carriage Plate" means the plate which is affixed to the outside of a vehicle in the Relevant Position as required by law in order for it to be readily identifiable as a Hackney Carriage;
- "Lay-by" in relation to the Main Carriageway means any area of a highway at the side of the Main Carriageway but not part of it and marked in accordance with TSRGD2016 intended for the Waiting of vehicles in line with The Plans to this Order;
- "Loading" and "Unloading" means a continuous activity during which Goods or Merchandise are placed in or taken from a vehicle that is Waiting at premises or adjacent to premises or nearby premises for the purpose of Delivery or Collection of those Goods or Merchandise provided that the Loading, Unloading, Delivery and/or Collection activities are completed in a time deemed reasonable by a Police Officer in uniform, Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform or A Person Authorised by the Council. Where no signs of Loading or Unloading activity are observed over the Observation Period it will be deemed that Loading or Unloading is not taking place;
- "Main Carriageway" means that part of a public highway used primarily for through traffic provided that the expression Main Carriageway shall not include any Lay-By or Parking Place;

- "**No Stopping Hours**" means in relation to any Taxi Rank Clearway the hours during which stopping is prohibited as specified in Schedule 3 and shown indicatively on The Plans to this Order;
- "Observation Period" means a period of time during which a Police Officer in uniform, Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform or A Person Authorised by the Council undertakes observations pursuant to the Council's parking enforcement policy;
- "Penalty Charge" means a Penalty Charge relating to a parking contravention and payable in accordance with Regulation 4 of the Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions (England) General Regulations 2007 or any subsequent legislation so enabling;
- "Penalty Charge Notice" has a meaning given by Regulation 8(1) of the Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions (England) General Regulations 2007 or any subsequent legislation so enabling;
- "The Plans" means the schedules and drawings attached to this Order.
- "Postal Packet(s)" has the same meaning as in Section 87 of the Post Office Act 1953;
- "**Prohibited Road**" means any of the sides or lengths of roads specified in Schedule 2 and as shown indicatively on The Plans.
- "Relevant Position" in respect of:-
- a) a disabled person's badge means exhibited on the windscreen, dashboard or fascia of the vehicle with the obverse side facing forwards on the nearside of and immediately behind the windscreen or where the vehicle does not have a windscreen, dashboard or fascia, in a conspicuous position on the vehicle orientated so that the whole of the information on the front of the permit is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle;
- b) a hard copy (physical) Waiver means exhibited on the windscreen, dashboard or fascia of the vehicle with the obverse side facing forwards on the nearside of and immediately behind the windscreen or where the vehicle does not have a windscreen, dashboard or fascia, in a conspicuous position on the vehicle orientated so that the whole of the information on the front of the permit is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle
- a Hackney Carriage Plate means the plate must be affixed to the vehicle in accordance with the instructions given within the license as issued by the Borough of North East Lincolnshire Council or in the case of another Council in accordance with their instructions;
 - "Security Vehicle" means a vehicle designed or adapted for or in use for the conveyance of bullion, monies and currency and other securities;
 - "Statutory Undertaker(s)" has the same meaning as in Section 329 of the Highways Act 1980;
 - "Taxi Rank Clearway" means an area of the carriageway which is specified in Schedule 3 and as shown indicatively on The Plans to this Order;

"Telecommunication System" has the same meaning as in the Telecommunications Act 1984;

"Traffic Regulation Order", "Order" or "TRO" have the same meaning respectively, that being an Order made under Section1 of the Act 1984;

"Traffic Sign" means a sign or road marking of any size, colour and type prescribed or authorised under, or having effect as though prescribed or authorised under, TSRGD 2016

"Trailer" has the same meaning as that in Section 136 of the 1984 Act;

"TSRGD 2016" means the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

"Universal Service Provider" shall bear the same meaning as in the Postal Services Act 2000;

"Wait" and "Waiting" refer to the stopping of a vehicle and it remaining at rest for some time whether or not the Driver is still in the vehicle:

"Waiver" means electronic or hard copy (physical) exemption issued by or on behalf of the Council for the purposes of this Order permitting a specified vehicle to Wait in specified circumstances on a length or lengths of road where the Waiting of that vehicle would otherwise be restricted or prohibited under the terms and charges applicable at the time of issue.

- 2.2 For the purpose of this Order unless otherwise specified all references to any documents including Statutory Instruments, Regulations and policies and procedures of the Council relate to the current version of those documents as amended or substituted from time to time.
- 2.3 For the purpose of this Order the prohibitions and restrictions contained in the Articles to this Order and shown on the attached Plans and Schedules shall apply to the full extent of the public highway, with the exception of Taxi Rank Clearways which apply to the carriageway only.
- 2.4 For the purpose of this Order a vehicle shall be taken as Waiting on a length of road if any point on that length of road is below the vehicle or its load (if any).
- 2.5 The prohibitions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation of any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any Regulations or Orders made or having effect as if made under The Act of 1984, or by or under any other Enactment.
- 2.6 For the purposes of this Order, North East Lincolnshire Council accepts no responsibility for any inaccuracies contained in the Ordnance Survey data relied upon in the preparation of The Plans attached to this Order. Where a restriction applies to the edge of a length of carriageway or highway (adjacent to the kerb) that restriction will continue to apply to the actual edge of carriageway or highway irrespective of changes to either the carriageway width or to the underlying Ordnance Survey data.
- 2.7 If a Court, the Department for Transport, the Traffic Penalty Tribunal or the Traffic Enforcement Centre declares any part of this Order to be invalid or un-enforceable, such declaration shall not invalidate the remainder of the Order.

2.8 Unless the context otherwise requires, the words in the singular shall include the plural and in the plural shall include the singular.

3 Revocations

- 3.1 The Borough of North East Lincolnshire (Prohibition and Restrictions of No Stopping, Taxi Ranks) (Sea Road, Cleethorpes) (No 16-02) Order 2016 shall from the date this Order comes into operation be fully revoked so that the said Order shall not impose those restrictions described therein.
- 3.2 The North East Lincolnshire Borough Council (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting, Clearways and On Street Parking) (Consolidation) Order 2010 (as amended) Map Schedule U21 Issue No.14-09 shall from the date this Order comes into operation be revoked in part so that the said Order shall not impose those restrictions in the lengths of roads as described in the table of Schedule 1.

4 Exemptions

- 4.1 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads for so long as it may be necessary to enable a person to board or alight from the vehicle.
- 4.2 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads for so long as it may be necessary to enable the Delivery or Collection of Goods including where Goods are Loaded onto or Unloaded from the vehicle provided that Loading or Unloading is carried out in one continuous operation.
- 4.3 Nothing in Articles 5.1 and 6.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any lengths of road relevant to those Articles for so long as it may be necessary to enable the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road and close proximity to the site is essential, to be used for the purpose of any Emergency building operation, demolition or excavation, or the maintenance or improvement or reconstruction of the said lengths or sides of road or any works connected with any Statutory Undertaker's apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any Telecommunications System.
- 4.4 Nothing in Articles 5.1 and 6.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any lengths of road relevant to those Articles for so long as it may be necessary to enable the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in the service of the Council in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.
- 4.5 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads for so long as it may be necessary to enable the vehicle of a Universal Service Provider (to Wait whilst Postal Packets addressed to premises adjacent to that Prohibited Road are being Unloaded from the vehicle or having Unloaded therefrom are being delivered or while Postal Packets are being collected from premises or posting boxes adjacent to that Prohibited Road, provided that the vehicle cannot reasonably be used for such purpose in any other road and for as long as may be necessary in conjunction with these purposes.
- 4.6 Nothing in Articles 5.1 and 6.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the lengths of road relevant to those Articles for so long

- as it may be necessary to enable an Emergency Vehicle to be used in the course of an Emergency.
- 4.7 Nothing in Articles 5.1 and 6.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the lengths of road relevant to those Articles for so long as it may be necessary to enable the vehicle to be used in any case where the person in control of the vehicle:
 - a) is required by law to stop or Wait or is permitted to stop or Wait by a Police Officer in uniform or Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform:
 - b) is obliged to stop so as to prevent an accident; or
 - c) is prevented from proceeding by circumstances outside their control.
- 4.8 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads for so long as it may be necessary to enable the vehicle to be Loaded or Unloaded whilst it is in actual use in connection with the removal of furniture and effects from one office or dwelling house to another or to such premises from a depository or from such premises to a depository notwithstanding anything contained in Article 4.2 above as to Waiting in the Prohibited Roads.
- 4.9 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads for so long as it may be necessary to enable a Security Vehicle to be used in the course of Delivering or collecting cash to/from properties in any of the Prohibited Roads and being a vehicle specifically designed for that purpose.
- 4.10 Nothing in Article 5.1 to this Order shall apply to Funeral and Wedding Vehicles at a funeral or wedding.
- 4.11 Nothing in Article 5.1 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a vehicle which displays in the Relevant Position a Disabled Person's Badge and a Disabled Person's 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 any of the Prohibited Roads for a period not exceeding three hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than one hour from the previous period of Waiting by the same vehicle in the same length of road).
- 4.12 Nothing in Article 5.1 of this Order shall prevent any person from causing or permitting any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads provided that permission has been obtained from the Council by means of a Waiver provided that any physical Waiver shall be displayed in the Relevant Position and providing that an obstruction is not caused by so doing. In the event that a Driver is requested to move the Vehicle by a Police Officer in uniform or Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform, the Driver shall comply with these instructions.
- 4.13 Nothing in Articles 5.1 and 6.1 of this Order shall apply so as to prevent any person from causing or permitting any vehicle to Wait in any of the Prohibited Roads or Taxi Rank Clearway for so long as may be necessary to enable the vehicle if it cannot be used for such purpose without Waiting on that length of road to be used in connection with the removal of any item in the highway where such moving may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of preventing obstruction.
- 5 General Provisions relating to Prohibition of Waiting restrictions

5.1 Save as provided in Articles 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.7, 4.8, 4.9, 4.10, 4.11, 4.12 and 4.13 of this Order no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a Police Officer in uniform or of a Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform cause or permit any vehicle (and/or Trailer) to Wait in the Prohibited Roads.

6 Provisions relating to Taxi Rank Clearway Restriction

- 6.1 Save as provided in Articles 4.3, 4.4, 4.6, 4.7 and 4.13 of this Order no person shall except upon the direction or with the permission of a Police Officer in uniform or of a Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform cause or permit any vehicle (and/or Trailer) other than a Hackney Carriage which displays a Hackney Carriage Plate in the Relevant Position and that is available for hire to stop or Wait on the Taxi Rank Clearway during the No Stopping Hours.
- 6.2 The driver of a Hackney Carriage which displays a Hackney Carriage Plate in the Relevant Position shall not permit it to stop or Wait on an area identified as a Taxi Rank Clearway during the No Stopping Hours unless the vehicle is wholly within the limits of the restrictions as indicated by Traffic Signs.

7 Waivers

- 7.1 Upon receipt of an application duly made under the provisions of this Order, the Council upon being satisfied that the applicant satisfies the requirements and on receipt of any Fee that the Council may from to time determine may issue to the applicant a Waiver for leaving in the parts of the carriageway in which such Waivers are valid, provided that the Council may impose such conditions on the use of the Waiver as it considers appropriate and that any limit applying to the number of Waivers issued is not exceeded.
- 6.2 A Waiver may be cancelled at any time at the sole discretion of the Council and shall thereupon immediately cease to be valid. Notification of such cancellation shall be in writing served on the person to whom such Waiver was issued by sending the same to the Waiver holder at the address shown by that person on the application for the Waiver, or at any other address believed to be that persons place of abode, requiring that person to surrender the Waiver to the Council within 48 hours of receipt of the aforementioned notice.

7 Contravention and Penalty Charge

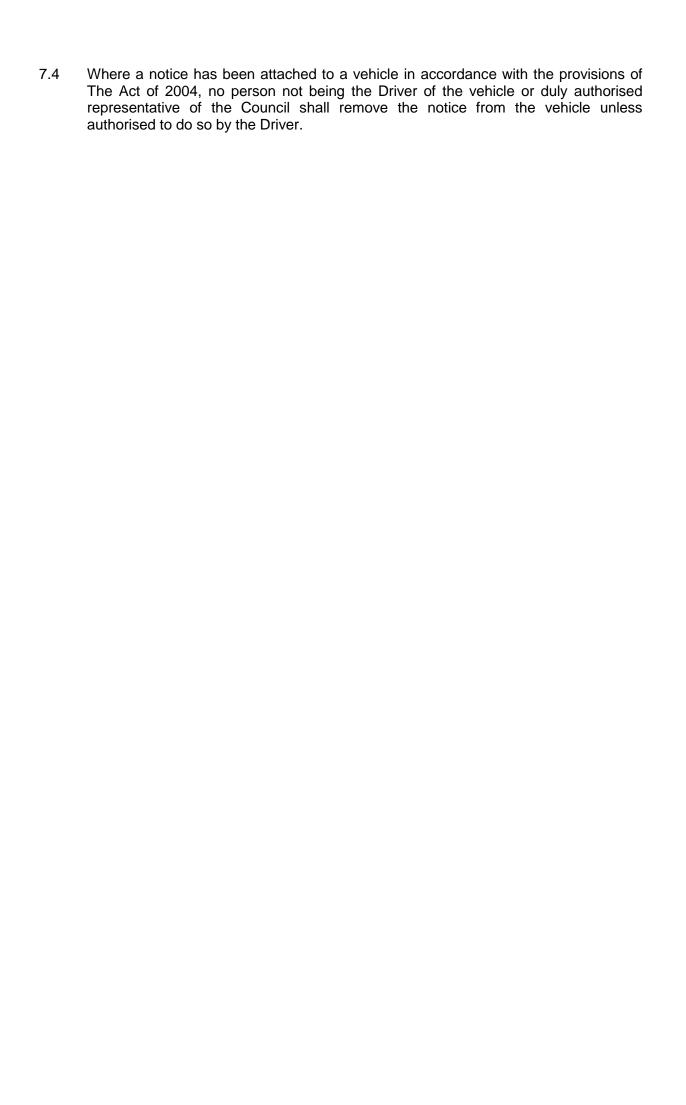
CONTRAVENTION AND PENALTY CHARGE NOTICES

- 7.1 Where a vehicle has been left in contravention of the restrictions imposed by this Order, a Penalty Charge shall be incurred, the amount of which will be set by North East Lincolnshire Borough Council under the relevant provisions of The Act of 2004 relating to Civil Enforcement Areas and Special Enforcement Areas.
- 7.2 Where a Penalty Charge is payable, a Penalty Charge Notice shall be issued by a Civil Enforcement Officer in accordance with The Act of 2004.

MANNER OF PAYMENT OF PENALTY CHARGE NOTICE

7.3 The Penalty Charge shall be paid within 28 days payable to North East Lincolnshire Borough Council under the terms referred to in the said Notice.

RESTRICTION ON REMOVAL OF PENALTY CHARGE NOTICE



SCHEDULE 1

"Revocations"

The Borough of North East Lincolnshire (Prohibition and Restrictions of No Stopping, Taxi Ranks) (Sea Road, Cleethorpes) (No 16-02) Order 2016 - The whole Order

The North East Lincolnshire Borough Council (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting, Clearways and On Street Parking) (Consolidation) Order 2010 (as amended):

STREET	SIDE	EXTENT
Sea Road, Cleethorpes	BOTH	The full extent from its
		roundabout junction with
		A1098 High
		Street/Alexandra Road to its
		roundabout junction with
		North/Central Promenades

SCHEDULE 2 – Prohibited Roads

"24 Hour Prohibition of Waiting: No Waiting at Any Time"

STREET	SIDE	EXTENT
Sea Road, Cleethorpes	NORTH WESTERN KERB LINE	From its roundabout junction with A1098 High Street in a north-easterly direction for a distance of 15 metres
Sea Road, Cleethorpes	NORTH WESTERN KERB LINE	From a point 71 metres north east of its roundabout junction with A1098 High Street around the outer circumference of its roundabout junction with North/Central Promenades, meeting up with the southeastern kerb line of Sea Road.
Sea Road, Cleethorpes	SOUTH EASTERN KERB LINE	The full extent between its roundabout junctions with the North/Central Promenades and A1098 High Street/Alexandra Road.

SCHEDULE 3 – Taxi Rank Clearway

"Taxi Rank Clearway: No Stopping except Hackney Carriages - Monday to Sunday 11.00pm to 04.30am"

STREET	SIDE	EXTENT
Sea Road, Cleethorpes	NORTH-WESTERN	From a point 15 metres
	KERB LINE	north east of its roundabout
		junction with A1098 High
		Street in a north-easterly
		direction to a point 71
		metres north east of its
		roundabout junction with the
		A1098 High Street, a
		distance of 56 metres.

This Order is executed

By North East Lincolnshire Borough Council

Acting by two Authorised Signatories on this

Day of 16th August 2021

Authorised Signatory

Keith Thomps Specialist Pro

Authorised Signatory

Hannah Steer, Solicitor

