

EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

**ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984, ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1991 & TRAFFIC
MANAGEMENT ACT 2004**

THE EAST SUSSEX (ROADS IN UCKFIELD)(TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT) ORDER 2024

East Sussex County Council, in exercise of their powers under Sections 1(1), 2(1) to (4), 3(2), 4(2), and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act"), as amended, the Road Traffic Act 1991, as amended, Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004, 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 make the following Order:-

1. When this Order comes into effect
 - (a) "The East Sussex (Various Roads, Uckfield)(20 mph Speed Limit) Order 2018" shall be amended as follows, with the addition of a further road.

Schedule, 20mph speed limit, that the schedule be amended as follows:

Add the following item:

Unnamed road between Bell Lane and Bell Walk (Bus Station)	For its entire length.
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2. In this Order;

"ambulance" the same meaning as in the Vehicle Excise and Registration Act 1994 Schedule 2, Section 2

"bus" means a motor vehicle constructed or adapted to carry more than eight passengers (in addition to the driver), or motor vehicle not so constructed or adapted used to provide local services;

"bus lane" means an area of road that may be used only by buses (or a particular description of bus), or only by buses (or a particular description of bus) and some other class or classes of vehicle as provided for in this order;

“emergency vehicle” has the same meaning as in The Road Vehicles Lighting Regulations 1989 or any re-enactment or modification thereof from time to time in force;

"goods" means any article not easily carried by hand or burden of any description and "delivering" and/or "collecting" in relation to any goods includes checking, loading or unloading the goods for the purposes of their delivery or collection;

"goods vehicle" has the same meaning as in the Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1986, or any re-enactment or modification thereof from time to time in force;

"heavy commercial vehicle" means, as defined in Section 138 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act of 1984, or any re-enactment or modification thereof from time to time in force, which has an operating weight exceeding 7.5 tonnes;

“heavy goods vehicle” means, for the purposes of this Order, a goods vehicle which has an operating weight exceeding 5 tonnes;

“invalid carriage” has the same meaning as in the Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1986, or any re-enactment or modification thereof from time to time in force;

“licensed taxi” has the same meaning as in Section 13(3)(a) of the Transport Act 1985;

“local bus” means a public service vehicle used in provision of a public service;

“local service” has the same meaning as in Section 2 of the Transport Act 1985;

“motor cycle” or "motor tricycle" has the same meaning as in the Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1986, or any re-enactment or modification thereof from time to time in force;

“parking place” means any length of road authorized by the Order to be used as a parking place;

“parking space means a space in a parking place, which is provided for the leaving of a vehicle;

“pedal cycle” means a unicycle, bicycle, tricycle, or cycle having 4 or more wheels, not being in any case mechanically propelled unless it is an electrically assisted pedal cycle of such class as to be treated as not being a motor vehicle for the purposes of the 1984 Act;

“public service vehicle” has the same meaning as in Section 1 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981;

“vehicle” means mechanically propelled vehicle intended or adapted for use on roads as in Section 136 of the 1984 Act.

3 No person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform cause or permit a vehicle, to proceed in the road specified at Item 1 in Schedule One to this Order, in a direction other than that specified in column 3 of the said Schedule.

4. No person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform cause or permit a vehicle other than a bus or goods vehicle, to proceed in the road specified at Item 1 in Schedule Two to this Order.

5. The restrictions imposed by Part I of this Order are subject to the exceptions, exemptions and supplementary provisions set out in Part II of this Order.

Part I - Waiting and loading restrictions and designation of Parking Places

6 Each parking place referred to in Schedule Three as being Goods Vehicle Loading Only may be used, subject to the provisions of this Order, for 'active loading' during the permitted hours of goods carrying vehicles of the class specified in paragraph (2) of this Article.

Part II -

Restriction on the use of a parking place

7. During the permitted hours no person shall use any parking place or any vehicle while it is in a parking place in connection with the sale or offering or exposing for sale of any goods to any person in or near the parking place or in connection with the selling or offering for sale of their skill in handicraft or their services in any other capacity. Provided that, nothing in this article shall prevent the sale or offering or exposing for sale of goods from a vehicle:-

(a) if the vehicle is a passenger vehicle, a goods carrying vehicle, a motorcycle or an invalid carriage and the goods are immediately delivered at or taken into premises adjacent to the vehicle from which the sale is effected; or

(b) if the vehicle is one to which the provisions of Article 8(2) apply.

Restriction on waiting by a vehicle in a parking place

8 (1) During the permitted hours no person shall use any parking place or any vehicle while it is in a parking place in connection with the sale or offering or exposing for sale of any goods to any person in or near the parking place or in connection with the selling or offering for sale of their skill in handicraft or their services in any other capacity. Provided that, nothing in this article

shall prevent the sale or offering or exposing for sale of goods from a vehicle:-

8(2) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, any vehicle may wait during the permitted hours in any part of a parking place if the use of that part has not been suspended and if the vehicle is waiting for the purpose of delivering or collecting goods or loading or unloading the vehicle at premises adjacent to the parking place in which the vehicle is waiting and the vehicle does not wait for such purpose for more than twenty minutes;

8(3) Except as provided by this Order, the driver or person in charge of a vehicle shall not cause or permit that vehicle to wait in a parking place during the permitted hours.

8(4) The driver of a vehicle waiting in a parking place by virtue of the provisions of paragraph (1) or (2) of this Article shall cause it to stand in accordance with the provisions of Article 9.

Manner of standing in a parking place

9(1) The driver of a vehicle waiting in a parking place during the permitted hours shall cause it so to stand:-

- (a) In the case of a parking place in relation to which special provisions as to the manner of standing of a vehicle in that parking place are specified, so as to be in accordance with those provisions;
- (b) In the case of any other parking place so that the longitudinal axis of the vehicle is parallel to the edge of the carriageway nearest to the vehicle and the wheels of the vehicle are not more than 30 centimeters away from the edge of the carriageway nearest the vehicle;
- (c) So that every part of the vehicle is within the limits of a parking place;
- (d) So that no part of the vehicle obstructs any vehicular means of ingress to or egress from any premises adjacent to the side of the road on which the vehicle is waiting.

9(2) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1) (d) of this Article, the expression "Premises" shall not include any premises to or from which any furniture is being removed by virtue of Article 8 or to or from which goods are being delivered or collected by virtue of the provisions of Article 8 (2).

Schedule One, One Way Traffic,

that this Schedule be amended as follows:

1. Add item 1 as follows:

1	Unnamed road between Bell Lane and Bell Walk (Bus Station)	From its junction with Bell Lane, southwards to its junction with Bell Walk
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Schedule Two: Prohibition of Vehicles except buses and for access,

that this schedule be amended as follows:

Add item 1 as follows:

1	Unnamed road between Bell Lane and Bell Walk (Bus Station)	For its entire length.
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Schedule Three, goods vehicles only loading bay (Monday to Saturday 7am to 7pm)

that this schedule be amended as follows:

Add item 1 as follows

1	Unnamed road between Bell Lane and Bell Walk (Bus Station)	From a point 12 metres south of its junction with Bell Lane, southwards for a distance of 19 metres.
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2. This Order may be cited as "The East Sussex (Roads in Uckfield)(Traffic Management) Order 2024 " and shall come into effect on 2 December 2024.

THE COMMON SEAL of
EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
was affixed hereto
on the 22nd day of November
Two Thousand and Twenty Four
in the presence of:-



AUTHORISED SIGNATORY



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H & T Ctte. 2.4.74 - para 4.2 joint report of Director of
Legal & Community Services & County Engineer - para
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