

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984
LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
**(FRIARGATE AREA, PRESTON, PRESTON CITY) (REVOCATION, PROHIBITION OF DRIVING
AND ONE WAY TRAFFIC) ORDER 202***

The County Council of Lancashire ("the Council") in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2 and 4 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended ("the Act") and of all other enabling powers, 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. Definitions and Interpretation

For all the purposes of this Order the terms described in this Article shall have the meanings specified:

- a) **"Loading"** and **"Unloading"** means the continuous transference from (or to) a Vehicle to (or from) premises adjacent to where the Vehicle is parked of heavy or unmanageable goods that are not designed to be carried by hand other than over a very short distance;
- b) **"Goods Vehicle"** has the same meaning as in section 192 (1) of the Road Traffic Act 1988;
- c) **"Pedal Cycle"** means a unicycle, bicycle, tricycle, or cycle having four or more wheels, not being in any case mechanically propelled unless it is an electrically assisted pedal cycle of such class as is to be treated as not being a motor vehicle for the purposes of the 1984 Act;
- d) **"Vehicle"** means a motor vehicle, a passenger vehicle, a dual-purpose vehicle, a goods vehicle, a motorcycle or an invalid carriage or any other vehicle of any description whether drawn or propelled along a road by animal or mechanical power.

2. Revocation

- a) Those parts of the " Lancashire County Council (Cheapside Area, Preston, Preston City) (Revocation and Prohibition of Driving) Order 2013", as set out in Schedule 1a to this Order, are hereby revoked.
- b) Those parts of the " Lancashire County Council (Orchard Street Area, Preston, Preston City) (Revocation, Prohibition of Driving and One Way Traffic) Order 2024", as set out in Schedule 1b to this Order, are hereby revoked.
- c) Those parts of the " Borough of Preston (Central Area) (No. 2) Traffic Regulation Order 1992", as set out in Schedule 1c to this Order, are hereby revoked.

3. Prohibition of Driving Except Pedal Cycles

Save as is hereinafter provided, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, cause or permit any Vehicle, except a Pedal Cycle, to proceed along the lengths of road referred to in Schedule 2 to this Order.

This prohibition includes an obstruction in accordance with Section 92 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

4. Prohibition of Driving Except Pedal Cycles And Goods Vehicle Loading Between 4pm and Midnight and Midnight and 11am

Save as is hereinafter provided, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, cause or permit any Vehicle, except a Pedal Cycle, to proceed in the land edged blue on the plan forming part of this Order generally described in Schedule 3 to this Order, unless that Vehicle is a Goods Vehicle and is engaged in the Loading or Unloading of goods between the hours of 4pm and Midnight and Midnight and 11am.

This prohibition includes an obstruction in accordance with Section 92 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

5. One Way Traffic Restriction

Save as is hereinafter provided, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, cause or permit any Vehicle, to enter or proceed along the length of road set out in Schedule 4 to this Order, in any direction other than that specified.

6. One Way Traffic Restriction (except Pedal Cycles)

Save as is hereinafter provided, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, cause or permit any Vehicle, except a Pedal Cycle, to enter or proceed along the length of road set out in Schedule 5 to this Order, in any direction other than that specified .

7. General Exemptions

Nothing in Articles 3, 4, 5 and 6 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any Vehicle to travel along any part of the lengths of road referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:

- a) the Vehicle to be used for fire brigade, ambulance or police purposes in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
- b) the Vehicle to be used for the purposes of a local authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road;
- c) the Vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road to be used in connection with the removal of any obstruction to traffic.

8. Exemptions to Article 3

Nothing in Articles 3 and 4 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any Vehicle to travel along any part of the lengths of road referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable the Vehicle is being used in connection with the carrying out, or on premises situated on or adjacent to that length of road, of any of the following operations namely:

- a) building, industrial or demolition operations;
- b) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said lengths of roads;
- c) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or in land adjacent to the said lengths of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus or the exercise of any other statutory power or duty for the maintenance and supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications system as defined in Section 4 of the Telecommunications Act 1984.

9. Miscellaneous

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

10. Commencement of Order

This Order shall come into force on the ***** 202* and may be cited as the “Lancashire County Council (Friargate Area, Preston, Preston City) (Revocation, Prohibition Of Driving And One Way Traffic) Order 201*”.

Dated this ** day of ***** 202*.

THE COMMON SEAL of the Lancashire County Council
was hereunto affixed pursuant to the Scheme of
Delegation to Heads of Service **OR** following a decision
made on the ** day of ** 202* by The Cabinet

Authorised Signatory

Schedule 1a – Revocations

Schedule 3.

Schedule 1b – Revocations

Schedule 3, Schedule 4 and Schedule 5.

Schedule 1c – Revocations

Cheapside, south to north, in the Seventh Schedule.

Schedule 2 – Prohibition of Driving Except Pedal Cycles

Friargate, Preston, from a point 14 metres north west of its junction with the centreline of Orchard Street for a distance of 51 metres in a north westerly direction.

Schedule 3 – Prohibition of Driving Except Pedal Cycles And Goods Vehicle Loading Between 4pm and Midnight and Midnight and 11am

- a) Friargate, Preston, from its junction with Cheapside and Market Street to a point 15 metres north west of its junction with the centreline of Orchard Street.
- b) Lowthian Street, Preston, the entire length.
- c) Market Street, Preston, from its junction with Earl Street to its junction with Lowthian Street; Orchard Street, Preston, the entire length.

Schedule 4 – One Way Traffic

Cheapside, Preston, from its junction with Fishergate for a distance of 47 metres, south to north.

Schedule 5 – One Way Traffic (except Pedal Cycles)

- a) Cheapside, Preston, from a point 47 metres north of its junction with the centreline of Fishergate to its junction with Market Street, south to north;
- b) Friargate, Preston, from its junction with the centreline of Market Street to its junction with the centreline of Orchard Street, east to west;
- c) Orchard Street, Preston, the entire length south west to north east.