

**BARNSELY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**THE METROPOLITAN BOROUGH OF BARNSELY**  
**(BARNSELY WEST AREA) (TRAFFIC REGULATION CONSOLIDATION)**  
**ORDER 2019 (AMENDMENT NO. - ) ORDER 201-**

**Statement of Reasons**

Reports of undue traffic congestion, obstruction caused by the loading/unloading of vehicles in the carriageway and footway parking were received relating to the A635 Doncaster Road in Kendray.

Barnsley MBC Highways department undertook a site visit, and an appraisal of the road was undertaken.

It was determined that both the carriageway and footways were being impacted by unlawful loading/unloading practices and inconsiderate and obstructive parking of cars on the footways. These actions by drivers were preventing the free flow of traffic and full use of the footways.

As a response to this situation, it is proposed to prohibit vehicles from waiting at any time on parts of both sides of the A635 Doncaster Road between Heathfields and Ashleigh Vale. Parts of the road will also be prohibited from loading/unloading at any time.

The Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 provides the appropriate powers for the Council to make the proposed Traffic Regulation Order and the Council is satisfied it is expedient to make the Order for avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the roads and for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising, and for facilitating the passage of traffic on the road.

In determining the extents of the proposed restrictions, the Council has had due regard to the duty imposed on it to exercise the functions conferred on it by the Act so as to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic (including pedestrians) and the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on and off the highway (Section 122 Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984) and is satisfied the traffic restrictions proposed will achieve those objectives.

Legal Service Director & Solicitor to the Council