

The Clean Neighbourhoods And Environment Act 2005

**The Dog Control Orders (Prescribed Offences And Penalties, Etc.) Regulations
2006 (S.I.2006/1059)**

Dogs On Leads (The Council of the Borough of Kirklees) Order 2011

The Council of the Borough of Kirklees (in this Order called "the Authority") hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order comes into force on **Monday 5th November 2012**.
2. This Order applies to the land specified in the Schedule.

Offence

- 3.1 A person in charge of a dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, on any land to which this Order applies, he does not keep the dog on a lead of not more than 2 metres in length, unless:-
 - a) he has a reasonable excuse for failing to do so; or
 - b) the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.
- 3.2 For the purposes of this article a person who habitually has a dog in his possession shall be taken to be in charge of the dog at any time unless at that time some other person is in charge of the dog;

Penalty

4. A person who is guilty of an offence under article 3 shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

GIVEN under the Corporate Seal of the Council of the Borough of Kirklees this 17th day of October Two Thousand and Twelve.

THE CORPORATE COMMON SEAL of the)

COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF KIRKLEES)

was hereunto affixed in the presence of : -)

Acting Assistant Director – Legal, Governance and Monitoring

Schedule

All land within the Council of the Borough of Kirklees and which is:

- a) Public roads, pavements, footways and any grass verge which is adjacent to the carriageway or footway and is maintained at public expense
- b) All car parks within the ownership of the Council of the Borough of Kirklees to which the public have access
- c) All sports grounds, fields, pitches, when in use for authorised sporting activities
- d) Any area of land defined as an allotment in accordance with Allotments Act 1925
- e) All cemeteries and burial grounds
- f) All bowling greens
- g) Castle Hill Local Nature Reserve – between 1st March and 31st July
- h) Footpaths over agricultural land as detailed on the attached maps
- i) The following schools sites, as shown on the maps attached to this order, limited, where indicated, to certain playing fields :-

Eastborough J, I & N School

Netherhall High

Rawthorpe Junior School

Rawthorpe St James I & N School

Rowley Lane J, I & N School (playing fields above the school)

South Crosland Junior School

The Federation of Clough Head and Wellhouse J and I Schools Golcar

Huddersfield (playing field across the road from the main Clough Head school site and the grassed area behind Wellhouse School)

Whitcliffe Mount Business & Enterprise College.

All the above areas are as on the maps attached to this order.