

KIRKLEES COUNCIL
(TRAFFIC REGULATION) (NO. 27) ORDER 2020
VEHICLE MOVEMENT RESTRICTIONS
COLNE ROAD/FOLLY HALL AND QUEEN STREET SOUTH, HUDDERSFIELD

The Council of the Borough of Kirklees propose to make the above Order under their powers in the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 the effect of which, as it affects lengths of road in the Huddersfield area of the Kirklees district, will be to

- (i) to create a mandatory left turn from Colne Road to Folly Hall; and
- (ii) introduce no right turn restriction from Market Hall multi-storey underground access road, Huddersfield to Queen Street South Huddersfield

REASON:

As part of the wider programme of highway works to the A616 corridor between Huddersfield and Lockwood, improvements at Folly Hall will ensure that the junctions at Colne Road and St. Thomas' Road operate more efficiently reducing peak time queuing.

The right turn out of B6432 Colne Road must be removed due to the new infrastructure layout and a mandatory left turn out of B6432 Colne Road onto A616 Folly Hall will be created to direct traffic.

Because of the above manoeuvre an alternative route has been created along Queen Street South. A change to the junction layout at the entrance to the underground access to the Market Hall multi-storey necessitates a right-turn ban to prevent vehicles turning southwards into Queen Street South. If anyone wishes to travel south from this access they need to join the A62 Queensgate inner ring road and then turn left on to Chapel Hill.

It is intended the Order will improve traffic flow for all road users and is part of a suite of highway improvements to upgrade parts of the network and alleviate congestion between Huddersfield town centre and communities to the south.

A copy of this draft Order, together with the plan showing the affected lengths of road and a detailed statement of reasons for proposing the Order may be examined at:-

- web address: <http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/trafficregulation>.
- or in the Covid 19 circumstances upon application to Highways.TRO@kirklees.gov.uk for a copy to be delivered by post
- or in the Covid 19 circumstances by emailing Gail.Bentley@kirklees.gov.uk
- or by telephone 01484 221000 asking for Gail Bentley

If you wish to object to the proposed Order you should send the grounds for your objection in writing to reach the undersigned at the legal services address given below by not later than 24th April 2021 quoting reference DEV/JE/D116-2027

Dated this 24th March 2021

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