

HIGHWAYS ACT 1986

**BOROUGH OF DOUGLAS (FORT STREET)
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 1997**

Coming into Operation: 10th April 1997

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Department of Transport by Section 38 of the Highways Act 1986 (a), and of all other enabling powers, the following Order is hereby

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as Borough of Douglas (Fort Street) (Temporary Prohibition of Through Traffic) Order 1997 and shall come into operation on 10th April 1997.

Closure of road to traffic

2. Subject to Article 3, no person shall except upon the direction or with the permission of a constable in uniform, proceed or cause any vehicle to proceed in that section of Fort Street, Douglas from its junction with Victoria Street to its junction with the Villiers Car Park.

Exemptions

3. Article 2 does not apply to persons or vehicles requiring access to premises or land adjacent to the road specified in Article 2 or to :-

- (1) persons or vehicles engaged in any of the following operations :-
 - (a) works in land or premises adjacent to the road specified in Article 2;
 - (b) works in the road specified in Article 2 authorised by statutory provisions; or
 - (c) in the service of a local authority or the Department of Transport in pursuance of any statutory functions in the road or in adjacent land or premises, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purposes on any other road; or
- (2) a vehicle being used in the course of duty by the police, fire brigade, ambulance service or coastguard service; or

- (3) a vehicle for which the driver holds a permit issued by the Department of Transport for its use in the road, at a time or for a purpose specified in the permit; or
- (4) such vehicular traffic as may be authorised by the Department.

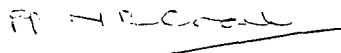
Duration

4. The Order shall continue in force until 17th April 1997, or until the demolition work is completed, whichever is the earlier.

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2nd April

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Minister for Transport

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not a part of the Order)

The effect of this Order is to prohibit vehicular and pedestrian traffic from proceeding in that section of Fort Street, Douglas from its junction with Victoria Street to its junction with the Villiers car park whilst demolition work is being undertaken.

An alternative route will be via Villiers Lane, Douglas.