



THE HIGHWAYS ACT 1986

LAXEY FAIR ORDER 1997

Coming into Operation : 5th July 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 made :-

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Laxey Fair Order 1997 and shall come into operation on the 5th July 1997.

Interpretation

2. In this Order:-

"the Department" means the Department of Transport;

"the promoter" means the Laxey Fair Committee;

"Fair" means the Laxey Fair;

"Fair period" means from the hour of 2.00 p.m. until the Fair is officially notified as completed in accordance with Article 5, or until not later than the hour of 6.00 p.m., whichever is the earlier;

"Scheduled road" means the road set out and described in the schedule.

Closure of road and temporary suspension and regulation of traffic

3. On the 5th July 1997, during the Fair period the Scheduled road shall be closed to, and the right of vehicular traffic to proceed thereover suspended, for all vehicular traffic other than such traffic as may be authorised by the promoter or by the Chief Constable.

Provision for the postponement of the Fair

4. In the event of adverse weather conditions or any other circumstances which may obtain on the 5th July 1997, the Fair may be postponed to the 6th July 1997, and in such event, this Order shall have effect where the context so admits as if that day were substituted for the 5th July 1997.

Duty of the Police to notify completion of Fair

5. It shall be the duty of the senior police officer present to ensure that an official motor vehicle displaying in a prominent position a notice with the words " Roads Open" thereon, shall be driven over the Scheduled road on completion of the Fair period and the passing of any part of such motor vehicle shall be official notification of the re-opening to vehicular traffic of that part so passed.

Erection of barriers and diversion signs

6. During the Fair the promoter may cause barriers and diversion signs to be erected and maintained along the length of the Scheduled road and at or near to the junction of the Scheduled road road with those roads leading into the Scheduled road. Such barriers and signs must be dismantled and removed immediately after the conclusion of the Fair period.

Notice of the making of the Order

7. Public notice of this Order shall be given by advertisement in one Isle of Man newspaper.

SCHEDULE

The whole of Captains Hill from its junction with the main Douglas/Ramsey Coast Road at Blacks Fireplaces to its junction with Glen Road and Church Hill.

MADE 16th April.

1997



Minister for Transport

