

LONDON BOROUGH OF MERTON

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ORDER

2020 No. 115

The Merton (Prescribed Route) (Frinton Road and Gunton Road) Traffic Order 2020

Made: 16 December 2020

Coming into force: 29 December 2020

The London Borough of Merton, after consulting the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, in exercise of powers conferred by sections 6 and 124 of, and Part IV of Scheduled 9 to, the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a), as amended by section 8 of and Part 1 of Schedule 5 to the Local Government Act 1985(b) and all other powers thereunto enabling hereby make the following Order: -

1. This Order shall come into force on 29 December 2020 and may be cited as the Merton (Prescribed Route) (Frinton Road and Gunton Road) Traffic Order 2020.

2. In this Order:-

"enactment" means any enactment, whether public general or local, and includes any order, byelaw, rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment and any reference in this Order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment;

"pedal cycle" has the same meaning as in the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016(c);

"prescribed hours" means the periods specified in column 3 of the Schedule to this Order in relation to the corresponding road or roads specified in column 2 of that Schedule;

"provision of a universal postal service" and "universal service provider" have the same meanings as in section 65 of the Postal Services Act 2011(d);

"permit" means a permit issued by the Council;

"traffic sign" has the same meaning as in section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;

"white list" means a list of vehicles by reference to vehicle registration number, make and model held and maintained by the Council which are exempt from the prohibition specified in Article 3 to this Order.

- 3. Without prejudice to the validity of anything done or to any liability incurred in respect of any act or omission before the coming into force of this Order, no person shall cause any vehicle to enter or proceed in the road or roads specified in column 2 of the Schedule to this Order during the corresponding prescribed hours specified in column 3 of the Schedule to this Order.
- 4. Nothing in Article 3 of this the Order shall apply to:-
 - (a) a pedal cycle;
 - (b) a vehicle bearing a livery which is used by a universal service provider and which is being used for the purposes of the provision of a universal postal service:
 - (c) a vehicle being used for the laying, erection, alteration or repairs of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity of any telecommunication system provided that in all the circumstances it is reasonably necessary in the performance of such duties of that vehicle to enter any road or length of road specified in column 2 of the Schedule to this Order;
 - (d) any vehicle when used in the service of a local authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties provided that in all the circumstances it is reasonable necessary in the exercise of such powers or in the performance of such duties for that vehicle to enter or proceed in any road or length of road specified in column 2 of the Schedule to this Order;
 - (e) to any vehicle on the white list:
 - (f) to any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes;
 - (g) anything done with the permission or at the direction of a police constable in uniform:
 - (h) any person who causes any vehicle to proceed in accordance with any restriction or requirement indicated by traffic signs placed on the highway pursuant to section 66 or section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.
- 5. The Merton (Prescribed Route) (Frinton Road and Gunton Road) Experimental Traffic Order 2019(e) is hereby revoked.

Dated this sixteenth day of December 2020.

Paul McGarry Head of futureMerton London Borough of Merton

SCHEDULE

1.	2.	3.
No.	ROAD	PRESCRIBED HOURS
1.	Frinton Road	Between 8am and 9.30am and between 2.45pm and 4pm
		Mondays to Fridays
2.	Gunton Road	Between 8am and 9.30am and between 2.45pm and 4pm
		Mondays to Fridays

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order continues in force indefinitely a no entry prohibition for motorised vehicles in Frinton Road and Gunton Road during the prescribed hours.

Affected traffic can proceed using Links Road, Seely Road, Eastbourne Road or Hailsham Road.