

# LONDON BOROUGH OF MERTON

## INTRODUCTION OF A DIESEL SURCHARGE FOR ALL RESIDENT, BUSINESS AND TRADE PERMITS AND A DISCOUNTED RATE FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE RESIDENT PARKING PERMITS

### THE MERTON (PARKING PLACES) (PARKING CHARGES) ORDER 201\*

1. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Council of the London Borough of Merton propose to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 46 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to:-
  - (a) apply an additional charge (diesel levy) to resident, business and trade parking permits for all diesel vehicles. This would be phased in over a 3 year period as follows:-
    - (i) £90 annual surcharge from 1 April 2017;
    - (ii) £115 annual surcharge from 1 April 2018; and
    - (iii) £150 annual surcharge from 1 April 2019.

NB 1: permits issued for a duration of less than a year would be subject to the surcharge on a pro-rata basis;

NB 2: proposed GC1 and CW3 zones would be subject to the diesel levy phased in annually over a 3 year period beginning on the first anniversary of those zones coming into operation;
  - (b) set the resident parking permit charge for electric vehicles at a discounted rate of £25 per annum.

The new charges would apply to all controlled parking zones in the London Borough of Merton.

3. A copy of the proposed Order and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, including a plan which indicates the roads to which the Order relates can be inspected Monday to Friday during normal office hours at Merton Link, Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey. The information can be viewed on the Council's website [www.merton.gov.uk/diesellevy](http://www.merton.gov.uk/diesellevy) . The documents can also be inspected at all Merton operated libraries.
4. Any person desiring to comment on the proposed Order should send a statement in writing of their representations or objections and the grounds thereof, to the Environment and Regeneration Department at the Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey, SM4 5DX, or alternatively by email to [trafficandhighways@merton.gov.uk](mailto:trafficandhighways@merton.gov.uk) quoting reference **ES/DIESELLEVY**, no later than **3 February 2017**.

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