The County of Powys (Various Roads, Newtown) (Prohibition of Heavy Vehicles) Order 2019

<u>WHEREAS</u> POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL ("the Council") being the highway authority for the lengths of road described in Article 2 of this Order is satisfied that due to public safety and environmental concerns, the weight of goods vehicles passing along the said lengths of road should be restricted.

NOW THEREFORE the Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1) and (2) and 2(1) and (4) and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") and in accordance with the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure) (England and Wales) Regulations 1996 and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby makes the following Order:

- 1) In this Order the terms "goods vehicle" and "maximum gross weight" shall have the same meaning as in the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.
- 2) Save as provided in Article 3 of this Order, no person shall except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform or a traffic warden cause any goods vehicle the maximum gross weight of which exceeds seven and a half tonnes to proceed in any of the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.
- 3) Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause any goods vehicle to proceed in the lengths of road specified in the Schedule to this Order if the vehicle is being used:
 - (a) for the conveyance of persons goods or merchandise to and from premises situated on or adjacent to those lengths of road;
 - (b) in connection with the carrying out on or at premises situated on or adjacent to those lengths of road of any of the following operations namely:
 - (i) building industrial or demolition operations;
 - (ii) the removal of obstructions to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance improvement or reconstruction of those lengths of road; or
 - (iv) the laying erection alteration or repair in or in land adjacent to those lengths of road of any sewer or any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas water or electricity or any telegraphic line as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984.

- (c) in the service of a local authority or a water undertaker or sewerage undertaker in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
- (d) for fire brigade, police or ambulance purposes;
- (e) for the purposes of gaining access to or egress from any premises which are situated on or adjacent to any of those lengths of road and at which the vehicle is to be, or has been, garaged serviced or repaired;
- (f) for the purposes of agriculture on any land adjacent to those lengths of road or for or in connection with the conveyance or haulage of timber felled upon such land;
- (g) for the conveyance of goods for sale from the vehicle; or
- (h) in instances where the height of the vehicle exceeds thirteen feet three inches in height, and is unable to proceed in any of those lengths of the A483(T) and the A489(T) trunk road known as Newtown Bypass because of an emergency road closure due to ice or snow conditions or other reason, and temporary diversion signage is in place to route high sided vehicles along any particular length of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.
- 4) The plans annexed hereto are for the purposes of identification only.
- 5) The County or Powys (Various Roads, Newtown) (Prohibition of Heavy Commercial Vehicles) Order 1994 is hereby revoked.
- 6) The County of Powys (Middle Dolfor Road, Newtown) (Prohibition of Heavy Commercial Vehicles) Order 1990 is hereby revoked.
- 7) This Order shall come into operation on the XXXth day of XXX 2019 and may be cited as The County of Powys (Various Roads, Newtown) (Prohibition of Heavy Vehicles) Order 2019.

SCHEDULE

Lengths of Road in the Community of Newtown and Llanllwchaiarn and Kerry

i. County Unclassified Road Number U4216, Heol Treowen

That length which extends from its junction with the B4801 County Classified Road, Kerry Road, for a distance of approximately 1.27 kilometres in a south-westerly direction to its junction with the B4800 County Classified Road, Dolfor Road.

ii. County Unclassified Road Number U4206, Plantation Lane

That length which extends from its junction with the B4800 County Classified Road, Dolfor Road, for a distance of approximately 630 metres in a south-westerly direction to its junction with the U4204 County Unclassified Road, Maesyrhandir Estate Road.

iii. County Unclassified Road Number U4204, Maesyrhandir Estate Road

That length which extends from its junction with the U4206 County Unclassified Road, Plantation Lane, for a distance of approximately 690 metres in a north-westerly direction then south-westerly direction then south-easterly direction to its junction with the U4202 County Unclassified Road, Lon Gerylli.

iv. County Unclassified Road Number U4202, Lon Gerylli

That length which extends from its junction with the U4204 County Unclassified Road, Maesyrhandir Estate Road, for a distance of approximately 230 metres in a generally westerly direction to its junction with the A4811 County Classified Road, Llanidloes Road.

v. County Classified Road Number C2061, Middle Dolfor Road

That length which extends from its northern junction with the B4800 County Classified Road roundabout near Garth Owen, for a distance of approximately 3.22 kilometres in a southerly direction to its junction with the A483 Trunk Road at Vicarage Corner, Dolfor.

GIVEN under the Common Seal of Powys County Council this XXXrd day of XXX two thousand and nineteen.

THE COMMON SEAL of POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto	,
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affixed in the presence of:-	,

Solicitor to the Council