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*The Trunk Road (Various Roads, Pontypool) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 1979*

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for Wales has made an Order under section 1 and 84D of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1967, as amended by Part IX of the Transport Act 1968 and Schedule 6 to the Road Traffic Act 1974, which shall come into operation on 8th September 1979. The effect of the Order will be:

- (i) to revoke the Trunk Road (The Highway, Pontypool) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 1963 and the Trunk Road (Pontypool, Monmouthshire) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 1973; and
- (ii) to prohibit waiting at any time on the sides of road specified in the Schedule to this Notice.

Exceptions will be provided in the Order to enable a vehicle to wait for so long as may be necessary for a person to board or alight from the vehicle; to enable the vehicle to be used in connection with any building, industrial or demolition operation, the removal of any obstruction to traffic, or the maintenance of the road or the services therein; or to enable the vehicle to be used in the service of local authority or of a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.

Exceptions will also be provided in the Order to enable a vehicle to wait for so long as may be necessary on the sides of road specified in Schedule 1 to this Notice to enable goods to be loaded on to or unloaded from the vehicle; or to enable a vehicle to wait for so long as may be necessary on the sides of road specified in Schedule 2 to this notice to enable goods to be loaded on to or unloaded from the vehicle, provided that this exemption will not apply so as to exempt any person from the prohibition of waiting on the said sides of road in so far as any time necessary for the purpose of loading or unloading goods from a vehicle falls between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. or between the hours of 4 p.m. and 6 p.m., on Mondays to Saturdays inclusive, unless the vehicle is in actual use on the said sides of road for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets as defined in section 87 of the Post Office Act 1953.

Exceptions will also be provided in the Order to allow vehicles bearing both a disabled person's badge and a parking disc (on which the driver, or other person in charge of the vehicle, has marked the time at which the period of waiting began) to wait on the sides of road specified in Schedule 1 to this notice for a period not exceeding 2 hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than

1 hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle on the same side of road).

A copy of the Order, together with a plan and statement of reasons for making the Order, may be seen during normal office hours at the offices of the Torfaen Borough Council, Town Hall, Pontypool, during a period of 6 weeks from 6th September 1979.

Copies of the Order may be obtained, free of charge on application to the Secretary of State, Welsh Office, Transport and Highways Group, Government Buildings, Ty Glas Road, Llanishen, Cardiff CF4 5PL quoting reference WR15/3/70.

If you wish to question the validity of the Order or of any provisions contained therein on the grounds that it is not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1967, as amended by Part IX of the Transport Act 1968, or that any requirement of that Act or of any instrument made under it, has not been complied with in relation to the Order, you may, within the aforesaid period of 6 weeks apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.

#### SCHEDULES

*Sides of the Newport-Shrewsbury Trunk Road (A4042)*

#### SCHEDULE 1

(1) The eastern side of that length of the trunk road known in part as Newport Road and in part as The Highway at Pontypool in the County of Gwent which extends from a point 400 yards south of its junction with Jerusalem Lane in a general northerly direction to a point 310 yards north-west of the said junction a distance of approximately 710 yards.

(2) The western side of that length of the trunk road known in part as Newport Road and in part as The Highway at Pontypool in the County of Gwent which extends from a point 400 yards south of its junction with Jerusalem Lane in a general northerly direction to a point 343 yards north-west of the said junction, a distance of approximately 743 yards.

(3) The north-eastern side of that length of the trunk road known as The Highway at Pontypool in the County of Gwent which extends from a point 200 yards south-east of its junction with Golf Road in a general north-westerly direction to a point 220 yards north-west of its junction with Coed-y-Canddo Road, a distance of approximately 1,160 yards.

(4) The south-western side of that length of the trunk road known as The Highway at Pontypool in the County of Gwent which extends from a point 97 yards south-east of