## **ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984**

## THE COUNTY OF HEREFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## (C1268 HOLME LACY ROAD, HEREFORD) (7.5 TONNES MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT) EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2008

The County of Herefordshire District Council ("the Council") in exercise of their powers under sections 1, 2 and 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (referred to as "the Act") and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act hereby propose to make the following Experimental Order:-:-

- 1. This Order shall come into operation on the 24<sup>th</sup> November 2008 and may be cited as the County of Herefordshire District Council (C1268 Holme Lacy Road, Hereford) (7.5 Tonnes maximum Gross Weight) Experimental Order 2008
- Save as provided in Article 4 of this Order no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a Police Officer in uniform or of a Civil Enforcement Officer in uniform (when authorised by statute), cause or permit any vehicle, the maximum gross weight of which exceeds 7.5 tonnes to proceed along the C1268 Holme Lacy Road, Hereford from a point 100m west of the west face of the railway overbridge to a point 84m east of the east face of the railway overbridge as shown for identification purposes only on the attached plan.
- 3. In this Order "maximum gross weight" shall have the same meaning as in the Traffic Signs Regulations 2002.
- 4. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause a vehicle exceeding 7.5 tonnes gross weight to proceed along the length of roads referred to in that Article if the vehicle:-
  - is being used for the conveyance of persons, goods or merchandise, furniture or effects to or from any land or premises situate on or adjacent to the said length of road to which there is no satisfactory alternative means of access;
  - (b) is being used in connection with any building or industrial operation or demolition in or adjacent to the length of road, the removal of any obstruction of traffic, or the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said length of road or the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or adjacent to the length of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984:
  - is being used in an emergency for fire brigade, police or ambulance purposes;

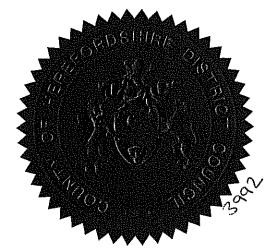
- (d) is being used for the purposes of agriculture in connection with land adjacent to the said length of road for or in connection with the conveyance or haulage of timber felled upon that land;
- (e) is being used to proceed to or from any premises which are situated on or adjacent to the said length of road and at which the vehicle is to be, or has been garaged, serviced or repaired;
- (f) is being used in connection with a circus, fair or similar event the holding of which is on, or in the vicinity of the said length of road and has had prior written authorisation by the Council;
- (g) is being used on the said length of road for or in connection with the conveyance of goods for sale from that vehicle;
- is being used to gain access to any land or premises situated on or adjacent to the said length of road to which there is not a satisfactory alternative means of vehicular access;
- (i) is a mechanical road cleansing vehicle;
- cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, other than the said length of road specified in this Order, when being used in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
- 5. The Council are satisfied that, for preserving or improving the amenities of the lengths of roads referred to in Article 1 of this Order, by restricting the use on the said lengths of roads of heavy commercial vehicles, it is requisite that Section 3(1) of the Act should not apply in relation to this Order
- The Director of Environment and Culture or other officer or person of the Council authorised by him/her may suspend or modify the provisions of this Order in accordance with the statutory provisions of section 10 of the Act
- 7. References to any statutory provision herein shall include reference to any statutory modification substitution or re-enactment thereof

Dated this 21st day of October 2008

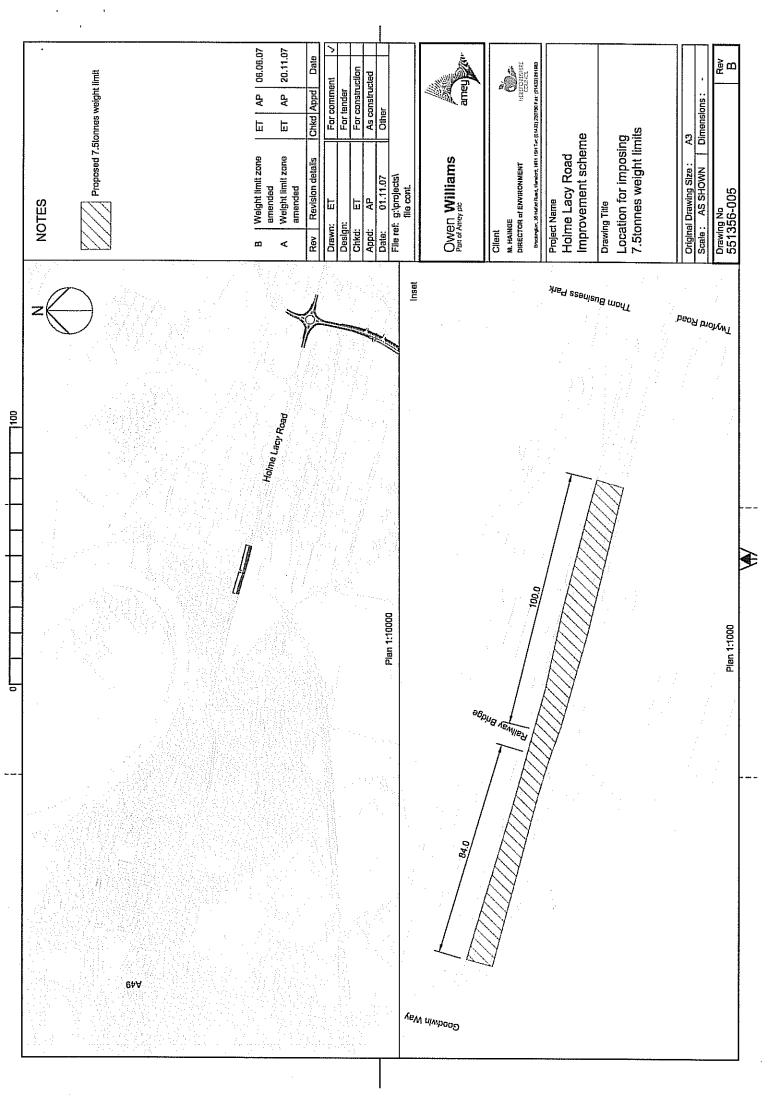
THE COMMON SEAL of THE COUNTY OF HEREFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL was hereunto

affixed BY ORDER

.Authorised Officer



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