STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2025 No. 182

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

The Waiting Restrictions (Portstewart) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2025

Made - - - -	*19th November 2025*
Coming into operation -	*15th December 2025*

The Department for Infrastructure(**a**) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 4(1), (2) and (3) of the Road Traffic Regulation (Northern Ireland) Order 1997(**b**) ("the 1997 Order") and now vested in it(**c**).

In accordance with Article 4(6) and paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 1 to the 1997 Order, the Department has consulted such persons as it considers appropriate.

The Department has published a notice in compliance with paragraphs 1 and 3 of that Schedule.

No written objection or other representation has been received.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Waiting Restrictions (Portstewart) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2025 and shall come into operation on 15th December 2025.

Amendments

2.—(1) The Waiting Restrictions (Portstewart) Order (Northern Ireland) 2017(**d**) is amended in accordance with paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) In Article 1(2), for the definitions of "postal packet" and "universal service provider" substitute—

"postal packet" has the same meaning as in section 65(1) of the Postal Services Act 2011(**e**); and

"universal service provider" has the same meaning as in section 65(1) of the Postal Services Act 2011.

(3) In Schedule 1 for item no. 3 substitute the following—

(**a**) Formerly the Department for Regional Development; see section 1(6) and (11) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) 2016 (2016 c. 5 (N.I.))
(**b**) S.I. 1997/276 (N.I. 2)
(**c**) S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 6(d) and Schedule 4 Part IV
(**d**) S.R. 2017 No. 238
(**e**) 2011 c.5

"3. Strand Road (north-west and north-east sides) – from a point 52 metres south-west of its junction with Burnside Road Roundabout for a distance of 386 metres in a south-westerly and then north-westerly direction."

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 19th November 2025

(L.S.)

R Balfour
A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order amends the Waiting Restrictions (Portstewart) Order (Northern Ireland) 2017 ("the Order") by amending the definitions of postal packet and universal service provider (Article 2(2)) and extending the length of an existing no waiting at any time restriction (loading and unloading permitted) on Strand Road (Article 2(3)). Vehicles are excepted from the restriction in certain circumstances.

A penalty charge (£90) is payable with respect to a vehicle in a contravention of the Order in accordance with the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 and The Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006.

Traffic signs indicating the effect of this Order will in due course be placed on the road.