STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2026 No. 160

ROADS

The Little Victoria Street Car Park, Belfast (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2026

Made - - - -	*16th September 2026*
Coming into operation	*20th October 2026*

The Department for Infrastructure(**a**) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 68(1) and (5) of the Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993(**b**) and now vested in it(**c**).

The Department in accordance with Article 68(4) of that Order proposes to abandon the areas of road described in the Schedule as they are not necessary for road traffic.

Notice has been published, served and displayed in compliance with paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 8 to that Order.

No objection has been received.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Little Victoria Street Car Park, Belfast (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2026 and shall come into operation on 20th October 2026.

Application

2. The areas of road described in the Schedule are abandoned.

3.—(1) All existing cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus placed along, across, over or under the abandoned area of road shall be retained.

(2) All existing rights as to the use or maintenance of such cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus shall be preserved.

(**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. 1993/3160 (N.I. 15)
(**c**) S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 6(d) and Schedule 4 Part IV

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 16th September 2026

(L.S.)

R Balfour
A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

SCHEDULE

Article 2

AREAS OF ROAD TO BE ABANDONED

1. An area of 231.976 square metres of Little Victoria Street, Belfast extending from a point 10 metres north of its junction with Downshire Place for a distance of 23 metres in a northerly direction, more particularly delineated and shown hatched and coloured red on map no. IN1/26/255364.

2. An area of 137.184 square metres of road previously known as Little Brunswick Street and now incorporated within Little Victoria Street Car Park, Belfast extending from No. 2 Bruce Street for a distance of 12 metres in a southerly direction, more particularly delineated and shown hatched and coloured red on map no. IN1/26/255364.

A copy of the map has been deposited at the Department's Headquarters, 3rd Floor-Area A, James House, Gasworks Site, 2-4 Cromac Avenue, Belfast and at DfI TRAM Eastern Division, Hydebank House, 4a Hospital Road, Ballydollaghan, Belfast.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order abandons the areas of road described in the Schedule.