STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2026 No. 98

ROADS

The Meenan Square, Derry/Londonderry (Footways) (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2026

Made - - - -	*27th May 2026*
Coming into operation- -	*30th June 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 on completion of works providing alternative facilities for road traffic to abandon the areas of road described in the Schedule.

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

No written objection or other representation has been received.

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Meenan Square, Derry/Londonderry (Footways) (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2026 and shall come into operation on 30th June 2026.

(2) In this Order "the Developer" means Apex Homes Association, whose registered office is situated at 10 Butcher Street, Derry/Londonderry, BT48 6HL.

Application

2. The Developer shall carry out such works as the Department considers necessary for the provision of alternative facilities for road traffic and, on completion of works, the areas of road described in the Schedule shall be 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 relocated.

(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 27th May 2026

(L.S.)

R Balfour
A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

SCHEDULE

Article 2

AREAS OF ROAD TO BE ABANDONED

A total of 382.54 square metres of footway at Meenan Square, Derry/Londonderry comprising the following three sections:

(a) 283.59 square metres of footway (marked Plot 1 on map);

(b) 29.33 square metres of footway (marked Plot 2 on map); and

(c) 70.62 square metres of footway (marked Plot 3 on map).

These areas are particularly delineated and shown hatched and coloured red on map number IN1/26/103562.

A copy of the map has been deposited at the Department's Headquarters, 3rd Floor, James House, The Gasworks, 2-4 Cromac Avenue, Belfast and at TRAM Western Division, County Hall, Drumagh Avenue, Omagh.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order abandons the areas of footway described in the Schedule on completion of works to provide alternative facilities for road traffic.