**CITY OF NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE**

**(HEATON AREA – LOW TRAFFIC NEIGHBOURHOOD)**

**EXPERIMENTAL TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER 2023**

1. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that on 5th January 2023 the Council of the City of Newcastle upon Tyne made an Order under Sections 9, 10 and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

2. The effect of the Order, which will **come into operation on 23rd January 2023**, is to **introduce a prohibition of driving of motor vehicles restriction** on the following length of road. The restriction will not apply to pedal cycles -

 **Elizabeth Street** - from a point 17 metres north of its junction with Hannington Street in a northerly direction for a distance of 16 metres.

3. The Order is required to improve road safety by reducing the volume of through traffic in this location.

4. **If you wish to view the documents** relating to the Order (including the Order, Map and a statement of the Council’s reasons for proceeding by way of experiment and of its intention to consider making a permanent Order in like terms, please email a request to streetworks@newcastle.gov.uk Alternatively, please telephone (0191) 2787878 to request a copy of the documents.

 Details can also be viewed at [www.letstalknewcastle.co.uk](http://www.letstalknewcastle.co.uk)

5. The Order will be in force for a period not exceeding 18 months during which time consideration will be given to making a permanent Order in like terms.

6. If you wish to object to the possibility of the Order being made permanent, you should send your objection or representation by **24th July 2023** to Newcastle Parking Services, PO Box 2BL, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE99 2BL, or by email to traffic.notices2@newcastle.gov.uk in either case quoting reference TR/P44/1314. Any objection or representation MUST be made in writing and where an objection is made, it must state the grounds of the objection.

7. If it appears essential to the Council that it is necessary in the interests of the expeditious, convenient or safe movement of traffic or of the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on the highway or for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which any length of road affected by the Order runs, then a nominated officer of the Council may modify or suspend the Order or any provisions thereof.

8. If you wish to question the validity of the Order or of any of its provisions on the grounds that it or they are not within the powers conferred by the Act or of any instrument made under it has not been complied with in relation to the Order you may, within six weeks from 5th January 2023, apply to the High Court for this purpose.

Dated: 13th January 2023

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