

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

**TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 2005**

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**PURPOSE**

**CONSULTATION**

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*This Explanatory Memorandum refers to the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 No. 1964*

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