

## 1979 No. 345

## ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

## Prohibition of U-Turn (Banbridge) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979

Made . . . . . 1st October 1979

Coming into operation . . . . . 12th November 1979

The Department of the Environment in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 19 of the Road Traffic Act (Northern Ireland) 1970(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf hereby makes the following order:—

*Citation, commencement and interpretation*

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Prohibition of U-Turn (Banbridge) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979 and shall come into operation on 12th November 1979.

(2) In this order:—

“central reservation” means that part of road which separates the two carriageways of Bridge Street, Banbridge.

*Prohibition of U-Turn*

2. Subject to article 3 no person shall cause or permit any vehicle when proceeding in a north-easterly direction along Bridge Street, Banbridge, to make a U-turn at the end of the central reservation opposite the junction of Downshire Road with Bridge Street.

*Exemptions*

3. Article 2 shall not apply to:—

- (a) vehicles used in an emergency for fire brigade, ambulance or police purposes; or
- (b) a vehicle, the driver of which is acting upon the direction or with the permission of a constable in uniform or of a traffic warden.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 1st October 1979.

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*T. J. McCormick*

Senior Assistant Secretary

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(a) 1970 c. 2 (N.I.) as substituted by art. 14 S.I. 1978/1051 (N.I. 21)

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order but is intended to indicate its general purport.)*

The effect of the order is to prohibit vehicles when proceeding in a north-easterly direction along Bridge Street, Banbridge, from making a U-turn at the end of the central reservation opposite the junction of Downshire Road with Bridge Street.

Traffic signs indicating the effect of the order have been erected on the road.

Any person who acts in contravention of the order shall be guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £100.