



# Roads (Scotland) Act 1984

## 1984 CHAPTER 54

### PART I

#### PUBLIC ROADS

##### *Special roads*

### **8 Further provision as regards classification of traffic for purposes of special roads.**

- (1) Different classes of traffic may be prescribed by a scheme under section 7 of this Act in relation to different parts of the special road to which the scheme relates.
- (2) The classes of traffic prescribed by any such scheme shall be prescribed by reference to the classes set out in Schedule 3 to this Act.
- (3) The Secretary of State may by order vary the classes of traffic specified in the said Schedule 3 and the composition of any such class; <sup>F1</sup> . . .
- [<sup>F2</sup>(4) A variation order may contain provision applying the variations made by the order to existing schemes (whether made by the Secretary of State or a local roads authority); and in the absence of such provision a variation order does not affect the classes of traffic prescribed in an existing scheme.
- (5) In subsection (4) above an “existing scheme” means a scheme under section 7 made before the order comes into operation.]

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in s. 8(3) omitted (21.10.1991) by virtue of [New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 \(c. 22, SIF 59, 108\)](#), s. 45 (with savings s. 47(4)); S.I. 1991/2286, art. 2(1), [Sch. 1](#)
- F2** S. 8(4)(5) inserted (21.10.1991) by [New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 \(c. 22, SIF 59, 108\)](#), s. 45 (with savings s. 47(4)); S.I. 1991/2286, art. 2(1), [Sch. 1](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Roads (Scotland) Act 1984, Section 8 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 11 February 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 152(3)(3ZA) substituted for s. 152(3) by [2019 asp 17 s. 124\(2\)](#)