

# New Roads and Street Works Act 1991

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Recovery of property taken in distress, &c.

3 (1) Where before the ending of the concession possession of...

## Validity of previous discharge of liabilities

4 Where a liability has been discharged before the ending of...

Property subject to covenants, conditions or restrictions

5 Except as provided by paragraph 2, property vesting in the...

Transfer of agreements, &c.

6 (1) Subject to the concession agreement and to paragraph 2,...

Legal or other proceedings

7 (1) Subject to the concession agreement, all legal or other...

Transfer of employees

8 For the purposes of the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of...

SCHEDULE 2 — Procedure in Connection with Toll Orders

# Publicity for proposals

- 1 (1) Where the Secretary of State proposes to make a...
- 2 (1) The Secretary of State or the local highway authority,...
- 3 If it appears to the Secretary of State or, as...
- 4 (1) Before or after the end of the period specified...

#### Making of objections

5 (1) A person who objects to the making or confirmation...

## Local inquiry

6 (1) If an objection is received by the Secretary of...

Making or confirmation of order

7 (1) The Secretary of State, after considering—

Notice of making or confirmation of order

8 As soon as may be after a toll order has...

Special parliamentary procedure where existing highway appropriated or transferred

9 (1) A toll order shall be subject to special parliamentary...

Challenge to validity of order or certificate

- 10 (1) If a person aggrieved by a toll order desires...
- 11 (1) In relation to a toll order which is subject...

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2 The street authority may require the payment of—

#### Conditions attached to licence

- 3 A street authority may attach to a street works licence...
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Notice of change of ownership, &c.

5 (1) Where the licensee under a street works licence proposes—...

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6 (1) The street authority may by notice in writing served...

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7 (1) Where a street works licence expires or is withdrawn...

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8 (1) The licensee under a street works licence shall indemnify...

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9 (1) Where the apparatus in respect of which an application...

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1 In this Schedule a "street with special engineering difficulties" means...

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- 3 Emergency works may be executed without a plan and section...
- 4 (1) In the case of a street which is not...
- 5 (1) A relevant authority to whom a plan and section...
- 6 If an undertaker— (a) executes any works in contravention of...

### Procedure on submission of plan and section

- 7 (1) A relevant authority to whom there is submitted a...
- 8 (1) Where a relevant authority give notice approving the plan...
- 9 A sewer authority or bridge authority may not give notice—...

#### Settlement of plan and section by arbitration

- 10 (1) The duty of the arbitrator where a matter is...
- 11 (1) Where the reference relates to the placing, altering or...

Objection to works executed without plan and section being settled

12 (1) This paragraph applies where street works have been executed...

Execution of works in accordance with plan and section

13 (1) An undertaker executing street works in a street with...

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## Notice to parties affected

2 Not later than the day on which the notice is...

## Local inquiry

- 3 (1) The Secretary of State shall cause a local inquiry...
- 4 (1) The provisions of section 250(2) to (5) of the...

## Making of order

5 After considering any objections to the order which are not...

# Special parliamentary procedure

6 If any objection is duly made by a person required...

# SCHEDULE 6 — Roads with special engineering difficulties

## Introductory

1 In this Schedule a "road with special engineering difficulties" means...

## Requirement of plan and section

- 2 (1) In a road with special engineering difficulties road works...
- 3 Emergency works may be executed without a plan and section...
- 4 (1) In the case of a road which is not...
- 5 (1) A relevant authority to whom a plan and section...
- 6 If an undertaker— (a) executes any works in contravention of...

#### Procedure on submission of plan and section

- 7 (1) A relevant authority to whom there is submitted a...
- 8 (1) Where a relevant authority give notice approving the plan...
- A local authority in whom a sewer is vested or...

# Settlement of plan and section by arbitration

- 10 (1) The duty of the arbiter where a matter is...
- 11 (1) Where the reference relates to the placing, altering or...

## Objection to works executed without plan and section being settled

12 (1) This paragraph applies where road works have been executed...

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13 (1) An undertaker executing road works in a road with...

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Where the Secretary of State proposes to make an order...

## Notice to parties affected

2 Not later than the day on which the notice is...

## Local inquiry

- 3 (1) The Secretary of State shall cause a local inquiry...
- 4 (1) If the Secretary of State so directs, an inquiry...

## Making of order

5 After considering any objections to the order which are not...

## Special parliamentary procedure

6 If any objection is duly made by a person required...

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- 2 After section 140 of the Highways Act 1980, insert—"Builders"...
- 3 In section 144 of the Highways Act 1980 (power to...
- 4 In section 169 of the Highways Act 1980 (control of...
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- 10 In section 285 of the Highways Act 1980 (power of...
- 11 In section 290 of the Highways Act 1980 (supplementary provisions...
- 12 In section 292 of the Highways Act 1980 (compensation for...
- 13 In section 314 of the Highways Act 1980 (offences by...
- 14 In section 325 of the Highways Act 1980 (provisions as...
- 15 (1) Section 329(1) of the Highways Act 1980 (interpretation) is...
- 16 (1) Section 334 of the Highways Act 1980 (savings for...
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- 17 (1) Section 1 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 18 (1) Section 2 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 19 In section 3(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 20 In section 5 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

#### Orders as to traffic regulation in Greater London

- 21 (1) Section 6 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 22 In section 8 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 23 (1) Section 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 24 (1) Section 10 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

25 In section 12 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

#### Temporary prohibition or restriction of traffic

- 26 (1) Section 14 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 27 In section 16 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 28 (1) Section 17 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 29 After section 17 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 30 In section 18 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 31 (1) Section 19 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 32 In section 20 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 34 (1) Section 22 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 35 (1) Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 39 In section 32 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 40 In section 34 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 41 (1) Section 37 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 43 In section 43 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 44 (1) Section 45 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 45 In section 53(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984,...
- 46 (1) Section 55 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 47 In section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 48 (1) Section 65 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 49 In section 66(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 50 In section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 51 (1) Section 68 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 54 In section 71 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- In section 73 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 57 In section 79 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 58 In section 80 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 59 (1) Section 82 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

- 60 (1) Section 83 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 61 In section 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 62 (1) Section 85 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 63 In section 86 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
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- 65 (1) Section 92 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 66 (1) Section 93 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 67 (1) Section 94 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 68 In section 100(5) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 69 In section 106 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 70 In the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, at the beginning...
- 71 In section 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 72 In section 124(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 73 In section 125(3) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 74 In section 130 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 75 (1) Section 131 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 76 (1) Section 132 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 77 In section 134(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 78 (1) Section 142(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 79 In Schedule 3 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...
- 80 (1) Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984...

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- 81 In section 35(2)(a) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (provision...
- 82 In section 39(4) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (status...
- 83 In section 56(3) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (control...
- 84 In section 57(5) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (dangerous...
- 85 In section 59(6) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (control...
- 86 In section 60 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (fencing...
- 87 In section 61 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (granting...
- After section 61 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 there...
- 89 In section 85 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (control...
- 90 In section 121(2) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (power...
- 91 In section 132(3) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (saving...
- 92 In section 135(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (restriction...
- 93 In subsection (2) of section 143 of the Roads (Scotland)...
- 94 In section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (interpretation)—...
- 95 In section 155(d) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (general...
- 96 (1) In Schedule 1 to the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984...
- 97 At the end of Schedule 2 to the Roads (Scotland)...

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98 In section 10 of the Roads Act 1920 (powers of...

## Fire Services Act 1947 (c. 41)

99 (1) The Fire Services Act 1947 is amended as follows....

# Land Powers (Defence) Act 1958 (c. 30)

100 In the Land Powers (Defence) Act 1958, after section 18...

## Pipelines Act 1962 (c. 58)

101 (1) The Pipelines Act 1962 is amended as follows.

New Towns (Scotland) Act 1968 (c. 16)

102 In section 8 of the New Towns (Scotland) Act 1968...

Sewerage (Scotland) Act 1968 (c. 47)

103 (1) The Sewerage (Scotland) Act 1968 is amended as follows....

Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1972 (c. 52)

104 In section 209(2) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland)...

Control of Pollution Act 1974 (c. 40)

In section 105(1) of the Control of Pollution Act 1974...

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 (c. 57)

106 In section 15 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act...

Development of Rural Wales Act 1976 (c. 75)

107 In Schedule 3 to the Development of Rural Wales Act...

Water (Scotland) Act 1980 (c. 45)

108 (1) The Water (Scotland) Act 1980 is amended as follows....

Local Government, Planning and Land Act 1980 (c. 65)

109 In section 167 of the Local Government, Planning and Land...

Water Act 1981 (c. 12)

110 In section 6 of the Water Act 1981 (liability of...

British Telecommunications Act 1981 (c. 38)

111 In Schedule 3 to the British Telecommunications Act 1981, in...

New Towns Act 1981 (c. 64)

In section 11 of the New Towns Act 1981 (acquisition...

Telecommunications Act 1984 (c. 12)

- 113 (1) In Schedule 2 to the Telecommunications Act 1984 (the...
- In the same Schedule, in paragraph 2(8)(a) (construction of references...
- 115 (1) In the same Schedule, paragraph 9 (street works) is...

Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51)

116 (1) In Schedule 5 to the Local Government Act 1985,...

#### *Transport Act 1985 (c. 67)*

117 (1) The Transport Act 1985 is amended as follows.

*Airports Act 1986 (c. 31)* 

118 (1) Section 62 of the Airports Act 1986 (provisions as...

Gas Act 1986 (c. 44)

- 119 (1) Schedule 4 to the Gas Act 1986 (power of...
- 120 (1) In Schedule 7 to the Gas Act 1986, paragraph...

Road Traffic Act 1988 (c. 52)

121 (1) The Road Traffic Act 1988 is amended as follows....

Water Act 1989 (c. 15)

122 (1) The Water Act 1989 is amended as follows.

Electricity Act 1989 (c. 29)

- 123 (1) In Schedule 4 to the Electricity Act 1989 (powers...
- 124 (1) In the same Schedule, paragraph 2 (road works in...
- 125 In the same Schedule, in paragraph 12 (interpretation), omit the...

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (c. 8)

126 (1) Section 256 of the Town and Country Planning Act...

Natural Heritage (Scotland) Act 1991 (c. 28.)

127 In paragraph 5(4) of Schedule 7 to the Natural Heritage...

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