### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

### 2007 No. 783

# The Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007

## PART 3 EXPRESS CONSENT

#### **Notification of decision**

- **16.**—(1) The grant or refusal by a local planning authority of an application for express consent shall be notified in writing to the applicant within a period of 8 weeks from the date of the receipt of the application or such longer period as the applicant may, before the expiry of that period, agree in writing(1).
  - (2) The authority shall state in writing its reasons for—
    - (a) any refusal of consent in whole or in part;
    - (b) the imposition of any condition under regulation 14(1)(a), other than—
      - (i) a standard condition;
      - (ii) a condition specified in Part 1 of Schedule 3 in relation to a class within which the advertisement falls; and
    - (c) the imposition of a condition whereby the consent expires before the expiry of 5 years from the date on which it is granted, unless the period specified in the condition is a period proposed by the applicant.