STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Removal and Disposal of Vehicles (Traffic Officers) (England) Regulations 2008

PART 3

DISPOSAL OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

Notice to owner requiring removal of vehicle

15.—(1) The Secretary of State shall, where the name and address of a person appearing to be the owner of a vehicle has been found, send him a notice—

- (a) containing the specified information; and
- (b) stating-
 - (i) whether the vehicle has been removed from the place where it appeared to have been abandoned and, if so, to what place;
 - (ii) that if he is the owner of the vehicle, he is required to remove it from the Secretary of State's custody within the period specified; and
 - (iii) that the Secretary of State intends to dispose of the vehicle if it is not removed within that period.

(2) Subject to paragraph (3), the notice shall be served by—

- (a) delivering it to that person;
- (b) leaving it at his usual or last known place of residence; or
- (c) sending it by pre-paid registered or recorded delivery post, addressed to him at either of those places.

(3) Where the person who appears to be the owner is a body corporate, the notice shall be served by delivering it, or sending it by prepaid registered or recorded delivery post, to its registered or principal office.