SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs that warn of hazards and signs for bridges and other structures

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs and plates in Parts 2 and 3

1. A warning of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a triangular sign which is of—

- (a) the colour and type provided for in the diagram in column 3; and
- (b) the size shown for a sign in the diagram above the table.

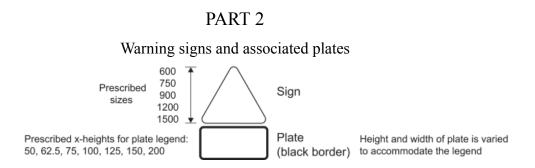
2. A warning or information in column 4 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 is for supplementing the warning in column 2 and is to be conveyed by a plate ("a first associated plate") which—

- (a) includes the legend indicated in column 4 in a manner which complies with the requirements as to size provided for in respect of a plate in the diagram above the sign table in Part 2; and
- (b) is of the colour and type provided for in that diagram.

3. Where a number is mentioned in column 5 of the sign table in Part 2, the plate provided for at that item number in the sign table in Part 3 (a "supplementary associated plate") is an associated plate of the triangular sign in question.

4. A provision of Part 7 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 6 of the sign table in Part 2 applies in relation to the triangular sign in question.

5. A Schedule 2 General Direction mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 7 of the sign table in Part 2 applies in relation to the triangular sign in question.



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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Applic provis in Part 7	ab Se hedule io G eneral Directior
1	Diagram 504.1 Crossroads ahead (Alternative types)		Adjistance	1	3	
2	Diagram 505.1 T-junction ahead (Alternative types)		Adistance	1	3	
3	Diagram 506.1 Side road ahead (Alternative types)		Adistance	1	3	
4	Diagram 507.1 Staggered junction ahead (Alternative types)		Adistance	1	3	
5	Diagram 508.1 Traffic merges		A distance			

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Ite	mDescription ahead	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hed ionSener Direc	al
	from left						
6	Diagram 509.1 Traffic merges ahead onto main carriageway		A distance				
7	Diagram		1. A distance; or	1 or 4 (or both)	3		
	510 Roundabout ahead		2. "Adverse camber"				
8	Diagram 512 Bend ahead (Alternative types)		1 "Adverse camber";2. "Keep in low gear"; or3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3		-
9	Diagram 512.1 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative		 1 "Adverse camber"; 1 "Keep in low gear"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" 	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3		
	(Alternative types)						

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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab se hedul io fs eneral Directio
10	Diagram 512.2 Junction on the inside of a bend ahead (Alternative types)	<u></u>	14"Adverse camber";14"Keep in low gear"; or3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
11	Diagram 512.3 Crossroads on a bend ahead (Alternative types)	\mathbf{A}	1. "Adverse camber";"Keep in low gear"; or3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
12	Diagram 513 Double bend or series of bends ahead (Alternative types)	<u></u>	 1 "For" and a distance; Adverse camber"; 3. "Keep in low gear"; or 4. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" 	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
13	Diagram 516 Road narrows on		 1. A distance; 2. "Single file traffic" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 	1		

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	Description	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hed orGener Direc	al
	both sides head		 3. "Single file traffic" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 4. "Single file traffic for" and a distance; 5. "Single track road" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 6. "Single track road" or "Single track road for" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 7. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" 				
5 F n c c a (Diagram 517 Road harrows on one side head Alternative ypes)		 1 A distance; 2 Single file traffic" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 3. "Single file traffic" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 4. "Single file traffic for" and a distance; 5. "Single track road" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 6. "Single track road" or "Single track road for" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 	1			

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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab le hedi o fs ener Direct	al
			7. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"				
15	Diagram 520	Λ	1. A distance;	1			
	Dual carriageway		 2. "Single file traffic", with or without a distance; or 3. "Single file traffic for" and 				
	road ends ahead		a distance				
16	Diagram 521		 A distance; or "For" and a distance 				
	Two-way traffic	<u> </u>					
	ahead						
17	Diagram 522 Two-way traffic on route crossing		A distance				
	ahead						
18	Diagram 523.1 Steep hill	10%	1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;	1 or (when used with	12		
	downwards ahead		 2. "For" and a distance ; 3. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 4. "Low gear now"; 	a first plate containing legend 4 or 5): 3, or both 1 and 3			
			5. "Keep in low gear"; or				

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Ite	mDescription	e Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab <mark>le</mark> hedule o ß eneral Direction
			6. "Low gear for" and a distance			
19	Diagram 524.1 Steep hill upwards	20%	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "For" and a distance; 	1	12	
	ahead		3. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
			4. "Low gear now";5. "Keep in low gear"; or6. "Low gear for" and a			
			distance			
20	Diagram 528		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;	1		
	Hump bridge ahead		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	ancaŭ		3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
21	Diagram 529		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	Opening or swing bridge		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
	ahead					
22	Diagram 529.1		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	Tunnel ahead		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			

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			3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
23	Diagram 544.1 Pedestrians		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	in		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	road ahead		3. "No footway for" and a distance			
24	Diagram 544.2		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	Frail or disabled		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	pedestrians likely		3. "Disabled people" or "Blind people" with or			
	to cross road		without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	ahead		4. "Disabled people" or "Blind people" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
25	Diagram 545	A.A.	1. "School", "Patrol", "Playground", "Disabled children", "Blind children"			1
	Children going to	r v L	or "Deaf children" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	or from school or		2. "School", "Patrol", "Playground", "Disabled			
	playground ahead		children", "Blind children" or "Deaf children" and a distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			

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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hed ofGener Direc	al
			3 "No footway for" and a distance				
26	Diagram 950 Cycle route	550	1 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left2. An arrow pointing to the				-
	ahead (Alternative types)		left or to the right;3. "Cycle crossing" or "Cycles crossing" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or				
			4. "Cycle crossing" or "Cycles crossing" and a distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right				
27	Diagram 548 Cattle likely to be in road		"For" and a distance				
20	ahead		"For" and a distance				-
28	Diagram 549 Sheep likely to be		FOI and a distance				
	in road ahead						
29	Diagram 550 Wild horses or		"For" and a distance				

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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Applic provisi in Part 7	ab ie hed io fis ener Direct	al
	likely to be in road ahead						
30	Diagram 550.1 Accompanie horses or ponies likely to be in road ahead		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or "For" and a distance 				
31			"For" and a distance				
32	Diagram 551 Wild animals likely to be in road ahead		"For" and a distance				

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Ite	mDescription	ı Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab <mark>le</mark> hedule io r seneral Directior
33	Diagram 551.2 Wild fowl likely to be in road ahead		"For" and a distance			
34	Diagram 553.1 Agricultural vehicles likely to be in road ahead		 "Farm traffic", "Wide vehicles" or "Tractors turning"; or "Farm traffic for", "Wide vehicles for" or "Tractors turning for" and a distance 			1
35	Diagram 552 Cattle grid ahead	Cattle grid	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or "Horse drawn vehicles and animals" and an arrow pointing to the left or to the right 			
36	Diagram 554B Gate ahead	Gate	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right 			
37	Diagram 554C	Gates	1. "For" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hedule io G eneral Directior
	Gates ahead		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
38	Diagram 554 Ford ahead	Ford	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or "Road liable to flooding" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right 			
39	Diagram 554.1 Risk of brake failure ahead (after passing a ford or before descending a steep gradient)	Try your brakes	"Keep in low gear"	When used with the first plate, item 3		
40	Diagram 555 Quayside or river bank ahead		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right 			

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab le hedu o ß enerc Directi	al
41	Diagram 555.1 Water course alongside road ahead (Alternative types)		"For" and a distance				
42	Diagram 556.1 Soft verges ahead		 "Soft verges"; or "Soft verges for" and a distance 			1	
43	Diagram 557.1 Road hump or series of road humps ahead		 "Hump" or "Humps" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "Hump" or "Humps" with two arrows, one pointing to the left and one pointing to the right; "Hump" or "Humps for" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or "Hump" or "Humps for" and a distance, with two arrows, one pointing to the left and one pointing to the left and one pointing to the right 			1	
44	Diagram 559		"For" and a distance				

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Ite	mDescription Diagram		First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by	provis: in	ab Se hedul io rG eneral Directic
				reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Part 7	
	Risk of falling or					
	fallen rocks ahead					
	(Alternative types)					
45	Diagram 581 Side		"For" and a distance			
	winds likely					
46	ahead Diagram	^	1. "For" and a distance;			
	558		2. "Gliders"; or			
	Low flying		3. "Gliders for" and a distance			
	aircraft or sudden		distance			
	aircraft noise					
	likely ahead					
47	Diagram 558.1		"For" and a distance			
	Low flying					
	helicopters or					
	sudden helicopter					

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Ite	mDescription	ı Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab <mark>le</mark> hedule io G eneral Directior
	noise likely ahead					
48	Diagram 582 Slow moving military vehicles likely to becrossing or in road ahead		"For" and a distance			
49	Diagram 583 Slow moving vehicles likely on incline ahead		"Slow lorries for" and a distance and "mile" or "miles"			1
50	Diagram 584 Traffic queues likely on road ahead		 "Queues likely" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or "Queues likely on slip road" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right 			1, 2
51	Diagram 770		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or		6	

(1)) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hedule onGeneral Direction
	Level crossing with gate or barrier ahead		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
52	Diagram 771 Railway level crossing without gate or barrier ahead		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right 		6	
53	Diagram 772 Tramcars crossing ahead		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right 		6	
54	Diagram 779 Electrified overhead cable ahead		 1. "Safe height" and numerals indicating height in imperial units and, in brackets, the height in metric units, with or without "load gauge"; or 2. As legend 1 and— (a) a distance; (b) an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or 		5, 6	1

(1)) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescriptio	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hedule 2 io G eneral Directions
			(c) a distance and an arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
55	Diagram 782 Risk of grounding at a railway or tramway level crossing or hump backed bridge ahead		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right 		6	
56			 1."Ambulance station", "Blasting", "Blind summit", "Fire station", "Hidden dip", "Pedestrians crossing", "Road liable to flooding", or "Rising bollards", with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or 2."Ambulance station", "Blasting", "Blind summit", "Fire station", "Hidden dip", "Pedestrians crossing", "Road liable to flooding" or "Rising bollards" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the right 			1

PART 3

Supplementary associated plates for placing in combination with signs in Part 2

1. A warning, information or restriction of a description specified in column 2 of an item in the sign table must be conveyed by a supplementary associated plate which is of the size, colour and type provided for—

- (a) in the diagram in column 3 of the item; or
- (b) in that diagram varied in accordance with column 4.

) (2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Variants
1	Diagram 511		SREDUCE SPEED NOW" may
	Reduction in speed necessary		be varied to "HEAVY PLANT CROSSING" when used in combination with the sign shown in otem 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 or 11 of the Part
	for a change in road layout	10	2 table
	ahead		
2	Diagram 513.2	50	The numerals mayobe varied to the
	Maximum speed in mph advised	50 62.5 75 <u></u> speed 3	appropriate advised maximum speed 300 400 500
	at a bend or other hazard	125	
3	Diagram 817.2		1. The route symbol may be varied
	Escape lane ahead for vehicles		2. "ahead" may be varied to a distance, varied to an arrow pointing to the left or to the right, or omitted
	unable to stop on a steep hill		50
		Econo Jane	62.5
		Escape lane ahead	_ 75 100 125
I		1	

(1) (2)	escription	(3) Diagram	(4) Variants
4 Dia Risl ove adv (wit the max	gram 513.1A k of lorries rturning on erse camber th bend to left) and ximum speed ised	Adverse camber Max speed 20	 1. The symbol may be reversed when the bend is to the right 2. The numerals indicating the maximum speed advised may be varied as appropriate 50 min 50 min 50 The regend "Max speed 20" may be omitted 100 min 300 max

PART 4

Traffic signs for bridges and other structures

1. A warning, information or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in this Part must be conveyed by a sign that is—

- (a) of the colour and type; and
- (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

provided for in the diagram in column 3 of the item.

2. In the case of the description at item 3, the warning is to be conveyed by both the triangular signs shown in the diagram in combination, and paragraph 1 applies to each of those signs.

3. A number in column 4 of the sign table in this Part indicates that the plate or structure warning marking provided for at that item number in the sign table in Part 5 is an associated plate or marking of the sign provided for in the sign table in this Part at the item number at which the relevant column 4 entry appears.

4. A provision of Part 7 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 5 of the sign table in this Part applies to the sign provided for at the item number in question.

5. A Schedule 2 General Direction mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 6 of the sign table in this Part applies to the upright sign provided for at the item number in question.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Associated plate or structure warning marking (by reference to an item number in the Part 5 sign table)		ab Se hedule ionSeneral Directio
1	Diagram 528.1 End of a bridge parapet, abutment wall, tunnel mouth or other obstruction adjacent to the carriageway	square for the second s		9	
2	Diagram 530A Maximum headroom available at hazard, with height indicated in both metric and imperial units	750 900 1200 1500 1800	1, 3, 4 or 5	6, 12	
3	Diagram 531.1A Maximum headroom available at arch bridge ahead	750 900 1200 1500 750 900 1200 1200 1500 1500	2 or 5	6, 12	3

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Associated plate or structure warning marking (by reference to an item number in the Part 5 sign table)		ub Se hedule 2 orGeneral Directions
4	Diagram 1024.1 Road marking indicating path to be taken by high vehicles under a low bridge or to avoid an overhanging structure	$\begin{array}{c c} 525 \\ 700 \\ 1500 \\ 2000 \\ \hline 150 \\ 1750 \\ \hline 1000 \\ 1750 \\ \hline 1000 \\ 1750 \\ \hline 1000 \\ \hline 1750 \\ \hline 1000 \\ \hline 1750 \\ \hline 1000 \\ \hline $		11, 13	
5	Diagram 629.2A Vehicles exceeding height indicated prohibited with height indicated in both metric and imperial units	750 900 1200 1500	4	1, 2, 6, 12	

PART 5

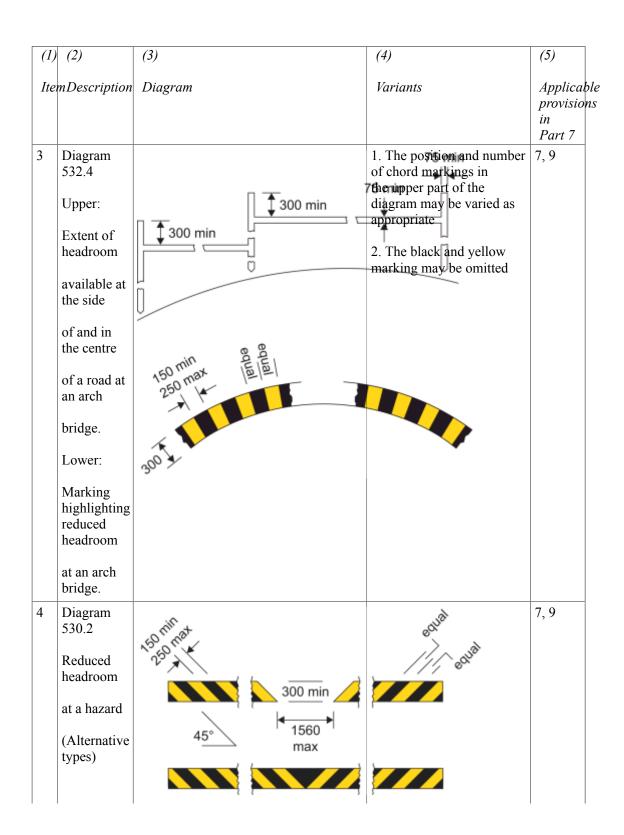
Associated plates and structure warning markings for signs in Part 4

1.—(1) A warning or information of a description specified in column 2 of an item in the sign table in this Part must be conveyed by a plate or structure warning marking which is of the size, colour and type provided for—

- (a) in the diagram in column 3 of the item; or
- (b) in that diagram varied in accordance with column 4.

2. A provision of Part 7 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 5 of the sign table applies to the structure warning marking provided for at the item number in question.

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Variants	Applicable provisions in Part 7
1	Diagram 530.1 Reduced headroom over part of road due to overhanging building or structure	Overhangir building	Ig —	 150he legend may 150he legend may 150he legend may 150he legend may 75 (a) a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; (b) an arrow pointing to the left or to the right 2. "building" may be varied to "buildings" or "structure" 	
2	Diagram 531.2 High vehicles to use middle of road at arch bridge ahead,	ARCH BRIDGE High vehicles use middle of road	79 10 12 15	The legend may include an arrow pointing to the left or to the right	



(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Variants	Applicable provisions in Part 7
5	Diagram 572		50 62.5	1. The distance may be varied to another distance	
	Distance ahead to hazard	¹ 2 mile =	75 100 125 150	2. The legend may include an arrow pointing to the left or to the right	

PART 6

Other warning signs

1. A warning of a description in column 2 of the sign table in this Part must be conveyed by a sign that is—

- (a) of the colour and type; and
- (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

provided for in the diagram in column 3 of the sign table at the item number for that description, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.

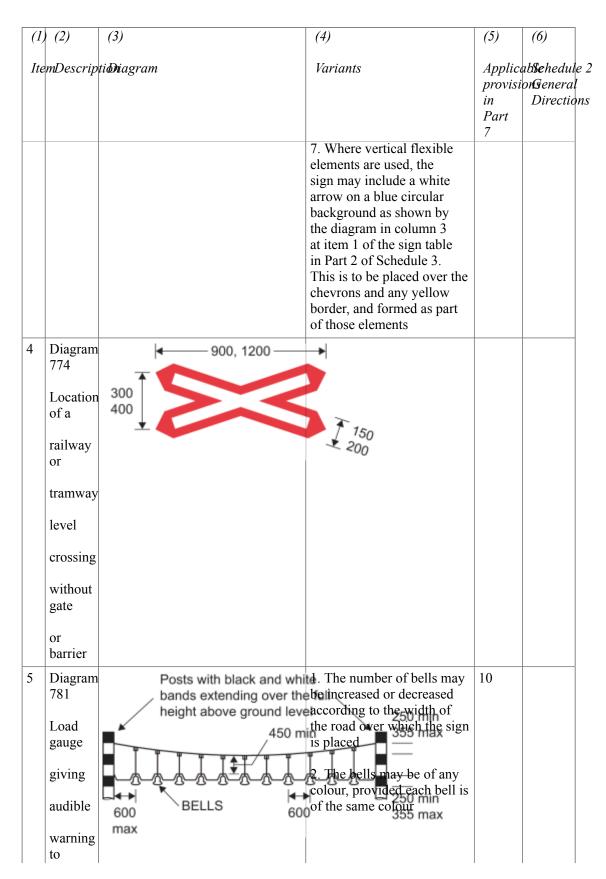
2. In the case of the description at item 1, the warning is to be conveyed by the triangular sign shown in the diagram and, depending on the warning to be conveyed, both associated plates shown in the diagram, or only the upper one, and paragraph 1 applies to each of those signs.

3. A provision of Part 7 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 5 applies to the sign, or combination, at the item number in question.

4. A Schedule 2 General Direction mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 6 applies to the sign at the item number in question.

(1)) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	emDescrip	ti di agram	Variants		cab Se hedule ionSeneral Direction
1	Diagram 501 Junction ahead controlle by a "GIVE WAY" or "STOP" sign, wherean indication may be given that the junction iswith a dual carriagew road	n 50 y	al distance may be varied	IVE 6 OP" 1 at a	4
2	Diagram 560 Edge of carriagev or	150 max	 The colour of the circle sign or the rectangular sign or the rectangular sign or the rectangular sign or the rectangular sign may be varied to white amber 180 squ2re here surface of the maximumer tangular sign may be curved 	sign or	5

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescrip	ti dh agram		Variants		ab Se hedule onSeneral Direction
	obstructi	on				
	near that					
	edge					
	(Alternat types)	ive				
	515 Sharp deviatior of route	600 900 1200 45'	300 400 - 400 600 - 800	 4. The sign may be formed of a series of vertical flexible elements that need not have a horizontal cross section that is flat, provided 		
				that the elements extend to ground level to form the support for the sign and the support is coloured black		
				5. Where vertical flexible elements are used, the horizontal distance between the pointed ends of two consecutive chevrons may be increased by up to 4% of the dimensions shown in the diagram		
				6. Where vertical flexible elements are used, a yellow border may be added to the outside edge of the part of the sign that comprises the chevrons		



(1)) (2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	ItemDescripti dhi agram			Variants	Applic provisi in Part 7	ab Se hedule 2 orGeneral Directions
	drivers where vehicles exceed safe height under electrifie overhead cables	:d				
6	Diagram 789, 789.1, 789.2 Countdo markers to railway or tramway level crossing	900 → 789 789.1	789.2	Each sign may be reversed		

PART 7

Provisions applicable to signs

1. Section 36 of the 1988 Act applies to the sign.

2. The sign is specified for the purposes of column 5 of the entry in Schedule 2 to the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988(1) relating to offences under section 36 of the 1988 Act.

3. If the sign is displayed on a variable message sign and displays its aspects by means of lightemitting characters or symbols, the legend "SLOW DOWN" may be displayed beneath the sign (and any associated plates) in characters having a height of not less than one quarter of the height of the displayed sign.

4. The sign must be illuminated by means of retroreflecting material.

5. The safe height shown on the first associated plate must be between 1 foot 3 inches and 2 feet (380 mm to 600 mm) less than the height of the lowest part of the overhead wire, of which the sign gives warning, over the highest part of the surface of the carriageway beneath that wire.

6.—(1) Subject to sub paragraph (2), where the sign is placed on a road within 50 metres of any lamp which forms part of a system of street-lighting, the illumination requirements for the sign are—

- (a) where that system of street-lighting is illuminated throughout the hours of darkness, the sign must be illuminated by internal or external lighting for so long as that system is illuminated and may also be reflectorised; or
- (b) where that system of street-lighting is not illuminated throughout the hours of darkness—
 - (i) the sign must be illuminated by internal or external lighting for so long as that system is illuminated and must also be reflectorised; or
 - (ii) the sign must be illuminated throughout the hours of darkness by internal or external lighting and may also be reflectorised.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign where the road is subject to a speed limit of 20 mph.

(3) The exception in sub-paragraph (2) does not apply to a sign provided for at item 2 or 5 of the Part 4 sign table mounted on a bridge or other structure and, consequently, sub-paragraph (1) applies to such a sign.

7. The structure warning marking may be left unlit, or be illuminated either by means of internal or external lighting or by means of retroreflecting material.

8. Paragraph 6 applies to that part of the sign, if any, which is the white arrow on a blue circular background.

9. Where those parts of the sign coloured yellow, if any, are retroreflective, they may also be fluorescent.

- **10.** The sign must not be illuminated.
- 11. The road marking must be reflectorised.
- 12. The sign may have different numerals to those shown in the diagram.
- 13. The arrow in the road marking may indicate a path to the left instead of to the right.

PART 8

The Schedule 2 General Directions

1. The triangular sign must not be placed unless placed with a plate showing the applicable first plate legend indicated in column 4 of the sign table in Part 2 at the item number in question.

2. The sign may be fitted to the rear of a road maintenance vehicle.

⁽**1**) 1988 c.53.

3. The two triangular signs must be placed together (with or without an associated plate).

4. The triangular sign must be placed with its upper associated plate (whether or not the lower plate is also included).

5.—(1) The sign ("an edge of carriageway sign") must be placed so that the top of the sign is not less than 550 mm nor more than 1000 mm above the surface of the adjacent carriageway.

(2) Where an edge of carriageway sign is mounted on a post specifically provided for the purpose that part of the post which extends above ground level may be—

- (a) of any single colour; or
- (b) coloured black and white in alternate horizontal bands, each band being not less than 225 mm or more than 350 mm deep.
- (3) An edge of carriageway sign must be erected to display—
 - (a) the colour red on the left hand edge of the carriageway as viewed by the drivers of approaching vehicles; and
 - (b) the colour white on the right hand edge of the carriageway when so viewed, unless the edge is the edge of the carriageway of a dual carriageway road or a one-way road when the colour amber must be displayed.