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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2022 No. 1257**

**HIGHWAYS, ENGLAND**

**The Street Works (Charges for Occupation of the Highway) (West Sussex County Council) Order 2022**

*Made* - - - - *30th November 2022*

*Coming into force* - - *1st December 2022*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 74A(2) of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991(1), makes the following Order.

**Citation, commencement and extent**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Street Works (Charges for Occupation of the Highway) (West Sussex County Council) Order 2022.

(2) This Order extends to England and Wales.

(3) This Order shall come into force on 1st December 2022.

**Approval of local highway authority**

2. The Secretary of State approves West Sussex County Council for the purpose of requiring charges to be paid under the Street Works (Charges for Occupation of the Highway) (England) Regulations 2012(2) in accordance with the West Sussex County Council Lane Rental Scheme which was submitted to the Secretary of State on 8th December 2021 and subsequently approved by him.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

30th November 2022

*Richard Holden*  
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State  
Department for Transport

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(1) 1991 c. 22. Section 74A was inserted by section 255 of the Transport Act 2000 (c. 38) and amended by section 40 of the Traffic Management Act 2004 (c. 18) and paragraph 120 of Schedule 1 to the Infrastructure Act 2015 (c. 7).  
(2) S.I. 2012/425, amended by S.I. 2015/377; S.I. 2018/215.

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order provides approval for West Sussex County Council to require the payment of charges in accordance with the West Sussex Lane Rental Scheme (“the Scheme”) for certain street works carried out in the highway.

The requirement to pay charges to an Approved Authority is set out in the Street Works (Charges for Occupation of the Highway) (England) Regulations 2012 (“the 2012 Regulations”) ([S.I. 2012/425](#)). The term “Approved Authority” is defined in regulation 2 the 2012 Regulations.

The Scheme, which has been submitted to and approved by the Secretary of State, is designed to control the carrying out of works in specified traffic sensitive locations at traffic sensitive times. This will be achieved by requiring the payment of a charge, in accordance with the 2012 Regulations, for each day that the street is occupied by the works. West Sussex County Council may reduce or waive the daily charge and the Scheme contains guidance as to when a discount will be applied.

A copy of the Scheme can be inspected at the offices of West Sussex County Council, County Hall, West Street, Chichester, PO19 1RG. It is also available to view on West Sussex County Council’s website found at [www.westsussex.gov.uk](http://www.westsussex.gov.uk) .