STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ROAD TRAFFIC

The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016

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The Secretary of State makes the Regulations in Part 1 of this Instrument in exercise of the powers conferred by-

- (a) sections 25, 28(4)(1) (in relation to England and Wales), 64(1)(2), (2), (3) and (5)(3) and 67(3) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(4) ("the 1984 Act"); and
- (b) section 36(5)(5) of the Road Traffic Act 1988(6) ("the 1988 Act").

The Secretary of State gives the General Directions in Part 2 of this Instrument in exercise of the powers conferred by section 65(1)(7) and (1A)(8) and 85(2)(9) of the 1984 Act.

In accordance with article 4 of, and Schedule 3 to, the Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) Order 1999(10), the Secretary of State has consulted with the Scottish Ministers.

In relation to the Regulations in Part 1 of this Instrument, the Secretary of State has, in accordance with section 134(2) of the 1984 Act and section 195(2) of the 1988 Act, consulted with such representative organisations as he thought fit.

- (1) Section 28 was amended by the Transport Act 2000 (c. 38), section 270(3). In relation to Scotland, the power to make regulations rests with Scottish Ministers, not the Secretary of State (see the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46) and in particular section 53 and the absence of a reservation in Schedule 5 (reserved matters), Section E1 (road transport) for section 28.)
- The power in section 64(1) for Ministers acting jointly to make regulations now rests with the Secretary of State (see article 2(1) of the Transfer of Functions (Road Traffic) Order 1999 (SI 1999/3143)); by section 64(2A) (inserted by the Scotland Act 2012 (c. 11), section 21) the power to make regulations under section 64(1) in relation to the Scottish national speed limit rests with Scottish Ministers, not the Secretary of State.
- (3) Section 64(5) was amended by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c. 42), Schedule 3, paragraph 25(3).
- (4) 1984 c.27.
 (5) The reference to "the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions" was substituted for "the Secretary of State for Transport" by the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions Order 1997 (SI 1997/2971). The power for the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions, the Secretary of State for Wales and the Secretary of State for Scotland to make regulations acting jointly now rests with the Secretary of State (see article 2(2) of the Transfer of Functions (Road Traffic) Order 1999 (SI 1999 3143).
- (7) Section 65(1) was substituted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), Schedule 8, Part 2, paragraph 48(2). The power in section 65(1) for Ministers acting jointly to give general directions now rests with the Secretary of State (see article 2(1) of the Transfer of Functions (Road Traffic) Order 1999 (SI 1999/3143)).
- Section 65(1A) was inserted by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), section 48, Schedule 4, paragraph 29.
- Section 85(2) was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c.22), Schedule 8, Part 2, paragraph 62(3) and the Infrastructure Act 2015 (c. 7), Schedule 1, Part 2, paragraph 89(2).
- (10) S.I. 1999/1750, to which there are amendments that are not relevant.

PART 1

THE TRAFFIC SIGNS REGULATIONS 2016

Citation, commencement and extent

- 1.—(1) This Part of this Instrument—
 - (a) may be cited—
 - (i) as the Traffic Signs Regulations 2016, and
 - (ii) together with Part 2, as the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016; and
 - (b) comes into force on 22nd April 2016.
- (2) Subject to paragraph (3), these Regulations extend to the whole of Great Britain.
- (3) Provision about the school crossing patrol sign extends only to England and Wales(11).

Interpretation

- **2.**—(1) In these Regulations—
 - (a) "the 1984 Act" means the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(12); and
 - (b) "the 1988 Act" means the Road Traffic Act 1988(13).
- (2) Schedule 1 contains other definitions.

Prescription of signs

- **3.**—(1) A traffic sign for conveying a warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description specified in these Regulations is of a prescribed size, colour and type if it complies with all applicable requirements provided for in these Regulations.
- (2) A school crossing patrol sign is a prescribed sign within the meaning of section 28(4) of the 1984 Act if it complies with all applicable requirements as to size, colour and type provided for in these Regulations.
- (3) The Parts of a Schedule specified in column 2 of an item in the table contain provisions about signs of the class specified in column 3 of the item.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Schedule	Purpose of nature of signs
1	Schedule 2	Signs that warn of hazards and signs for bridges and other structures
	Parts 1 to 7	
2	Schedule 3	Upright signs that indicate regulatory requirements for moving traffic
	Parts 1 to 4	

⁽¹¹⁾ For provision about the school crossing patrol sign in Scotland, see the School Crossing Patrol Sign (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (S.S.I. 2008/4).

^{(12) 1984} c. 27.

^{(13) 1988} c. 52.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Schedule	Purpose of nature of signs
3	Schedule 4	Upright signs that control waiting, loading and parking along a road
	Parts 1 to 5	
4	Schedule 5 Parts 1 to 4	Signs that indicate parking places and areas subject to parking controls
5	Schedule 6	Upright signs for red routes
	Parts 1 and 2	
6	Schedule 7	Road markings and miscellaneous upright signs that indicate stopping,
	Parts 1 to 6	waiting, loading and parking controls
7	Schedule 8	Signs indicating the entrance to and the end of, a pedestrian, or
	Parts 1 to 4	pedestrian and cycle, zone, and signs for charging schemes
8	Schedule 9	Regulatory signs at junctions and miscellaneous regulatory signs
	Parts 1 to 8	
9	Schedule 10	Signs for speed limits
	Parts 1 to 3	
10	Schedule 11	Signs that give information, are advisory or guide traffic
	Parts 1 to 6	
11	Schedule 12	Directional signs
	Parts 1 to 28	
12	Schedule 13	Signs only for use in temporary situations
	Parts 1 to 11	
13	Schedule 14	Signs for traffic control by light signals, signs for crossings, and signs
	Parts 1 to 5	for lane control
14	Schedule 15	Matrix signs and light signals for the control of moving traffic on
	Parts 1 to 4	motorways and dual carriageway roads
15	Schedule 16	Variable message signs
	Parts 1 to 7	

⁽⁴⁾ Where in these Regulations provision is made that to convey a warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description specified, a sign must comply with certain requirements as to size, colour and type, that provision is without prejudice to different requirements elsewhere in the Regulations in relation to the same description.

Authorisations

4. Nothing in these Regulations limits a power of the Secretary of State, the Scottish Ministers or the Welsh Ministers to authorise a sign under section 28(4) or 64 of the 1984 Act(14).

Letters, numerals and other characters

- **5.**—(1) This regulation applies to the letters, numerals and other characters used on signs provided for in these Regulations (but not to the extent that more specific provision is made elsewhere in these Regulations for a particular sign).
- (2) Paragraphs (3) to (12) apply to letters, numerals and other characters used on signs except those used on road markings and those used in Scottish Gaelic words or phrases.
- (3) Paragraphs (4) to (10) are subject to the exception for variable message signs at paragraphs (11) and (12).
 - (4) On a background which is—
 - (a) black;
 - (b) blue;
 - (c) brown;
 - (d) dark green;
 - (e) green; or
 - (f) red,

letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 1 of Schedule 17 (see paragraphs (6) to (8) for exceptions).

- (5) On a background which is—
 - (a) orange;
 - (b) white; or
 - (c) yellow,

letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 2 of Schedule 17 (see paragraph (10) for an exception).

- (6) Paragraphs (7) and (8) apply to the placing of a motorway route number or a compass point directly on the blue background shown at item 1 of the sign table at Part 2 of Schedule 12 (see paragraph (9) for an exception).
- (7) Where brackets are not used, the letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 3 of Schedule 17.
- (8) Where brackets are used the letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in either Part 1 or Part 3 of Schedule 17.
- (9) An exception to paragraphs (7) and (8) is that where the route number or compass point is part of a legend provided for at item 8 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 12, letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 1 of Schedule 17.
- (10) When used for indicating a route number or compass point on a sign with a yellow background which is temporarily placed on a motorway, letters, numerals and other characters must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 4 of Schedule 17.

⁽¹⁴⁾ For the transfer of functions applicable to authorisations in Scotland and Wales, see S.I. 1999/1750 (in relation to Scotland) and S.I 1999/672 and the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32) (in relation to Wales).

- (11) Paragraph (12) applies to a variable message sign where the construction or method of operation of the sign does not permit the use of letters, numerals and other characters of the proportions and form shown in Part 1, 2, 3 or 4 of Schedule 17.
- (12) Letters, numerals and other characters may have the proportions and form shown in Part 5 of Schedule 17 (and be of the colour provided for in Part 1, 2, 3 or 4 as applicable).
- (13) Paragraph (14) applies to letters, numerals and other characters incorporated in road markings provided for in these Regulations.
- (14) A letter, numeral or other character of a height referred to in column 1 of the table in this paragraph must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in the Part of Schedule 17 at the column 2 entry applicable to that height.

Height of letters, numerals and other characters	Applicable Part in Schedule 17
from 280 mm to 700 mm (inclusive)	Part 6
705 mm, 1035 mm, 1600 mm	Part 7
2800 mm	Part 8

- (15) For the purposes of interpreting Part 7 of Schedule 17 where the road marking is 705 mm or 1035 mm, the reference in the diagram in Part 7 to "1600" is to be read as "705" or "1035" as appropriate and the spaces between the grid lines reduced proportionately.
 - (16) Letters, numerals and other characters used in Scottish Gaelic words or phrases—
 - (a) when appearing on a brown or dark green background, must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 9 of Schedule 17;
 - (b) when appearing on a white background, must have the proportions and form, and be of the colour, shown in Part 10 of Schedule 17.
- (17) In Schedule 17, in Parts 1 to 4, 9 and 10, the height of the rectangular backgrounds on which the letters, numerals and other characters are shown is eight stroke widths.

Expressions of time and distance and for parking restrictions

- **6.**—(1) A reference in these Regulations to the inclusion on a sign of a "time period" means the inclusion of a period of time that complies with the requirements of Part 1 of Schedule 18.
- (2) More than one period of time may be included in a sign if appropriate for conveying the meaning of the sign.
- (3) A reference in these Regulations to the inclusion on a sign of a "permitted parking expression" means the inclusion of an expression that complies with the requirements of Part 2 of Schedule 18.
- (4) An expression of distance on a sign must be in imperial units and comply with the requirements of Part 3 of Schedule 18.
- (5) The provisions of this regulation do not apply where more specific provision in relation to a particular sign is made elsewhere in these Regulations.

Dimensions and design of signs

- 7.—(1) This regulation is about the measurements specified in the Schedules for dimensions of signs, and elements of signs, and about overall design of signs provided for in these Regulations.
- (2) All measurements specified in a diagram in the Schedules are in millimetres ("mm") unless stated otherwise or the context requires otherwise.

- (3) If more than one measurement is specified for the same dimension, any of those measurements may be used for that dimension.
- (4) If minimum and maximum measurements are specified for a dimension, the dimension used must not be less than the minimum or more than the maximum.
- (5) Dimensions chosen for each element of a sign must correspond with one another so that the overall shape and proportions of the sign are, so far as reasonably practicable, as shown in the diagram, or as otherwise provided for, in the Schedules.
 - (6) The requirement at paragraph (5) does not apply to the signs provided for at—
 - (a) items 5, 6, and 7 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7;
 - (b) items 5, 12 and 13 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9;
 - (c) items 23, 25, 27 and 36 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11; and
 - (d) items 32, 33, 34, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 55, 56 and 57 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14.
- (7) Any dimension given in millimetres in respect of a sign, other than a road marking, is to be treated as permitted if it is varied, to be either greater or less than the dimension given, by up to 5 mm.
- (8) Paragraph (7) does not permit a dimension to be less than a specified minimum nor more than a specified maximum, except where the dimension relates to the height of letters, numerals or other characters.
- (9) Any dimension (not being specified as a maximum or minimum) given for a road marking is to be treated as permitted if it is varied in accordance with the following table.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Dimensions shown in road marking diagram	Permitted variations
1	3 metres or more	(i) Up to 15% of the dimension where the varied dimension is greater than the specified dimension; or
		(ii) Up to 10% of the dimension where the varied dimension is less than the specified dimension
2	300 mm or more, but less than 3 metres	(i) Up to 20% of the dimension where the varied dimension is greater than the specified dimension; or
		(ii) Up to 10% of the dimension where the varied dimension is less than the specified dimension
3	Less than 300 mm	(i) Up to 30% of the dimension where the varied dimension is greater than the specified dimension; or
		(ii) Up to 10% of the dimension where the varied dimension is less than the specified dimension

- (10) Where a dimension denoting the length or width of a road marking is varied in accordance with paragraph (9), and there is a space between two parts of the marking, the dimensions of that space may be varied as required to accommodate the variation of the length or width of the marking, provided that the character of the marking is maintained.
- (11) Where the dimensions of a signal which displays an arrow or symbol are varied in accordance with paragraph (7), the dimensions chosen for the arrow or symbol must maintain the shape and proportions shown in the diagram in which the signal is shown.

- (12) Any variation of any angle is to be treated as permitted if the variation does not exceed 5 degrees.
- (13) Paragraph (12) does not permit an angle which is less than the minimum, or greater than the maximum, given.
 - (14) Where—
 - (a) overall dimensions are given for a sign (other than a road marking); and
 - (b) the sign displays a legend or symbol which is varied or added in accordance with these Regulations,
 - the overall dimensions, the number of lines filled by the legend, or both, may be varied so far as necessary to give effect to the variation or addition.
- (15) Where these Regulations provide for a sign to be made up of a number of elements (including legends) but do not indicate where those elements are to be placed on the sign, regard is to be had, when deciding where to place those elements, to the purpose of the sign, in particular the nature of the message to be conveyed.

Illumination of upright signs and associated plates

- **8.**—(1) Paragraph (2) applies to an upright sign unless elsewhere in these Regulations in relation to a particular sign—
 - (a) requirements are imposed as to the illumination of the sign; or
 - (b) provision is made that the sign need not be illuminated.
 - (2) The upright sign must be—
 - (a) illuminated throughout the hours of darkness by internal or external lighting; or
 - (b) reflectorised.
- (3) If provision is made elsewhere in these Regulations that an upright sign need not be illuminated, it may be illuminated in accordance with paragraph (5).
- (4) Paragraph (5) also applies to an upright sign which must at certain times be illuminated under these Regulations during those times when it is not required to be illuminated.
 - (5) The upright sign may be—
 - (a) illuminated by internal or external lighting; or
 - (b) reflectorised.
- (6) Where these Regulations provide for a choice of methods of illumination for an upright sign (including where at least one method must be used), more than one of those methods may be used.
- (7) The same method used to illuminate an upright sign must be used to illuminate an associated plate (and where more than one method is used, all those methods must be used).
- (8) The same source of lighting used to illuminate an upright sign may be used to illuminate an associated plate provided it is adequate to do so.
 - (9) If an upright sign is not illuminated, any associated plate must not be illuminated.
- (10) Where retroreflecting material is used on any part of an upright sign or plate, all other parts, other than any parts coloured black, must also be reflectorised.
- (11) In paragraph (10) "part" means any part which is uniformly coloured and bounded by differently coloured parts.

Illumination - road markings

9.—(1) A road marking may be reflectorised.

(2) Paragraph (1) is subject to provision made elsewhere in these Regulations in relation to particular types of marking.

Height of road markings and size of studs fitted with reflectors, retroreflecting material or a light source

- **10.**—(1) No road marking may project above the surface of the adjacent carriageway more than 6 mm at any point except where a provision to that effect is made elsewhere in these Regulations.
 - (2) A depressible stud must not project more than 25 mm above the surface of the carriageway.
- (3) A non-depressible stud must not project more than 20 mm above the surface of the carriageway.
- (4) Paragraph (5) applies to a stud which, in accordance with these Regulations, is fitted with reflectors, retroreflecting material, a light source or a combination.
 - (5) The part of a stud which is visible when the stud is in place must have—
 - (a) an overall length in the direction of travel of traffic of not less than 35 mm and not more than 250 mm; and
 - (b) an overall width of not less than 84 mm and not more than 190 mm.

Diagram Colours

- 11.—(1) The colours prescribed for signs must conform to British Standard BS EN 12899-1:2007(15).
 - (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply—
 - (a) if alternative provision is made elsewhere in these Regulations in relation to a sign; or
 - (b) to the extent it is provided that part of a sign may be of any, or any contrasting, colour.

Mutual recognition of standards

- **12.** Any requirement in these Regulations to comply with a specified British Standard is satisfied by compliance with—
 - (a) a standard or code of practice of a national standards body or equivalent body of any EEA State,
 - (b) any international standard recognised for use as a standard or code of practice by any EEA State, or
 - (c) a technical specification recognised for use as a standard by a public authority of any EEA State
 - which requires a level of performance equivalent to that required by the specified British Standard.

Revocations

13. The Regulations specified in the table in Part 1 of Schedule 19 are revoked.

Transitional and savings provisions

- 14.—(1) Paragraph (2) applies to a sign—
 - (a) where the sign is in place immediately before the coming into force of these Regulations; or

- (b) where the sign is referred to in paragraph (4) and is placed within a period of 12 weeks beginning with the day on which these Regulations come into force.
- (2) A sign to which this paragraph applies and which is of a size, colour and type prescribed, or treated as prescribed, by the Traffic Signs Regulations 2002(16) ("the 2002 Regulations") is to be treated as being of a size, colour and type prescribed by these Regulations.
- (3) A sign shown by diagram 2919.1 is not to be treated as being of a size, colour and type prescribed by these Regulations on or after 30th January 2022(17).
 - (4) The signs referred to in paragraph (1)(b) are those shown by, or including as an element—
 - (a) diagram 515.2, 530, 532.2, 532.3, 574, 618.2, 618.3, 618.3A, 618.4, 629, 629.1, 629.2, 780A, 780.1A, 780.2A, 826, 826.1, 864.1 or 953.2;
 - (b) where the arrow symbols are of the maximum dimension permitted by the 2002 Regulations, diagram 868, 868.1, 872.1, 873, 874 or 875; and
 - (c) where the lower case letters are of the maximum height permitted by the 2002 Regulations, diagram 876,
 - or any of those diagrams varied in accordance with the 2002 Regulations.
- (5) The Zebra, Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings Regulations 1997(18) ("the 1997 Regulations") are to be treated as remaining in force in relation to Pelican crossings (within the meaning of those Regulations) established—
 - (a) before the coming into force of these Regulations; or
 - (b) within a period of six months beginning with the day on which these Regulations come into force.
- (6) In their application to Pelican crossings for the purposes of paragraph (5), the 1997 Regulations are modified in accordance with paragraphs (7) and (8).
- (7) The exceptions to the prohibition imposed by regulation 12(1)(c) and (d) of the 1997 Regulations (about proceeding beyond a stop line when a steady amber or red signal is showing) are those at paragraph 5(4) to (6) of Part 1 of Schedule 14 to this Instrument and not those at regulation 12(1)(e) to (ec) of the 1997 Regulations (with the reference in paragraph 5(4) to the prohibition in sub-paragraph (3) treated as being instead a reference to the prohibition in paragraph (c) or (d) in regulation 12(1)).
- (8) The exceptions to the prohibition imposed by regulation 20 of the 1997 Regulations (about stopping in a controlled area) in regulation 21(c) to (e) of those Regulations do not apply and instead the exceptions set out in paragraph 4(2)(d) of Part 5 of Schedule 14 to this Instrument apply.
- (9) In this regulation, a reference to a diagram number is to that diagram number in the 2002 Regulations(19).

Provision for review of these Regulations

- **15.**—(1) The Secretary of State must from time to time—
 - (a) carry out a review of these Regulations;
 - (b) set out the conclusions of the review in a report; and
 - (c) publish the report.

⁽¹⁶⁾ S.I. 2002/3113, amended by S.I. 2005/1670, S.I. 2006/2083, S.I. 2008/2177, S.I. 2011/1040 and S.I. 2011/3041.

⁽¹⁷⁾ Diagram 2919.1 shows the distance ahead to a service station and information about that service station. A similar diagram (2919.2) was substituted for 2919.1 by S.I. 2011/3041 (which came into force on 30th January 2012) but that S.I. included a ten year saving for signs already placed.

⁽¹⁸⁾ Part I of S.I. 1997/2400, amended by S.I. 1998/901, 2003/2155, 2004/3168, 2005/2929, 2011/935, by S.S.I. 2006/129, 2013/119 and by the Crime and Courts Act 2013 (c. 22) section 15(3), Schedule 8, Part 4, paragraph 190.

⁽¹⁹⁾ Part 1 of S.I. 2002/3113, amended by S.I. 2003/393, 2005/1670, 2006/2083, 2008/2177, 2011/1040, 2011/3041.

- (2) The report must in particular—
 - (a) set out the objectives intended to be achieved by the regulatory system established by these Regulations;
 - (b) assess the extent to which those objectives are achieved; and
 - (c) assess whether those objectives remain appropriate and, if so, the extent to which they could be achieved with a system that imposes less regulation.
- (3) The first report under this regulation must be published before the end of the period of five years beginning with the day on which these Regulations come into force.
- (4) Reports under this regulation are afterwards to be published at intervals not exceeding five years.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

Andrew Jones
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Department for Transport

16th March 2016

PART 2

THE TRAFFIC SIGNS GENERAL DIRECTIONS 2016

Citation, commencement and extent

- 1.—(1) This Part of this Instrument—
 - (a) may be cited—
 - (i) as the Traffic Signs General Directions 2016; and
 - (ii) together with Part 1, as the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016; and
 - (b) comes into force on 22nd April 2016.
- (2) These General Directions extend to the whole of Great Britain.

Interpretation

- **2.**—(1) In these General Directions, "the Regulations" means the Traffic Signs Regulations 2016.
- (2) Other words and expressions used in these General Directions, which are also used in the Regulations, have the same meaning as in the Regulations.

Application of general directions

3. The general directions in the final Part of each of Schedules 2 to 15 apply to the signs provided for in that Schedule to the extent indicated in the Schedule.

General provision about upright signs and associated plates and structure warning markings

- **4.**—(1) A plate or structure warning marking may only be placed in conjunction with an upright sign with which it is associated.
- (2) An upright sign which has an associated plate or structure warning marking may be placed with or without that associated plate or structure warning marking.

(3) Paragraph (2) does not apply in relation to a particular sign to the extent provision is made elsewhere in these General Directions about the placing of the sign with an associated plate or structure warning marking which contradicts paragraph (2).

General provision about placing of signs on vehicles

5. A sign must not be placed on a vehicle except as expressly authorised by these General Directions.

General provision about the removal of temporary signs

- **6.**—(1) Paragraph (2) applies to a sign placed for conveying to traffic a warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a temporary nature.
 - (2) The sign must not remain in place for longer than it is needed.
- (3) Paragraph (2) does not apply in relation to a particular sign to the extent provision is made elsewhere in these General Directions about the removal of that sign.

Studs that provide illumination

- 7.—(1) A stud provided for in the Regulations that incorporates reflectors, retroreflecting material, a light source or any combination may only be placed if it complies with this general direction.
- (2) If it incorporates reflectors or retroreflecting material, but no light source, a stud complies with this general direction if it is of a type which meets the applicable requirements and test specifications of the British Standard for retroreflecting studs.
- (3) The applicable requirements and test specifications of the British Standard for retroreflecting studs for a type of stud of a description in column 2 of an item in the table are those shown in column 3.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Description of stud	British Standard requirement or test specification and class
1	Non depressible road stud	Dimensions : height-class H1 or H2
2	Depressible road stud	Dimensions: height-class H1, H2 or H3
3	Permanent road stud	Dimensions : maximum horizontal dimension exposed to traffic: HD1
4	Temporary road stud	Dimensions : minimum horizontal dimension exposed to traffic: HDT1
5	Permanent road stud	Night-time visibility: photometric requirements - class PRP1
6	Temporary road stud	Night-time visibility: photometric requirements - class PRT1
7	Temporary road stud	Daytime visibility: colour of body of stud — class DCR1 fluorescent green-yellow — class DV1 —
8	Any stud	Colorimetric requirements-class NCR1 for white, amber, red or green retroreflectors only

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Description of stud	British Standard requirement or test specification and class
9	Any stud	Primary assessment-class S1
10	Any stud	Night-time visibility assessment-class R1, R2 or R3

- (4) The appropriate national authority may approve the placing of a type of stud on a road for the purpose of testing whether that type complies with the applicable requirements and test specifications of the British Standard for retroreflecting studs mentioned in paragraph (3).
- (5) A stud which incorporates a light source (whether or not it also incorporates reflectors or retroreflecting material) complies with this general direction if it is of a type which has been approved for use on roads by the appropriate national authority.
- (6) Approval under paragraph (4) or (5) must be given by a notice in writing to the supplier of the stud.
 - (7) The notice may provide that approval is for a specified time period only.
- (8) A time period may be varied by a subsequent notice and a subsequent notice may provide for a time period where one has not previously been given.
- (9) All studs ceasing to be of an approved type by reason of the expiry of a time period must be removed before the expiry of that period.
 - (10) In this general direction "national authority"—
 - (a) in relation to roads in England and Wales, means the Secretary of State; and
 - (b) in relation to roads in Scotland, means the Scottish Ministers.
- (11) An approval having effect immediately before the coming into force of these Regulations that applies in relation to roads in Scotland is to be treated as having been given by the Scottish Ministers in relation to those roads.

Mounting of upright signs

- **8.**—(1) Where an upright sign is mounted on a post or other support specially provided for the purpose, the part of the post or support above the ground must be—
 - (a) a single colour; or
- (b) the natural colour of the post or support,

but paragraphs (2), (3) and (5) provide for exceptions.

- (2) Where the post or support is not likely to be readily visible to pedestrians, cyclists or equestrians, a yellow or white band not less than 140 mm nor more than 160 mm deep may be provided on the post with the lower edge of the band being not less than 1500 mm nor more than 1700 mm above ground level.
- (3) Where the support provided for a portable upright sign comprises several components, the components need not all be of the same colour provided that each is of a single colour or the natural colour of the component.
- (4) Paragraphs (1) to (3) do not apply to the mounting of a particular upright sign to the extent provision is made elsewhere in these General Directions about the post or other support for that sign.
- (5) An identification code for maintenance purposes may be indicated, in characters not exceeding 25 mm in height, on a post or support on which an upright sign is mounted.

The backs of, and backing boards for, upright signs

- **9.**—(1) Paragraph (2) applies to—
 - (a) the back of an upright sign;
 - (b) the back of any backing board; and
 - (c) any other fitting provided for the assembly of a sign (including any container enclosing apparatus for the illumination of a sign).
- (2) The back or other fitting must be grey, black or in a non-reflective metallic finish.
- (3) Paragraphs (4) and (5) are exceptions to paragraph (2).
- (4) Information about sites for placing, and the ownership of, the sign, and an identification code for maintenance purposes, may be indicated on the back of the sign in characters not exceeding—
 - (a) 25 mm in height, where they are shown in a contrasting colour; or
 - (b) 50 mm in height, where they are embossed in the same colour.
 - (5) Information about the manufacture of the sign required in order to comply with—
 - (a) British Standard BS EN 12899-1:2007(20); or
 - (b) a corresponding EEA Standard,

occupying an area not exceeding 30 square centimetres, may be indicated on the back of the sign in characters not exceeding 5 mm in height.

- (6) The front of any backing board for an upright sign must be coloured either grey or yellow.
- (7) If the front of the backing board is coloured yellow it may be—
 - (a) reflectorised;
 - (b) fluorescent; or
 - (c) both reflectorised and fluorescent.
- (8) Where the front of the backing board is coloured yellow, the board must be rectangular in shape.
- (9) This general direction does not apply to the extent provision is made elsewhere in these General Directions about the backs of, and backing boards for, particular upright signs.

Mutual recognition of standards

- **10.** Any requirement in these General Directions to comply with a specified British Standard is satisfied by compliance with—
 - (a) a standard or code of practice of a national standards body or equivalent body of any EEA State,
 - (b) any international standard recognised for use as a standard or code of practice by any EEA State, or
 - (c) a technical specification recognised for use as a standard by a public authority of any EEA State,

which requires a level of performance equivalent to that required by the British Standard specified.

Special directions

11. Nothing in these General Directions limits the power of the Secretary of State, the Scottish Ministers or the Welsh Ministers, by special direction under section 65(2) of the 1984 Act(21), to dispense with, add to or modify any of the requirements of these General Directions in their application to any particular case.

Revocations

12. The General Directions specified in the table in Part 2 of Schedule 19 are revoked.

Saving

- 13.—(1) This general direction applies to a sign that is in place immediately before the coming into force of these General Directions which does not, but for this general direction, comply with these General Directions.
- (2) For so long as the way in which it is placed would have conformed with the Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings General Directions 1997(22) or the Traffic Signs General Directions 2002(23), it is to be treated as having been placed in conformity with these General Directions.

Provision for review of these General Directions

- **14.**—(1) The Secretary of State must from time to time—
 - (a) carry out a review of these General Directions;
 - (b) set out the conclusions of the review in a report; and
 - (c) publish the report.
- (2) The report must in particular—
 - (a) set out the objectives intended to be achieved by the regulatory system established by these General Directions;
 - (b) assess the extent to which those objectives are achieved; and
 - (c) assess whether those objectives remain appropriate and, if so, the extent to which they could be achieved with a system that imposes less regulation.
- (3) The first report under this regulation must be published before the end of the period of five years beginning with the day on which these General Directions come into force.
- (4) Reports under this general direction are afterwards to be published at intervals not exceeding five years.

⁽²¹⁾ For the transfer of functions applicable to special directions in Scotland and Wales, see S.I. 1999/1750 (in relation to Scotland) and S.I. 1999/672 and the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32) (in relation to Wales).

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⁽²³⁾ Part 2 of S.I. 2002/3113 amended by S.I. 2003/393, S.I. 2004/1275, S.I. 2008/2177, S.I. 2011/1040 and S.I. 2011/3041.

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SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 2

Definitions

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning
"abnormal transport unit"	 (a) a motor vehicle or a vehicle combination— (i) the overall length of which, inclusive of the load (if any) on the vehicle or the combination, exceeds 61 feet 6 inches (18.75 metres); (ii) the overall width of which, inclusive of the load (if any) on the vehicle or the combination, exceeds 9 feet 6 inches (2.9 metres); or (iii) the maximum gross weight of which exceeds 44 tonnes; or (b) a motor vehicle, or a vehicle combination, which is incapable of proceeding, or is unlikely to proceed, over a level crossing at a speed exceeding 5 mph
"actively managed hard shoulder"	a hard shoulder along which, by virtue of regulations under section 17(2) and (3) of the 1984 Act(24), vehicular traffic may be driven at times for the time being indicated by signs in accordance with those regulations
"administrative area"	 (a) United Kingdom; (b) England; (c) Scotland; (d) Wales; (e) a county or district in England for the purposes of the Local Government Act 1972(25); (f) a county or county borough in Wales for the purposes of the Local Government Act 1972; (g) a local government area for the purposes of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994(26); (h) a London Borough; (i) Greater London; (j) the City of London; (k) the Isles of Scilly
"all-purpose road"	a road that is not a motorway
"amber light beacon"	a beacon which shows an intermittent amber light and which complies with the beacon requirements
"articulated vehicle"	a motor vehicle with a trailer so attached to it as to be partially superimposed upon it
"backing board"	includes any background (except a wall to which a sign is fixed) against which a sign is displayed

⁽²⁴⁾ Section 17(2) was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), section 168(1) and Schedule 8, paragraph 28(3); by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), sections 48 and 83, Schedule 4, paragraph 25 and Schedule 8 and by the Scotland Act 2012 (c. 11), section 21(1) to (3).

^{(25) 1972} c.70.

^{(26) 1994} c.39.

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Term	Meaning
"beacon requirements"	the requirements applying to beacons and which are specified in Part 10 of Schedule 13
"blood and blood components"	have the same meaning as in regulation 1(3) of the Blood Safety and Quality Regulations 2005(27)
"blood service purposes"	the collection or distribution of blood or blood components by NHS Blood and Transplant(28), the Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service(29), the Welsh Blood Service(30) or the Northern Ireland Blood Transfusion Service(31)
"blue light beacon"	a beacon showing an intermittent blue light which complies with the beacon requirements
"breakdown vehicle"	has the same meaning as in regulation 3(2) of the Road Vehicle Lighting Regulations 1989(32)
"British Standard for retroreflecting studs"	British Standard BS EN 1463-1: 2009(33) on retro reflecting road studs when read with British Standard BS EN 1463-2: 2000(34) on road test performance for retroreflecting road studs
"bus"	unless the context requires otherwise— a motor vehicle constructed or adapted to carry more than 8 passengers (exclusive of the driver); or a local bus
"bus lane"	a traffic lane reserved for— (a) buses; and (b) where indicted on a sign, authorised vehicles, pedal cycles, solo motor cycles or taxis
"carriageway"	(a) in relation to a highway in England or Wales, or a road in Scotland, a way constituting or comprised in the highway or road being a way over which the public has a right of way for the passage of vehicles or class of vehicles, and

⁽²⁷⁾ S.I. 2005/50, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.

⁽²⁸⁾ NHS Blood and Transplant was established by the NHS Blood and Transplant (Gwaed a Thrawsblaniadau'r GIG) (Establishment and Constitution) Order 2005 (S.I. 2005/2529).

⁽²⁹⁾ The Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service is managed by the Common Services Agency established by section 10 of, and Schedule 5 to, the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (c. 29). The Agency was designated for this purpose by the National Health Service (Functions of the Common Services Agency)(Scotland) Order 2008 (S.S.I. 2008/312, the relevant amending instrument is S.S.I 2014/100).

⁽³⁰⁾ The Welsh Blood Service is provided and managed by Velindre National Health Service Trust. The Trust was established by the Velindre National Health Service Trust (Establishment) Order 1993 (S.I. 1993/2838). The functions of the Trust were extended to include the provision and management of the Welsh Blood Service by the Velindre National Health Service Trust (Establishment) (Amendment) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/826).

⁽³¹⁾ The Northern Ireland Blood Transfusion Service was established under Article 10(1)(d) of the Health and Personal Social Services (Northern Ireland) Order (S.I. 1972/1265) (N.I. 14).

⁽³²⁾ S.I. 1989/1796, amended by the Crime and Courts Act 2013 (c. 22), Schedule 8, Part 4, paragraph 190 and the Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), Schedule 9, paragraphs 10 to 14 and by S.I. 1994/2567, S.I. 2004/3168, S.I. 2005/2559, S.I. 2005/2929, S.I. 2006/594, S.I. 2009/3220, S.I. 2013/755, S.S.I. 2006/129, S.S.I. 2005/344 and S.S.I. 2013/119. There are other amending instruments but none is relevant.

⁽³³⁾ Publication date: 30th April 2009; ISBN number: 9780580636370.

⁽³⁴⁾ Publication date: 15th May 2000; ISBN number: 0580340201.

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Term	Meaning
	(b) in relation to any other road in England or Wales to which the public has access, that part of the road to which vehicles have access, but does not include in either case any central reservation
"central reservation"	 (a) any land between the carriageways of a road comprising two carriageways; or (b) any permanent work (other than a traffic island) in the carriageway of a road, which separates the carriageway or, as the case may be, the part of the carriageway, which is to be used by traffic moving in one direction from the carriageway or part of the carriageway which is to be used (whether at all times or at particular times only) by traffic moving in the other direction
"ceremonial area"	 (a) in relation to England, an area that is to be regarded as a county for the purposes of the Lieutenancies Act 1997(35) ("the 1997 Act") by virtue of paragraph 3 of Schedule 1 to that Act; (b) in relation to Wales, a preserved county within the meaning of paragraph 6 of Schedule 1 to the 1997 Act; (c) in relation to Scotland, an area for the purposes of the 1997 Act within the meaning of paragraph 7 of Schedule 1 to that Act
"circular sign"	an upright sign which is of a circular shape
"civil emergency"	an emergency within the meaning of section 1 of the Civil Contingencies Act 2004(36) or terrorism within the meaning of section 1 of the Terrorism Act 2000(37)
"civil emergency warning or information"	a warning or information about a civil emergency or the prospect of a civil emergency
"congestion charging zone"	an area in which the roads are designated for the purposes of a scheme for imposing charges in respect of the keeping or use of motor vehicles on roads
"contraflow"	a carriageway, or part of a carriageway, of a road where— (a) traffic is authorised to proceed in the opposite direction to the usual direction of traffic on that part; or (b) a specified class of traffic is authorised to proceed in the opposite direction to other traffic on that carriageway
"controlled parking zone"	either— (a) an area— (i) in which every part of every road is subject to a prohibition indicated by single or double yellow lines or single or double yellow kerb markings (except

^{(35) 1997} c.23; paragraph 3 of Schedule 1 was amended by S.I. 1997/1992, article 2.

^{(36) 2004} c.36.
(37) 2000 c.11; section 1 has been amended by the Terrorism Act 2006 (c. 11), section 34 and by the Counter-Terrorism Act 2008 (c. 28), section 75.

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Term	Meaning
	where parking spaces have been provided, where entrance to or exit from the road is made, where there is a prohibition or restriction on waiting, stopping, loading or unloading indicated by a different sign or where there is a crossing) whether or not an upright sign to indicate the same prohibition is placed in conjunction with the line or kerb marking; and (ii) into which each entrance for vehicular traffic has been indicated by the sign provided for at item 1 or 3 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 5; or (b) an area— (i) in which at least one sign provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 4 has been placed on each side of every road; and (ii) in which each entrance for vehicular traffic has been indicated by a sign provided for at item 4 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 5
"corresponding EEA standard"	a standard, code of practice or technical specification of a kind referred to in regulation 12 which requires a level of performance equivalent to that required by a British Standard
"cycle lane"	part of a carriageway of a road reserved for pedal cycles which is separated from the rest of the carriageway— (a) if it may not be used by vehicles other than pedal cycles, by the marking provided for at item 7 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9; (b) if it may be used by vehicles other than pedal cycles when clear of pedal cycles, by the marking provided for at item 2 or 3 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11
"cycle track"	 (a) in relation to England and Wales, has the same meaning as in section 329(1) of the Highways Act 1980(38); (b) in relation to Scotland, has the same meaning as in section 151(2) (b) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(39)
"depressible stud"	a stud fitted in such a way that the height by which it, or part of it, projects above the surface of the adjacent carriageway is reduced when pressure is applied from above
"designated lane"	a traffic lane reserved, by an order under section 1, 6, 9, 14, 16A or 19 of the 1984 Act(40) (traffic regulation orders and orders

^{(38) 1980} c.66. The definition was amended by the Cycle Track Act 1984 (c.38), section 1 and by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c.54), Schedule 3, paragraph 21(2).

⁽**39**) 1984 c.54.

⁽⁴⁰⁾ Section 1 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22) ("the New Roads Act"), section 168 and Schedule 8, paragraph 17(2), (3) (4)(5) and Schedule 9; by the Environment Act 1995 (c. 25), section 120 and Schedule 22, paragraph 36(1); by the Transport Act 2000 (c. 38), Schedule 11, paragraphs 6 and 7; by the Transport (Scotland) Act 2001 (asp 2), Schedule 2, paragraphs 3(1) and (2) and by the Local Transport Act 2008 (c. 26), section 45. Section 6 was amended by the Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51), Schedule 5, paragraph 4(3)(b); by the 1991 Act, section 168 and Schedule 8, paragraph 21(2) to (5) and Schedule 9 and by the Environment Act 1995 (c. 25), section 120 and Schedule 22, paragraph 36(2). Section 9 was amended by the Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51), Schedule 5, paragraph 4(4); by the New Roads Act, section 168(1) and Schedule 8, paragraph 23(2) to (4) and by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), Schedule 4, paragraph 24. Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26),

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Term	Meaning similar to traffic regulation orders), for use by such class of vehicular traffic as is, by the order, specified for the purpose of that reservation
"disabled badge holder symbol"	refers to this symbol:
"double red lines"	the road marking provided for at item 11 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"double yellow kerb marking"	the road marking provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"double yellow lines"	the road marking provided for at item 1 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"driver"	 (a) in relation to a vehicle which is a motor cycle or pedal cycle, the person riding the vehicle who is, or is purporting to be, in control of it; and (b) in relation to an abnormal transport unit— (i) where that unit is a single motor vehicle the driver of that vehicle; or (ii) where that unit is a vehicle combination, the driver of the only or the foremost motor vehicle forming part of that combination
"dual carriageway road"	a road which comprises a central reservation and "all-purpose dual carriageway road" means a dual carriageway road which is not a motorway
"emergency vehicle"	has the same meaning as in regulation 3(2) of the Road Vehicle Lighting Regulations 1989
"equestrian crossing"	a place on the carriageway of a road— (a) at which provision is made for equestrian traffic to cross the carriageway; and (b) the presence of which is indicated by a combination of— (i) the traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; (ii) the signals provided for at— (aa) items 15 and 16 of that table; or (bb) the signal provided for at item 17 (whether or not placed with the signal provided for at item 18); and (iii) the road marking provided for at item 55 or 56
"excursion or tour"	has the meaning given in section 137(1) of the Transport Act 1985(41)

section 1(1) and Schedule 1 and amended by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 10), section 36 and Schedule 5, paragraph 11(1). Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11), section 1(1). Section 19 was amended by the New Roads Act, section 168 and Schedule 8, paragraph 31(2) and (3) and Schedule 9.

(41) 1985 c. 67.

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Term	Meaning
"fire and rescue authority"	is to be construed in accordance with section 1 of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004(42)
"fluorescent green-yellow"	has the same meaning as in the British Standard for retroreflecting studs
"General Directions"	the Traffic Signs General Directions 2016(43)
"give way sign"	the upright sign provided for at item 2 in the Part 2 sign table in Schedule 9
"goods vehicle"	a motor vehicle or trailer constructed or adapted for use for the carriage or haulage of goods or burden of any description (and a reference in a diagram to "t" is to the maximum gross weight in tonnes)
"hard shoulder"	in relation to a motorway in England and Wales, has the meaning given by regulation 3(1)(e) of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(44) and, in relation to a motorway in Scotland, regulation 2(1) of the Motorways Traffic (Scotland) Regulations 1995(45)
"historic county area"	an area that at the time of the placing of the sign in question is not, but was, a county
"hours of darkness"	the time between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise
"junction"	a road junction
"layout or character"	in relation to a road, means the layout or character of the road itself and does not include the layout or character of any land or premises adjacent to the road
"leisure facility"	(a) those facilities of a description in column 2 of— (i) items 4 to 12 in Part 14 of Schedule 12; (ii) items 4, 12, 18, 34 to 38, 43, 44, 60, 63, 64 and 67 of Part 15 of Schedule 12; (iii) item 4 of Part 16 of Schedule 12; (iv) item 4 of Part 18 of Schedule 12; (b) a tourist hostel
"level crossing"	a place where a road is crossed by a railway or tramway on a reserved track on the same level
"local"	when shown on a bus symbol, indicates that the road or the traffic lane on or near which the sign has been placed must be used only by local buses.

^{(42) 2004} c. 21. (43) Part 2 of this Instrument. (44) S.I. 1982/1163. (45) S.I. 1995/2507.

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Term	Meaning
"local bus"	a public service vehicle used for the provision of a local service not being an excursion or tour
"local service"	has the meaning given in section 2 of the Transport Act 1985
"major road"	the road at a junction into which there emerges vehicular traffic from a minor road
"matrix sign"	a light signal for conveying information or a warning, requirement, restriction, prohibition or speed limit to traffic on a motorway, or an all-purpose dual carriageway road
"maximum gross weight"	 (a) in the case of a motor vehicle not drawing a trailer or in the case of a trailer, its maximum laden weight; (b) in the case of an articulated vehicle, its maximum laden weight (if it has one) and otherwise the aggregate maximum laden weight of all the individual vehicles forming part of that articulated vehicle; (c) in the case of a motor vehicle (other than an articulated vehicle) drawing one or more trailers, the aggregate maximum laden weight of the motor vehicle and the trailer or trailers drawn by it
"maximum laden weight"	in relation to a vehicle (including a vehicle which is a trailer) means— (a) in the case of a vehicle as respects which a gross weight not to be exceeded in Great Britain is specified in construction and use requirements (as defined by section 41(7) of the Road Traffic Act 1988(46)), the weight so specified; (b) in the case of a vehicle as respects which no such weight is so specified, the weight which the vehicle is designed or adapted not to exceed when in normal use and travelling on a road laden;
"maximum speed limit sign"	the sign provided for at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 10
"method of illumination"	is a reference to illumination by internal or external lighting or reflectorisation
"minor road"	a road on which, at its junction with another road, there is placed the sign at item 1 or 2 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 9 or the road marking at item 3 of the sign table in Part 6 of that Schedule
"minor route"	a road which, under the system for assigning identification numbers to roads administered by the Secretary of State, Scottish Ministers or Welsh Ministers, has not been assigned a number prefixed by A, B or M
"mobile road works"	road works carried out by or from a vehicle or vehicles which move slowly along the road or which stop briefly from time to time along that road
"motorway"	a special road which—

^{(46) 1988} c. 52. Section 41 was amended by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), Schedule 4, paragraph 50 and Schedule 8, 22

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Term	Meaning
	 (a) in England and Wales (except if otherwise provided by or under regulations made under, or having effect as if made under, section 17 of the 1984 Act(47)), can be used by traffic only of Class I or Class II as specified in Schedule 4 to the Highways Act 1980(48); (b) in Scotland, can be used by traffic only of Class I or Class II as specified in Schedule 3 to the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(49)
"mph"	miles per hour
"national promoter of tourism"	 (a) in relation to England, the British Tourist Authority(50); (b) in relation to Scotland, VisitScotland(51); and (c) in relation to Wales, Welsh Ministers(52)
"national speed limit"	any prohibition imposed on a road by the 70 miles per hour, 60 miles per hour and 50 miles per hour (Temporary Speed Limit) Order 1977(53) or by regulation 3 of the Motorways Traffic (Speed Limits) Regulations 1974(54)
"NHS ambulance service"	 (a) an NHS trust or NHS foundation trust established under the National Health Service Act 2006(55) which has a function of providing ambulance services; (b) an NHS trust established under the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006(56) which has a function of providing ambulance services; (c) the Scottish Ambulance Service Board
"non-primary route"	a route, not being a primary route or a motorway or part of a primary route or of a motorway
"panel"	a rectangular or square part of a sign which is distinguishable from the other part or parts of the sign by being of a contrasting colour or having a border of a contrasting colour
"Parallel controlled area"	a length of carriageway— (a) which— (i) is adjacent to a Parallel crossing; and

⁽⁴⁷⁾ Section 17 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), section 168(1) and (2) and Schedule 8, paragraph 28(2) to (5); by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), sections 48 and 83 and Schedule 4 paragraph 25 and Schedule 8; by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 10) section 36 and Schedule 5, paragraph 11(2); by the Scotland Act 2012 (c. 11) section 21(1) to (4) and 5(a) and (b) and by S.S.I. 2000/312.

⁽⁴⁸⁾ Schedule 4 was amended by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c. 66), section 4, and Schedule 3, paragraph 21(3).

⁽**49**) 1984 c.54.

⁽⁵⁰⁾ The Authority currently promotes tourism in England using the trading name "VisitEngland".

⁽⁵¹⁾ The Scottish Tourist Board (established by section 1 of the Development of Tourism Act 1969 (c. 51)) was renamed VisitScotland by the Tourist Boards (Scotland) Act 2006 (asp 15).

⁽⁵²⁾ Welsh Ministers currently promote tourism in Wales using the branding "Visit Wales".

⁽⁵³⁾ This Order is not a Statutory Instrument. It was amended by the 70 miles per hour, 60 miles per hour and 50 miles per hour (Temporary Speed Limit) (Variation) Order 1978 and its provisions were continued in force indefinitely by the 70 miles per hour, 60 miles per hour and 50 miles per hour (Temporary Speed Limit) (Continuation) Order 1978, S.I. 1978/1548.

⁽⁵⁴⁾ S.I. 1974/502.

^{(55) 2006} c. 41.

^{(56) 2006} c. 42.

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Term	Meaning
	 (ii) in the manner shown in the diagram at item 53 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14, has a zig-zag line, of the type provided for at that item, marked along each of its edges (with or without zig-zag lines also marked down its centre) and give way markings, of the type provided for at item 54 of that table, marked parallel to the crossing; and (b) in or near which no other signs or markings have been placed except ones— (i) comprised in the combination of signs and markings indicating the presence of the facility for crossing; or (ii) provided for at item— (aa) 3, 7, 8 or 10 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3; (bb) 2 or 73 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11; or (cc) 18, 28 or 33 in the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11
"Parallel crossing"	 a place on the carriageway— (a) where provision is made for pedestrians and cyclists to cross the carriageway; (b) the presence of which is indicated by— (i) a yellow globe of the type provided for at item 27 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14 at each end of the crossing (except that globes need not be present at a crossing that only crosses a cycle track); (ii) in respect of the part of the crossing for pedestrians, the black and white stripes shown in the diagram at item 53 and in respect of which provision is made at paragraph 18 of Part 1 of that Schedule (including provision for the black stripes to be a different colour); and (iii) in respect of the part of the crossing for cyclists, the markings provided for at item 57 together with, where used, the cycle symbols shown in the diagram at item 53 of that sign table; and (c) the limits of which are indicated— (i) in so far as they relate to the part for pedestrians, the stripes; and (ii) in so far as they relate to the part for cyclists, the marking at item 57
"parking place identifier"	any symbol, logo, letter, numeral or name (or combination) of any size in a colour that contrasts with the background on which they are placed, whether or not placed on a patch which may be of any colour, which indicates or identifies an area or location in which restrictions on the parking of vehicles apply by reference to a particular parking place or group of parking places
"pedal cycle"	a unicycle, bicycle, tricycle or cycle having four or more wheels, not being in any case mechanically propelled unless it is an

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning electrically assisted pedal cycle that is not treated as a motor vehicle for the purposes of the 1984 Act(57)
"pedestrian zone"	an area— (a) which has been laid out to improve amenity for pedestrians; and (b) to which the entry of vehicles is prohibited or restricted
"pedestrian and cycle zone"	an area— (a) which has been laid out to improve amenity for pedestrians and cyclists; and (b) to which the entry of vehicles, except pedal cycles, is prohibited or restricted
"permit identifier"	any upper case letter or letters, with or without a number, whether or not placed on a patch which may be of any colour, where the letter and, as the case may be, number are of any size, in a colour that contrasts with the background on which they are placed and indicate a type of permit
"permit parking area"	 an area— (a) into which each entrance for vehicular traffic has been indicated by the sign provided for at item 5 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 5; and (b) where any parking place within that area reserved for the use of the permit holders as indicated on that sign is not shown by markings on the road (whether or not an upright sign is placed next to, or near, such a parking place to indicate that only the permit holders in question may use the place)
"plate"	a sign which may or must (as indicated in the General Directions) be used to supplement or qualify the message conveyed by an upright sign. And an "associated plate" refers to a plate which supplements or qualifies a particular upright sign
"police vehicle"	a vehicle being used for police purposes or operating under the instructions of a chief officer of police
"portable signal controlled pedestrian facility"	 a place on the carriageway— (a) which is not a section 25 crossing; (b) where temporary provision is made for pedestrians to cross the carriageway; (c) the presence of which is indicated by the signs provided for in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14 at item 2, item 60 and — (i) item 9 (with or without item 10) and either item 11 or 12; or (ii) item 13; and (d) the presence of which may in addition be indicated by—

⁽⁵⁷⁾ See section 141(1)(c), amended by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988, Schedule 3, para 25(9) and the Electrically Assisted Pedal Cycles Regulations 1983, S.I. 1983/1168 which were amended by SI 2015/24.

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Term	(i) either or both of the road markings provided for at item 46 (stop line) and 55 (crossing marking) of the table; and (ii) where— (aa) all streams of vehicular traffic are stopped only for the purpose of enabling pedestrians to cross the carriageway; and (bb) both the stop line and crossing markings provided for at items 46 and 55 respectively are also placed, the road marking provided for at item 51 of the table
"primary route"	a route, not being a route comprising any part of a motorway, in relation to which a determination has been made that it provides the most satisfactory route for through traffic between places of traffic importance under the administrative system for so determining that is the responsibility of the Secretary of State, Scottish Ministers or Welsh Ministers in England, Scotland and Wales respectively
"principal road"	 (a) in England and Wales, a road classified as a principal road in accordance with section 12 of the Highways Act 1980(58) (whether as falling within subsection (1) or classified under subsection (3)); (b) in Scotland, a road classified as a principal road in accordance with section 11(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(59)
"Puffin controlled area"	 a length of carriageway— (a) which is adjacent to a Puffin crossing, has a zig-zag line marked along each of its edges (with or without zig-zag lines also marked down its centre) and is shown by the markings in the diagram at item 51 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14 and stop line markings, of the type provided for at item 46 or 49 of that table, marked parallel to the crossing; and (b) in or near which no other signs or markings have been placed except ones— (i) comprised in the combination of signs and markings indicating the presence of the facility for crossing; or (ii) provided for at item— (aa) 3, 7, 8 or 10 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3; (bb) 2 or 73 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11;

^{(58) 1980} c. 66. In relations to Wales, the functions of the minister under section 12 now rest with Welsh Ministers. See the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672), article 2 and Schedule 1 and the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32). Schedule 11, paragraph 30.

Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32), Schedule 11, paragraph 30.

(59) 1984 c. 54. The functions of the Secretary of State under section 11(1) now rest with Scottish Ministers. See the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46) and in particular section 53 and the absence of a reservation for section 11(1) in Schedule 5.

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning
	(cc) 18, 28 or 33 in the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11
"Puffin crossing"	a section 25 crossing— (a) where provision is made for pedestrians to cross the carriageway; and (b) the presence of which is indicated by a combination of— (i) the traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; (ii) the nearside light signals provided for at item 13 (whether or not used with the supplementary nearside signals provided for at item 14) of that table; and (iii) the crossing marking provided for at item 55 of that table
"red route"	a road in respect of which the prohibition indicated by single or double red lines has been imposed by an order or notice under the 1984 Act (subject to such exceptions as are provided for by such an order or notice). This definition does not apply when "red route" is used in the phrase "red route clearway"
"red route clearway"	a road in respect of which the prohibition indicated by the sign provided for at item 8 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 7 has been imposed by an order or notice under the 1984 Act (subject to such exceptions as are provided for by such an order or notice)
"reflectorised"	illuminated by the use of retroreflecting material (and "reflectorisation" is to be construed accordingly)
"retroreflecting material"	material which reflects a ray of light back towards the source of that light
"refuge for pedestrians"	a part of a road to which vehicles do not have access and on which pedestrians may wait after crossing one part of the carriageway and before crossing the other
"restricted parking zone"	 an area— (a) into which each entrance for vehicular traffic has been indicated by a sign which includes the symbol and legend at item 2 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 5; and (b) in which none of the road markings at items 1 to 4 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7 has been placed
"road maintenance vehicle"	a vehicle which is specially designed or adapted for use on a road by or on behalf of a traffic authority for the purposes of road maintenance
"road marking"	a sign consisting of a line, mark or legend on a road
"road works"	works for the improvement, alteration or maintenance of a road and includes—

(1)	(2)
Term	(a) in relation to England and Wales, street works as defined by section 48(3) of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991(60); (b) in relation to Scotland, road works as defined by section 107(3) of that Act
"Schedule [x] General Direction"	where [x] is replaced by a number, is a reference to a general direction that, pursuant to general direction 3 in Part 2 of this Instrument, is contained in the Schedule bearing that number
"school crossing patrol sign"	a sign exhibited by a school crossing patrol for the purpose of stopping a vehicle in accordance with section 28(1) of the 1984 Act and provided for at item 24 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14
"school crossing place"	a place in a road where children cross or seek to cross that road on their way to or from school or on their way from one part of a school to another
"section 25 crossing"	a Puffin crossing or a Zebra crossing
"section 25 crossing controlled area"	a Puffin-controlled area or a Zebra-controlled area
"sign"	a traffic sign or a school crossing patrol sign
"sign table"	a table in Schedules 2 to 15 that is headed "Sign table" (followed by the Schedule and Part in which the table appears)
"signal- controlled crossing facility"	an equestrian crossing, a signal-controlled pedestrian facility or a Toucan crossing
"signal- controlled crossing facility controlled area"	 a length of carriageway— (a) which is adjacent to a signal-controlled crossing facility and has a zig-zag line marked along each of its edges (with or without zig-zag lines also marked down its centre) and is shown by the markings in the diagram at item 51 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14 and stop line markings, of the type provided for at item 46 or 49 of that table, marked parallel to the crossing; and (b) in or near which no other signs or markings have been placed except ones— (i) comprised in the combination of signs and markings indicating the presence of the facility for crossing; or (ii) provided for at item— (aa) 3, 7, 8 or 10 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3;

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning
	(bb) 2 or 73 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11; or (cc) 18, 28 or 33 in the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11
"signal- controlled pedestrian facility"	 a place on the carriageway of a road— (a) which is not a section 25 crossing; (b) where provision is made for pedestrians to cross the carriageway; and (c) the presence of which is indicated by a combination of— (i) the traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; (ii) the sign provided for at— (aa) item 9 (with or without item 10) and either item 11 or 12 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; or (bb) item 13 of the table (whether or not placed with the signal provided for at item 14); and (iii) the road marking provided for at item 55 or 56 of the table
"single red line"	the road marking provided for at item 12 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"single yellow kerb marking"	the road marking provided for at item 4 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"single yellow line"	the road marking provided for at item 2 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 7
"solo motor cycle"	a motor cycle without a side car
"special forces purposes"	the use of a vehicle for naval, military or air force purposes where— (a) the person driving the vehicle is a member of a unit of the armed forces of the Crown the maintenance of whose capabilities is the responsibility of the Director of Special Forces or which is for the time being subject to the operational command of that Director; and (b) the vehicle is being driven— (i) in response, or for practice in responding to, a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving vehicles at high speeds; or (ii) for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds
"speed limit"	a maximum or minimum limit of speed on the driving of vehicles on a road—

(1)	(2)
Term	 (a) imposed by an order under section 14 of the 1984 Act(61) (temporary prohibition or restriction of traffic on roads); (b) imposed by an order under section 16A of the 1984 Act(62) (special events); (c) imposed by regulations under section 17 of the 1984 Act(63) (traffic regulation on special roads); (d) arising by virtue of the road being restricted for the purposes of section 81 of the 1984 Act (general speed limit for restricted roads); (e) imposed by an order under section 84 of the 1984 Act(64) (speed limits on roads other than restricted roads); (f) imposed by an order under section 88 of the 1984 Act(65) (temporary speed limits); or (g) imposed by or under a local Act, and "maximum speed limit" are to be construed accordingly
"stop line"	has the meaning given in paragraph 30 of Part 1 of Schedule 14
"stop sign"	the upright sign provided for at item 1 in the Part 2 sign table in Schedule 9
"the stopping prohibited symbol"	refers to this symbol:
"stroke width"	25% of the x-height
"structure warning marking"	the markings provided for at items 3 and 4 of the sign table in Part 5 of Schedule 2 which may be used to supplement a triangular or circular sign and in the phrase "associated structure warning marking", "associated" refers to the marking in question being supplementary to a particular triangular or circular sign
"stud"	a prefabricated device fixed or embedded in the carriageway of a road
"system of street-lighting"	the presence on a road of at least three lamps, lit by electricity, provided for the purposes of illuminating the road, and placed no more than— (a) 183 metres apart in England and Wales, or (b) 185 metres apart in Scotland
"taxi"	(a) in England and Wales, a vehicle licensed under—

⁽⁶¹⁾ Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1 and amended by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 10), section 36 and Schedule 5, paragraph 11(1).

⁽⁶²⁾ Section 16A was inserted by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11), section 1(1).

⁽⁶³⁾ Section 17 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), section 168(1) and (2) and Schedule 8, paragraph 28(2) to (5); by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), sections 48 and 83 and Schedule 4 paragraph 25 and Schedule 8; by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 10) section 36 and Schedule 5, paragraph 11(2); by the Scotland Act 2012 (c. 11) section 21(1) to (4) and 5(a) and (b) and by S.S.I. 2000/312.

⁽⁶⁴⁾ Section 84 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), section 168(1) and Schedule 8, paragraph 61 and by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), section 45(1) to (4).

⁽⁶⁵⁾ Section 88 was amended by the Scotland Act 2012 (c. 11), section 21(1), (12), (13) and (14) to (18).

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning (i) section 37 of the Town Police Clauses Act 1847(66); or (ii) section 6 of the Metropolitan Public Carriage Act 1869(67); or under any similar enactment; (b) in Scotland, a taxi licensed under section 10 of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982(68)
"taxi rank"	an area of carriageway reserved for use by taxis waiting to pick up passengers
"temporary hazard warning"	a warning about, or information on how to avoid, any temporary hazards caused by— (a) works being executed on or near a road; (b) adverse weather conditions or other natural causes; (c) the failure of street-lighting or malfunction of, or damage to, any other apparatus, equipment or facility used in connection with the road or anything situated on or near or under it; or (d) damage to the road itself
"temporary information"	 (a) information about— (i) the time, date or location of road works; (ii) the expected delay that road works may cause; (iii) convenient routes to be followed on the occasion of a sporting event, an exhibition or any other public gathering which is likely to attract a large volume of traffic; (iv) diversions or alternative routes; (v) check points at which drivers of goods vehicles or public service vehicles may be required to stop; (vi) the availability of new routes or destinations; or (vii) changes in route numbers; (b) information for drivers of wide loads about action to be taken in respect of road works ahead; or (c) requests by the police for information in connection with road traffic accidents
"temporary statutory provision"	 (a) a provision having effect under section 9 or section 14 of the 1984 Act or under a provision referred to in section 66 of that Act(69); (b) a prohibition, restriction or requirement indicated by a sign placed pursuant to section 67 of the 1984 Act(70); or

^{(66) 1847} c. 89; section 37 was modified in relation to hackney carriages by the Transport Act 1985 (c. 67), section 16(a).

^{(67) 1869} c. 115; section 6 was substituted by the Greater London Authority Act 1999, Schedule 20, Part 1, paragraph 5(3) and amended by S.I. 2014/560, Schedule 1, paragraph 1.

^{(68) 1982} c. 45; section 10 is prospectively amended by the Air Weapons and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2015 (asp 10), section 63.

⁽⁶⁹⁾ Section 9 was amended by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), Schedule 8, paragraph 23, by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), Schedule 4, paragraph 24 and by the Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51), Schedule 4, paragraph 4(4). Section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991 (c. 26), Schedule 1 and amended by the National Parks (Scotland) Act 2000 (asp 10), Schedule 5, paragraph 11(1). Section 66 was amended by the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c. 54), Schedule 3, paragraph 25(4), by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991, Schedule 8, paragraph 49 and by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c. 54), Schedule 3, paragraph 25(4).

⁽⁷⁰⁾ Section 67 was amended by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c. 54), Schedule 3, paragraph 25(5), by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), Schedule 8, Part 2, paragraph.50 and by the Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (c. 36), Schedule 2, Part 3, paragraph 16(3).

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning (c) a provision having effect under section 62 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(71)
"terminal sign"	a sign placed to indicate the point at which a requirement, restriction or prohibition begins or ends
"Toucan crossing"	a place on the carriageway of a road— (a) where provision is made for both pedestrians and pedal cyclists to cross the carriageway; and (b) the presence of which is indicated by a combination of— (i) the traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; (ii) (aa) the signals provided for at item 19 (with or without item 10) and either item 12 or 20 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14; or (bb) the signal provided for at item 21 of that table (whether or not placed with the signal provided for at item 22 of the table); and (iii) the road marking provided for at item 55 or 56 of the table
"tourist destination"	 (a) a Tourist Information Centre or Point; (b) a permanently established attraction or facility (other than a leisure facility) which— (i) attracts or is used by visitors to an area; (ii) is open to the public without prior booking during its normal opening hours; and (iii) is recognised as a tourist attraction or facility by the appropriate national promoter of tourism; (c) a village, town or city that is of particular interest to tourists; (d) a route that is of particular interest to tourists
"Tourist Information Centre"	a staffed information service centre recognised and supported by the appropriate national promoter of tourism
"Tourist Information Point"	a display of tourist information approved by the appropriate national promoter of tourism or another person or body responsible for promoting tourism for a particular village, town or other area of England, Wales or Scotland
"traffic lane"	a part of the carriageway intended for use by vehicles travelling in a particular direction or reserved for use by vehicles of a particular type and separated from other parts of the carriageway by road markings
"traffic light signals"	the light signals provided for at items 1 to 4 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14
"traffic officer"	has the meaning given in section 100(5) of the 1984 Act(72)

 ⁽⁷¹⁾ Section 62 was amended by the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11), Schedule, paragraph 6.
 (72) The definition of "traffic officer" was inserted by S.I. 2008/2367.

(1)	(2)
Term	Meaning
"tramcar"	has the meaning given in section 141A(4) of the 1984 Act(73)
"triangular sign"	an upright sign which is of a triangular shape
"trolley vehicle"	has the meaning given in section 141A(4) of the 1984 Act
"trunk road"	has the meaning given— (a) as respects England and Wales, in section 329(1) of the Highways Act 1980(74); (b) as respects Scotland, in section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(75);
"tunnel restriction code"	any of the codes specified in Chapter 1.9 of Part 1 of Annex A to the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR) as applicable from 1st January 2015(76)
"upright sign"	a traffic sign other than a plate, a structure warning marking, a road marking or light signals
"variable message sign"	a device which complies with the requirements of Part 1 of Schedule 16 and is capable of displaying, at different times, two or more of the following— (a) a sign provided for in Schedule 2 to 13 or 15; (b) a legend provided for in Schedule 16; and (c) a blank grey or a blank black face.
"vehicle combination"	a combination of vehicles made up of one or more motor vehicles and one or more trailers all of which are linked together when travelling
"with-flow"	indicates that the bus or cycle lane in question is for the use of traffic of a type permitted to use that lane proceeding in the same direction as general traffic in an adjoining traffic lane
"x-height"	the height of the lower case "x" in Parts 1 and 2 of Schedule 17
"Zebra controlled area"	a length of carriageway— (a) which— (i) is adjacent to a Zebra crossing; and (ii) in the manner shown in the diagram at item 52 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14, has a zig-zag line, of the type provided for at that item, marked along each of its edges (with or without zig-zag lines also marked down its centre) and give way markings, of the type provided for at item 54 of that table, marked parallel to the crossing; and

⁽⁷³⁾ Section 141A was inserted by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c.40), section 46 and was amended by the Schedule to the Road

Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 (c. 11).

(74) The definition of "trunk road" in section 329(1) was amended by the Planning Act 2008 (c. 29), Schedule 2, paragraph 29(3).

⁽⁷⁵⁾ The definition of "trunk road" in section 151 was amended by the Planning (Consequential Provisions)(Scotland) Act 1997

 ⁽c.11), Schedule 2, paragraph 38(15).
 (76) The 2015 edition of ADR is available at the UNECE website (http://www.unece.org/trans/danger/publi/adr/adr_e.html) or may be purchased as a paperback (ISBN 9789211391497) or in CD format (ISBN 9789210397285).

(1)	(2)
Term	(b) in or near which no other signs or markings have been placed except ones— (i) comprised in the combination of signs and markings indicating the presence of the facility for crossing; or (ii) provided for at item— (aa) 3, 7, 8 or 10 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3; (bb) 2 or 73 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11; or (cc) 18, 28 or 33 in the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11
"Zebra crossing"	 a place on the carriageway— (a) where provision is made for pedestrians to cross the carriageway; (b) the presence of which is indicated by— (i) a yellow globe of the type provided for at item 27 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 14 at each end of the crossing (except that globes need not be present at a crossing that only crosses a cycle track); (ii) the black and white stripes shown in the diagram at item 52 of that table and in respect of which provision is made at paragraph 18 of Part 1 of that Schedule (including provision for the black stripes to be a different colour); and (iii) where used, the marking provided for at item 55 of that table; and (c) the limits of which are indicated by the stripes except that, where used, the limit is indicated by the marking at item 55
"zone identifier"	any symbol, logo, letter, numeral or name (or combination) of any size in a colour that contrasts with the background on which they are placed, whether or not placed on a patch which may be of any colour, which indicates or identifies an area or location in which restrictions on the parking of vehicles apply by reference to that area or location

SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 3, Direction 3

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

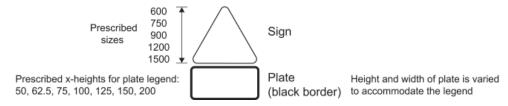
PART 1

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.

PART 2 Warning signs and associated plates



Sign table — Schedule 2, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
Ité	emDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab le hed io ß ener Direct	al
1	Diagram 504.1 Crossroads ahead (Alternative types)		A distance	1	3		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	emDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Applic provisi in Part 7	ab le hedule 2 o ß eneral Directions
2	Diagram 505.1 T-junction ahead (Alternative types)	A	A distance	1	3	
3	Diagram	^	Adistance	1	3	
	506.1 Side road ahead		<u>+</u>			
	(Alternative types)		P \			
4	Diagram 507.1 Staggered		Adistance	1	3	
	junction ahead (Alternative		<u> </u>			
	types)					
5	Diagram 508.1		A distance			
	Traffic merges					
	ahead from left					
6	Diagram 509.1	Λ	A distance			
	Traffic merges					
	ahead onto main					

(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
-	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		atSehedule 2 otGeneral Directions
		1 A distance: or	1 or 4 (or both)	2	
510 Roundabout ahead		2. "Adverse camber"	1 01 4 (01 00111)	3	
Diagram 512 Bend ahead	A	1. "Adverse camber"; 2. "Keep in low gear"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
(Alternative types)		middle of road			
Diagram 512.1 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead	À.	1. "Adverse camber"; "Keep in low gear"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
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Diagram 512.2 Junction on the inside of a bend ahead	Δ.	1. "Adverse camber"; 1. "Keep in low gear"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
	carriageway Diagram 510 Roundabout ahead Diagram 512 Bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.1 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the inside of a bend ahead	carriageway Diagram 510 Roundabout ahead Diagram 512 Bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.1 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the inside of a bend	carriageway Diagram 510 Roundabour ahead Diagram 512 Bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.1 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead (Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead Alternative types) Diagram 512.2 Junction on the outside of a bend ahead Alternative types)	mDescription Diagram First associated plate legend Supplementary associated plate plate (by reference to Parts sign table item number) 1. A distance; or 2. "Adverse camber"; Property in the plate of plate (by reference to Parts sign table item number) 1. A distance; or 2. "Adverse camber"; Property in low gear"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; It "Adver	mDescription Diagram First associated plate legend First associated plate legend Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number) 1. A distance; or 2. "Adverse camber" Part 3 sign table item number) 1. A distance; or 2. "Adverse camber" Part 3 sign table item number) 1. A distance; or 2. "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" F'Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road" It "Adverse camber"; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"

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Ite	emDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hedule 2 iotSeneral Directions
11	Diagram 512.3 Crossroads on a bend ahead (Alternative types)	A 2	1 "Adverse camber"; 2 "Keep in low gear"; or 3. "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; 2 Adverse camber"; 3. "Keep in low gear"; or 4. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"	1, 2 or 4 (or any combination)	3	
13			 A distance; "Single file traffic" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "Single file traffic" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "Single file traffic for" and a distance; "Single track road" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 	1		

(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)		a Be hedule 2 o G eneral Directions
			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; or			
			7. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
14	Diagram 517 Road narrows on one side ahead (Alternative types)		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; or 7. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
15	Diagram 520 Dual carriageway		 A distance; "Single file traffic", with or without a distance; or "Single file traffic for" and 	1		
	road ends ahead		a distance			

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
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16	Diagram 521 Two-way traffic ahead	↑	 A distance; or "For" and a distance 			
17	Diagram 522 Two-way traffic on route crossing ahead		A distance			
18	Diagram 523.1 Steep hill downwards ahead	10 %	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "For" and a distance; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "Low gear now"; "Keep in low gear"; or "Low gear for" and a distance 	or (when used with a first plate containing legend 4 or 5): 3, or both 1 and 3	12	
19	Diagram 524.1 Steep hill upwards ahead	20%	 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "For" and a distance; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; "Low gear now"; 	1	12	

(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)		a ße hedule 2 o ß eneral Directions
			5. "Keep in low gear"; or			
			6. "Low gear for" and a distance			
20	Diagram 528 Hump bridge		 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; An arrow pointing to the 	1		
	ahead		left or to the right; or 3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
21	Diagram 529 Opening		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	or swing bridge ahead		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
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			
			3. "Oncoming vehicles in middle of road"			
23	Diagram 544.1	*	1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	Pedestrians in		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	road ahead		3. "No footway for" and a distance			

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	emDescription		First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Applic	absehedule 2 onseneral Directions
24	Diagram 544.2 Frail or disabled pedestrians likely to cross road ahead		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 3. "Disabled people" or "Blind people" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or 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 Children going to or from school or playground ahead		1. "School", "Patrol", "Playground", "Disabled children", "Blind children" or "Deaf children" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 2. "School", "Patrol", "Playground", "Disabled children", "Blind children" or "Deaf children" and a distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or 3 "No footway for" and a distance			1
26	Diagram 950 Cycle route ahead	6 ₹60	1 A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left of the right; 2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			

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Ite	mDescription		First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ablehedule 2 onGeneral Directions
	(Alternative types)		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 ahead		"For" and a distance			
28	Diagram 549 Sheep likely to be in road ahead		"For" and a distance			
29	Diagram 550 Wild horses or ponies likely to be in road ahead		"For" and a distance			

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	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)	Applic provisi in Part 7	ablehedule ionseneral Directions
30	Diagram 550.1 Accompani		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right;			
	horses or ponies		2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			
	likely to be in		3. "For" and a distance			
	road ahead					
31	Diagram 550.2	Λ	"For" and a distance			
	Horse drawn	JOK II				
	vehicles likely to					
	be in road ahead					
32	Diagram 551		"For" and a distance			
	Wild animals	(P)				
	likely to be in					
	road ahead					
33	Diagram 551.2	Λ	"For" and a distance			
	Wild fowl likely					
	to be in road					

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Ite	emDescription ahead	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		ab Se hedule 2 io ns eneral Directions
34			1. "Farm traffic", "Wide vehicles" or "Tractors turning"; or 2. "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 ahead	Gates	 "For" and 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 			
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 			

(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)		at Se hedule 2 o r General Directions
			3. "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 			
41	Diagram 555.1 Water course alongside road ahead		"For" and a distance			

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	C	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		a ße hedule 2 io ß eneral Directions
	(Alternative types)					
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		1. "Hump" or "Humps" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 2. "Hump" or "Humps" with two arrows, one pointing to the left and one pointing to the right; 3. "Hump" or "Humps for" and a distance, with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or 4. "Hump" or "Humps for" and a distance, with two arrows, one pointing to the left and one pointing to the right			1
44	Diagram 559 Risk of falling or fallen rocks ahead (Alternative types)		"For" and a distance			

(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)	Applic provis in Part 7	at Se hedule . o G eneral Directions
45	Diagram 581 Side winds likely ahead		"For" and a distance			
46	Diagram 558 Low flying aircraft or sudden aircraft noise likely ahead		 "For" and a distance; "Gliders"; or "Gliders for" and a distance 			
47	Diagram 558.1 Low flying helicopters or sudden helicopter noise likely ahead		"For" and a distance			
48	Diagram 582 Slow moving		"For" and a distance			

(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 2 io G seneral Directions
	military vehicles					
	likely to becrossing or in road					
	ahead					
49	Diagram 583		"Slow lorries for" and a distance and "mile" or "miles"			1
	Slow moving					
	vehicles likely on					
	incline ahead					
50	Diagram 584		1. "Queues likely" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or			1, 2
	Traffic		2. "Queues likely on slip			
	likely on road		road" with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
	ahead					
51	Diagram 770		1. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or		6	
	Level crossing	******	2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right			
	with gate or		3			
	barrier ahead					

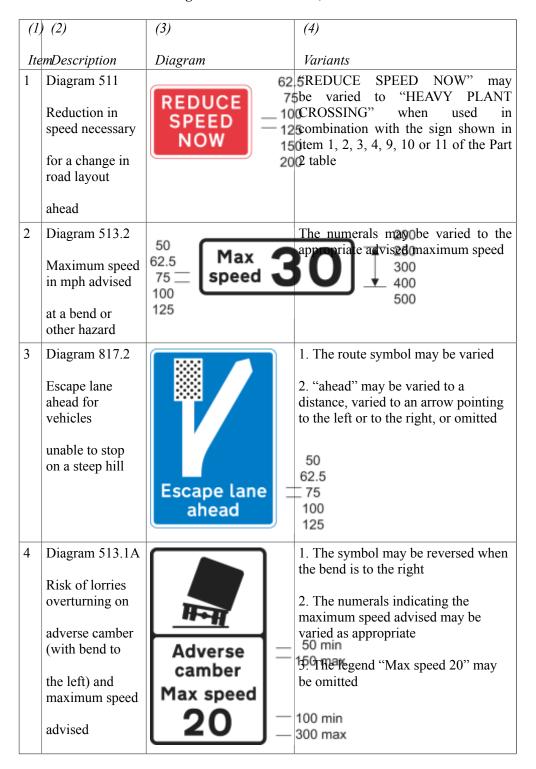
(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplementary associated plate (by reference to Part 3 sign table item number)		a Be hedule i io ß eneral Directions
52	Diagram 771 Railway level crossing without gate or barrier ahead		 A distance with or without an 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	4	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 (c) a distance and an arrow pointing to the left or to the right		5, 6	1
55	Diagram 782 Risk of grounding		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	

(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)		a ße hedu. o ß enera Directio	l
	at a railway or tramway level crossing or hump backed bridge ahead						
56	Diagram 562 Other danger ahead	<u>^</u>	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 left or to the right			1	

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.

Sign table — Schedule 2, Part 3



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.

Sign table — Schedule 2, Part 4

(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 2 ion S eneral Directions
1	Diagram 528.1 End of a bridge parapet, abutment wall, tunnel mouth or other obstruction adjacent to the carriageway	750 min 1000 max	Ziso nin	9	
2	Diagram 530A Maximum headroom available at	750 900 1200 1500 1800 4.4 m 14 ² 6"	1, 3, 4 or 5	6, 12	

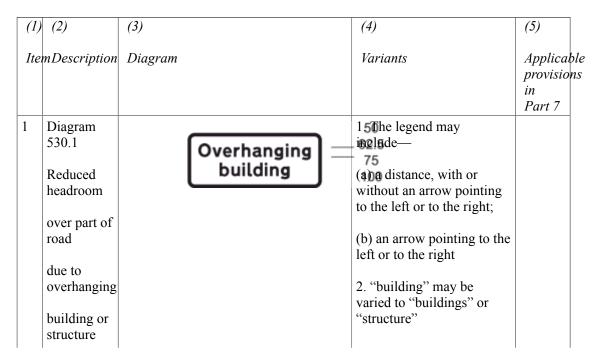
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Associated plate or structure warning marking (by reference to an item number in the Part 5 sign table)		ab Se hedule 2 onGeneral Directions
	hazard, with height indicated in both metric and imperial units				
3	Diagram 531.1A Maximum headroom available at arch bridge ahead	750 900 1200 1500 750 900 1200 1500 1500 3.8 m	2 or 5	6, 12	3
4	Diagram 1024.1 Road marking indicating path to be taken by high vehicles under a low bridge or to avoid an overhanging structure	525 700 → ← 1500		11, 13	
5	Diagram 629.2A Vehicles exceeding height indicated prohibited with height	750 900 1200 1500 4.4 m 14'-6"	4	1, 2, 6, 12	

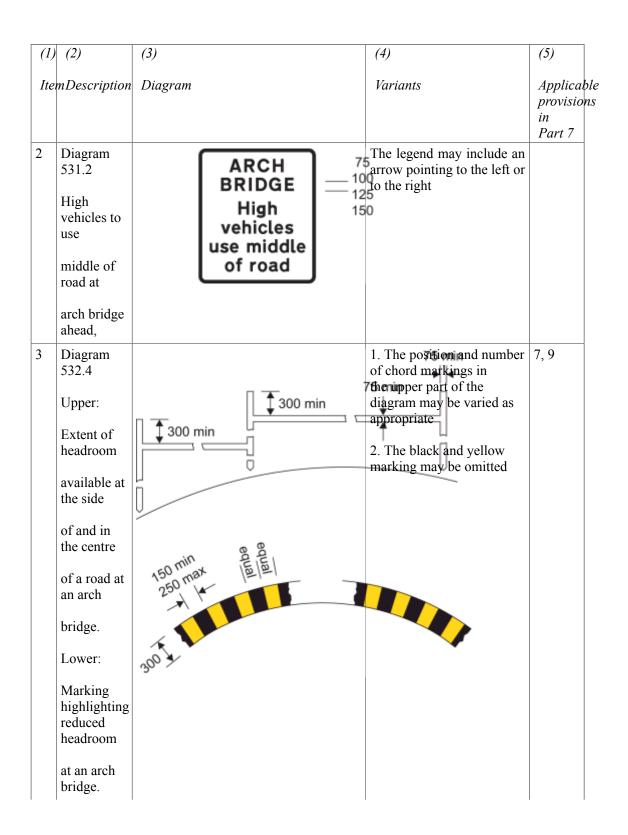
(1) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
ItemDescription	Diagram	Associated plate or structure warning marking (by reference to an item number in the Part 5 sign table)		ab Se hedi onSener Direct	al
indicated in both metric and					
imperial units					

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.

Sign table — Schedule 2, Part 5





(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Variants	Applicable provisions in Part 7
4	Diagram 530.2 Reduced headroom at a hazard (Alternative types)	300 min 1560 max	adual adual	7, 9
5	Diagram 572 Distance ahead to hazard	1 ₂ mile = 50 62.5 75 100 125 150	The distance may be varied to another distance The legend may include an arrow pointing to the left or to the right	

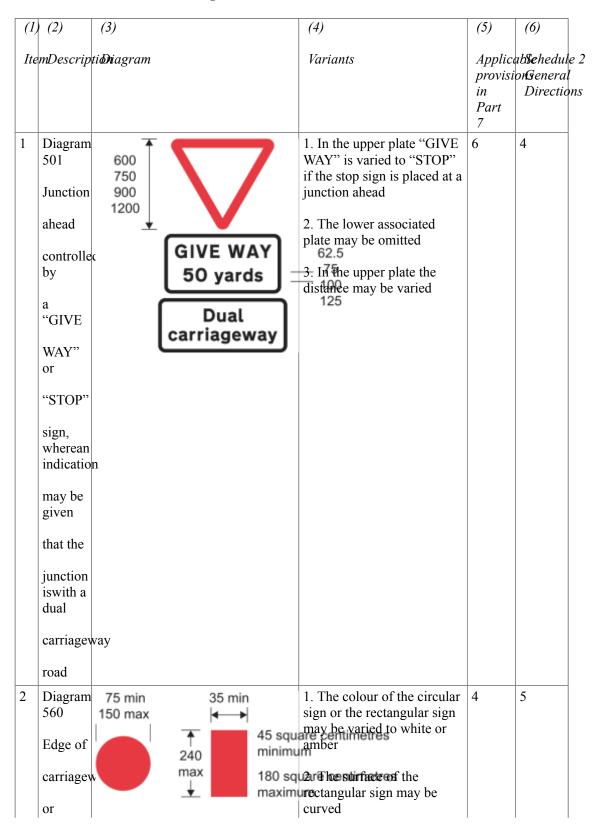
Other warning signs

- 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.

Sign table — Schedule 2, Part 6



(1) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
ItemDescrip	ti Di agram	Variants		ab Se hedule . on S eneral Directions
obstruction near that edge (Alternational types)			7	
types) 3 Diagram 515 Sharp deviation of route	900 300 1200 400 	3 The corners of the sign	8, 9	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescrip	ti dn iagram	Variants	Applic provisi in Part 7	ab Se hedule 2 on S eneral Directions
			7. Where vertical flexible elements are used, the sign may include a white arrow on a blue circular background as shown by the diagram in column 3 at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3. This is to be placed over the chevrons and any yellow border, and formed as part of those elements		
4	Diagram 774	300 900, 1200			
	Location of a	400	T 150		
	railway or		₹ 200		
	tramway				
	level .				
	crossing				
	gate or barrier				
5	Diagram 781	bands extending o	nd white. The number of bells may	10	
	Load gauge	neight above groui	nd levelaccording to the width of the road over which the sign		
	giving		2. The bells may be of any colour, provided each bell is		
	audible	600 BELLS	600 of the same colour 355 max		
	warning to				

(1) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5) (6)
ItemDesci	ripti ®i agram	Variants	Applicab Se hedule 2 provision G eneral in Directions Part 7
driver where vehicle exceeds safe height under electric overhold cables 6 Diagra 789, 789.1, 789.2 Count marke to railwa or tramwellevel crossin	fied and sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sa	Each sign may be rever	

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(77) 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 light-emitting 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.

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.

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- **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.

SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Upright signs that indicate regulatory requirements for moving traffic

PART 1

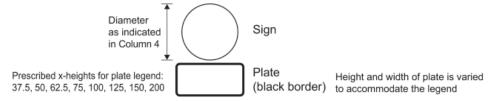
Provisions applicable to Parts 2, 3 and 4

- 1. The requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a circular sign of—
 - (a) the colour and type provided for a sign in the diagram in column 3; and
 - (b) the size provided for in column 4 of the table.
- **2.** In the case of the description at item 25, the prohibition is to be conveyed by both the circular signs shown in the diagram in combination, and paragraph 1 applies to each of those signs.
- **3.** A warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description mentioned in Part 3 must be conveyed by a plate (a "Part 3 plate") which—
 - (a) has the legend for conveying that warning or information written in a manner which complies with the requirements as to size for a plate provided for in the diagram above the sign table in Part 2; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to colour and type in that diagram.
- **4.** A Part 3 plate containing a legend referred to in column 5 (by reference to a paragraph number in Part 3) of the sign table in Part 2 is an associated plate of the circular sign provided for in the Part 2 sign table at the item number at which the relevant column 5 entry appears.
- **5.** A provision of Part 4 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 6 of the sign table in Part 2 applies to the circular sign at the item number in question.

6. A Schedule 3 General Direction mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 7 of the sign table in Part 2 applies to the circular sign at the item number in question.

PART 2

Circular signs and supplementary plates including regulatory requirements



Sign table — Schedule 3, Part 2

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ab&chedule 3 on&eneral Directions
1	Diagram 606 Vehicular traffic must proceed in the direction indicated by the arrow (Alternative types)		270, 300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200, 1500	1, 2 or 3	1, 2, 4	1, 2
2	Diagram 609 Vehicular traffic must turn ahead in the direction indicated by the arrow (Alternative types)	90	450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	1, 2 or 3	1, 2, 4	1
3	Diagram 610 Vehicular traffic must comply with the requirements described in paragraph 3 of Part 4 (Alternative types)		270, 300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200, 1500	2	1, 2, 3, 4	2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated r plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ab&chedule on&eneral Direction
4	Diagram 642 No stopping on main carriageway		300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	4 or 5	2, 4	1
5	Diagram 632 No overtaking		600, 750, 900, 1200	4, 5, 6 or 7	4	1
6	Diagram 614 No U-turns for vehicular traffic	B	270, 300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	4 or 5	2, 4	1, 2
7	Diagram 612 No right turn for vehicular traffic		270, 300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	3, 8, or both 3 and 8	2, 4	1, 2
3	Diagram 613 No left turn for vehicular traffic	3	270, 300, 450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	3, 8, or both 3 and 8	2, 4	1, 2
9	Diagram 615 Priority must be given to vehicles from the opposite direction	1	600, 750, 900, 1200	5, 9 or 10	1, 4	3
10	Diagram 616 No entry for vehicular traffic		270, 300, 450, 600,	11	2, 4	1, 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Associated r plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ub & chedule . on&eneral Directions
			750, 900, 1200			
11	Diagram 617 All vehicles prohibited except non-mechanically propelled vehicles pushed by pedestrians	O	450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	12, 13 or 14; 8 and 14; 14 and 15; or 8, 14 and 15	4 (with plate legend 14) or 5 (with plate legend 12 or 13)	1, 3
12	Diagram 619 Motor vehicles prohibited		450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4	1
13	Diagram 622.1A Goods vehicles exceeding the maximum gross weight indicated prohibited	(AZ5)	450, 600, 750, 900, 1200, 1500	6, 8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4, 6	1
14	Diagram 622.2 End of prohibition of goods vehicles indicated by the sign provided for at item 13		450, 600, 750, 900		4	1
15	Diagram 622.4 Articulated or track laying vehicles prohibited (Alternative types)	No articulated try lay vehicles	600, 750, 900	6	4	1
16	Diagram 622.8 Vehicles carrying explosives prohibited		450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	A second plate with a legend from 8 or 15, or	4	1, 3

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table) both 8 and 15,		ib & chedule on&eneral Direction
				may be added		
17	Diagram 952 Buses prohibited		450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4	1
18	Diagram 619.1 Motor vehicles except solo motor cycles prohibited		450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4	1
19	Diagram 622.7 Towed caravans prohibited	**	450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4	1
20	Diagram 619.2 Solo motor cycles prohibited		450, 600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4	1
21	Diagram 951 Riding of pedal cycles prohibited	€	150, 270, 300, 450, 600		4 (but only sub-paragrap	
22	Diagram 625.1 Pedestrians prohibited	★	150, 300, 450, 600		5	1
23	Diagram 622.5 Horse-drawn vehicles prohibited	178	150, 300, 450, 600	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	5	1
24	Diagram 622.6 Ridden or accompanied horses prohibited	*	150, 300, 450, 600	8, 15, or both 8 and 15	5	1

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated r plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		nb&chedule on&eneral Direction
25	Diagram 629.1 Vehicles or combinations of vehicles exceeding the length indicated prohibited	32°6° — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	600, 750, 900	6, 8, 15, or both 8 and 15	4, 6	1, 4
26	Diagram 629A Vehicles exceeding the width indicated prohibited in both metric and imperial units	2.0 m	750, 900, 1200	6, 8, 15 or both 8 and 15	4, 6	1
27	Diagram 629.2A Vehicles exceeding height indicated in metric and imperial units prohibited other than where the sign is placed— (a) on a road which passes under or through a bridge, tunnel or other structure which limits the height of vehicles using that road; or (b) on any such bridge, tunnel or other structure	4.4 m 14 ² 6"	750, 900, 1200, 1500		4, 6	1
28	Diagram 955 Route for use by pedal cycles only	₩	100, 150, 270, 300, 450, 600		4 (but only sub-paragrap	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ub & chedule 3 on&eneral Directions
29	Diagram 956 Route for use by pedal cycles and pedestrians only	₩	100, 150, 270, 300, 450, 600		4 (but only sub-paragrap	
30	Diagram 956.1 Route for use by pedal cycles, horses and pedestrians only	747	100, 150, 270, 300, 450, 600, 750		4 (but only sub-paragrap	
31	Diagram 956.2 Route for use by pedal cycles, horse-drawn vehicles and pedestrians only	## ## ## ##	100, 150, 270, 300, 450, 600, 750		4 (but only sub-paragrap	
32	Diagram 957 Route comprising two ways for use by pedal cycles only and by pedestrians only, with those ways separated by the marking provided for at item 7 or 8 of the table in Part 6 of Schedule 9, or by physical means, (Alternative types)	A STORY	100, 150, 270, 300, 450, 600		4 (but only sub-paragrap	
33	Diagram 953 Route for use by buses, pedal cycles and taxis	taxi d	450, 600, 750, 900	8, 17, or both 8 and 17	1, 4, 7,	1

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated r plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ab&hedule . on&eneral Directions
	only					
34	(Alternative types) Diagram 953A		450	8, 17 or both	1, 4	1
34	Route for use by buses, pedal cycles and solo motor cycles only		450, 600, 750, 900	8, 17 01 00011	1,4	1
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35	(Alternative types) Diagram 953B		600,	8, 17 or both	1, 4	1
33	Route for use by buses, pedal cycles, solo motor	taxi	750, 200, 1200	6, 17 01 00011	1,4	
	cycles and taxis only					
	(Alternative types)					
36	Diagram 953.1		450,	8, 17, or both	1, 4	1
	Route for use by tramcars only	(IIII)	600, 750, 900			
37	Diagram 953.1 (variant)	(11-in)	45 0,	8, 17, or both	1, 4	1
	Route for use by tramcars and buses only	THE PERSON OF TH	900, 900			
	(Alternative types)					
38	Diagram 953.1A	TÎ T	600,	8, 17, or both	1, 4	1
	Route for use by tramcars, buses and pedal	₩ d	900, 1200			
	cycles only					
	(Alternative types)					
39	Diagram 953.1B	T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-	600,	8, 17, or both	1, 4	1
	Route for use by tramcars, buses, pedal cycles	dib taxi රජ්	750, 900, 1200			

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Sign diameter	Associated plate legend (by reference to an item number in the Part 3 sign table)		ab & chedule 3 onGeneral Directions
	and taxis only (Alternative types)					
40	Diagram 953.1C Route for use by tramcars, buses, pedal cycles, solo motor cycles and taxis only		600, 750, 900, 1200	8, 17, or both	1, 4, 7	1
	(Alternative types)					

Legends for plates associated with circular signs

- 1. "One way".
- 2. "Dual carriageway".
- **3.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2), (3) and (4), "Except" and any of, or a combination of, the following:
 - (a) "buses";
 - (b) "local buses";
 - (c) "taxis";
 - (d) "cycles";
 - (e) "authorised vehicles";
 - (2) "buses" and "local buses" must not be used together.
 - (3) "and" or "&" must be inserted before the last legend where more than one is used.
 - (4) "Except" must be varied to "except" when preceded by the legend described in paragraph 8.
 - 4. "For" and a distance.
 - **5.** "End".
 - 6. "Ice" or "Snowdrifts".
 - 7. "Ice for" or "Snowdrifts for", and a distance.
 - **8.** A time period.
 - 9. "Give way to oncoming vehicles".
 - 10. "Give way to oncoming vehicles for" and a distance.

- 11. "Except" and "trams", "buses", "local buses", "cycles", "buses and cycles" or "local buses and cycles"; "and" may be varied to "&".
 - 12. "Play Street except for access".
 - 13. "Play Street" and a time period and "except for access".
 - 14. "No vehicles".
- **15.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), "Except" and any of, or a combination of, the following—
 - (a) "buses" or "local buses";
 - (b) "taxis";
 - (c) the disabled badge holder symbol;
 - (d) "permit holder" or "permit holders", and, where appropriate, a permit identifier;
 - (e) one of—
 - (i) "for access";
 - (ii) "for loading";
 - (iii) "for loading by" and the lorry symbol shown in the diagram at item 1 of the table in Part 2 of Schedule 8;
 - (iv) "for access to off-street premises".
 - (2) "and" or "&" must be inserted before the last legend where more than one is used.
- (3) "Except" must be varied to "except" when preceded by the legend described in paragraph 8 or 12.
 - **16.** "No explosives" or "No inflammables or explosives".
 - 17. "and authorised vehicles".

Provisions applicable to signs in Part 2

- 1. Section 36 of the 1988 Act applies to the circular sign.
- **2.** Where the sign is placed temporarily on a road by a constable or person acting under the instructions (whether general or specific) of the chief officer of police for the purposes of indicating a temporary statutory provision, the following modifications to the requirements apply—
 - (a) the diameter of the circular sign must be at least 200 mm; and
 - (b) the x-height of the lettering on a plate where the legend is either "One way" or "End", if used, must be at least 20 mm.
- **3.**—(1) Except as provided in sub-paragraphs (2) to (5), the requirement conveyed by the sign is that vehicular traffic passing the sign must keep to the left of the sign where the arrow is pointed downwards to the left, or to the right of the sign where the arrow is pointed downwards to the right.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (3) applies on an occasion where a vehicle is being used for at least one of the purposes set out in sub-paragraph (4) and the observance of the requirement in sub-paragraph (1) would be likely to hinder the use of the vehicle for that purpose.
- (3) The requirement conveyed is that the vehicle must not proceed beyond the sign in such a manner or at such a time as to be likely to endanger any person.

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- (4) The purposes are—
 - (a) fire and rescue authority;
 - (b) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (c) ambulance;
 - (d) blood service;
 - (e) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (f) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (g) special forces
 - (h) police; and
 - (i) National Crime Agency.
- (5) The requirement in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a tramcar or trolley vehicle.
- **4.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) to (5), where the sign is placed on a road subject to a speed limit greater than 20 mph, and is 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) only applies to the sign at item 4 of the Part 2 sign table when being used as a terminal sign.
 - (3) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign mounted on a self-righting bollard.
- (4) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign placed temporarily to indicate road works or an obstruction.
- (5) Where the sign is mounted on a bollard fitted with a means of internal lighting, the sign must be illuminated throughout the hours of darkness by that means.
 - **5.** The sign need not be illuminated.
 - **6.** The sign may have different numerals to those shown in the diagram.
 - 7. The word "taxi" may be omitted.
 - **8.** The cycle symbol may be omitted.

PART 5

The Schedule 3 General Directions

- 1.—(1) The sign must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) When the sign is placed to indicate the point at which a restriction, requirement or prohibition begins or ends, it must be placed as near as practicable to that point.

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- (3) Sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) do not apply to—
 - (a) a sign provided for at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table, when placed on the central island of a roundabout or in combination with a plate displaying the legend "Dual carriageway"; and
 - (b) a sign provided for at item 2 of the Part 2 sign table (either without an associated plate or with a plate with the legend "Dual carriageway"), when placed on a road approaching its junction with a dual carriageway road.
- 2. Where the sign is mounted on a bollard—
 - (a) the bollard must—
 - (i) be illuminated by means of internal lighting; and
 - (ii) conform to British Standard BS EN 12899-2;2007(78); or
 - (b) in the case of a self-righting bollard, the bollard—
 - (i) must be illuminated by the use of retroreflecting material; and
 - (ii) conform to British Standard BS 8442:2015(79).
- **3.** The sign must not be placed unless accompanied by its associated plate.
- **4.** The two signs provided for must be placed together.

SCHEDULE 4

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Upright signs that control waiting, loading and parking along a road

PART 1 Blank panel diagram Blank diagram 1 Overall dimensions will vary to accommodate elements of the sign

PART 2

On-street parking control signs

Yellow panel signs

- 1.—(1) A restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of the sign table in Part 3 must be conveyed by a sign which complies with paragraphs 2 to 7.
- 2. The sign must have a yellow background and black border as shown in blank diagram 1 in Part 1.

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- **3.**—(1) The sign must include a symbol of the size, colour and type shown in column 3 of the Part 3 sign table for the description in question.
- (2) In the case of item 3, the sign must have the circular symbol shown in column 3 together with—
 - (a) the lorry symbol shown;
 - (b) the bus symbol shown; or
 - (c) both,

and each symbol included must be of the size, colour and type provided for in column 3 of item 3.

- (3) The numeral forming part of the lorry symbol shown in the diagram may be varied to another numeral.
- **4.** A sign provided for in the Part 3 sign table must include the legend or legends provided for in column 4 for the description in question.
 - **5.** A legend may be varied in accordance with an entry in column 5 (if any).
 - **6.** The legend must be of a height provided for in column 6 (by reference to x-height).
- 7. A sign must include an arrow pointing to the left or to the right where indicating the beginning of, or a change in, a restriction or prohibition.

White panel signs

- **8.** A restriction, prohibition or information of a description in column 2 of the sign table in Part 4 must be conveyed by a sign which complies with paragraphs 9 to 18.
 - 9. The sign must have a white background and black border as shown in blank diagram 2 in Part 1.
- **10.**—(1) The sign must have a symbol of the size, colour and type shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 4 for the description in question.
 - (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply in relation to the description at item 1 of that table.
 - (3) The symbol provided for at item 5 may be reversed.
- (4) For the purpose of conveying the description at item 6 or 7, the symbol shown at item 3 or 4 may be used instead of the symbol shown at item 6 or 7.
- (5) Sub-paragraph (4) does not apply where the sign, in accordance with paragraph 15, includes the motor cycle or bus symbol shown at item 1 and 3 respectively of the Part 5 sign table.
- 11. A sign provided for at item 1, 5, 6, 7, or 8 of the Part 4 sign table must have the legend provided for in column 4 of the item.
- **12.** A legend provided for at item 5, 6 or 7 of the Part 4 sign table may be varied in accordance with column 5 of the item.
- 13. A sign provided for at item 2, 3 or 4 of the Part 4 sign table may include a legend provided for in column 5 of the item.
 - 14. A legend provided for in the Part 4 sign table must have an x-height provided for in column 6.
- **15.** Where an item in the Part 4 sign table ("the Part 4 item") shows numbers in column 7, those numbers—
 - (a) refer to items in the Part 5 sign table ("the Part 5 items"); and
 - (b) signify that a sign which includes the symbol shown in column 3 of the Part 4 item may also include a symbol shown in column 3 of one of the Part 5 items to convey the description in column 2 of that Part 5 item.

- **16.**—(1) A symbol included in accordance with paragraph 15 must be of the size, colour and type provided for in relation to that symbol at the appropriate column 2 entry in the Part 5 sign table.
- (2) If the symbol shown in column 3 of item 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8 of the Part 5 table is included in a sign, a legend in column 4 at that item must also be included.
 - (3) The symbol shown at item 1, 2 or 6 of the Part 5 table may be reversed.
- (4) In the case of item 8 of the Part 5 table, the symbol may be varied to correspond with the design on the applicable approved voucher (provided the size remains as provided for in column 2).
- 17. A sign must include an arrow pointing to the left or to the right where indicating the beginning of, or a change in, a restriction or prohibition.
- **18.**—(1) A sign may convey any two of the descriptions in column 2 in the Part 4 sign table (except the description at items 1 and 8), with "or" used to separate the legends applicable to the two descriptions.
- (2) Where a sign conveys two descriptions in accordance with sub-paragraph (1), if the symbol applicable to those descriptions is the same, only one symbol need be included in the sign.

Signs consisting of multiple panels

- **19.**—(1) This paragraph applies to all signs provided for in the sign tables in Parts 3, 4 and 5 except those for conveying a description in column 2 at—
 - (a) items 5 to 10 of the sign table in Part 3; and
 - (b) item 8 of the sign table in Part 4.
- (2) A panel that would otherwise be a single sign in accordance with this Schedule may instead form part of a sign made up of at least two panels where each of the panels would otherwise be a single sign in accordance with this Schedule.
- (3) The reference to a panel in sub-paragraph (2) is to the panel shown in blank diagram 1 or 2 in Part 1.
- (4) This paragraph applies to a sign whether or not panels are included in accordance with paragraph 20 or 21.
- **20.**—(1) This paragraph applies in relation to a sign provided for at item 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7 of the Part 4 sign table.
- (2) The sign may be divided into panels with a white background of the type shown in blank diagram 2 in Part 1 with any symbol or legend forming part of that sign being placed in any of those panels.
- (3) This paragraph applies to a sign whether or not other panels are included in accordance with paragraph 19 or 21.
- **21.**—(1) This paragraph applies to a sign which includes the symbol provided for at item 8 of the Part 5 sign table.
- (2) Information on the voucher parking scheme may be shown on a separate panel with a white background of the type shown in blank diagram 2 in Part 1.
- (3) This paragraph applies to a sign whether or not other panels are included in accordance with paragraph 19 or 20.

Provisions applying where the sign is made up of more than one panel

- **22.** When, in accordance with paragraph 19, 20 or 21, two or more panels are used, there must be a single black line separating adjoining panels.
- **23.**—(1) Panels included in a sign may be placed in any vertical or horizontal combination, and need not be aligned vertically or horizontally.
 - (2) Sub-paragraph (1) is subject to sub-paragraphs (3) to (7).
 - (3) No more than two panels may be placed horizontally.
 - (4) Where panels are placed vertically to form a column they must be of the same width.
 - (5) No white panel may be placed above a yellow panel which is in the same column.
- (6) Any white panels about loading must be above any white panels about parking places which are in the same column.
- (7) Where a single panel is placed above or below two panels placed side by side, that single panel must be placed centrally in relation to the other two panels.

Height of legends to be proportionate

- **24.**—(1) This paragraph applies whether or not the sign consists of a single panel or more than one panel.
- (2) The x-height of a legend used on a sign provided for in this Schedule must be in proportion to the size of any symbol on the sign.
 - (3) Where a sign contains more than one legend, the x height must be the same for each legend.
- (4) Sub-paragraph (3) does not apply to the legends provided for at item 7 or 10 in the Part 3 sign table.

Illumination

- **25.**—(1) A sign provided for in this Schedule need not be illuminated.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign containing the symbol and legend provided for at item 2, 9 or 10 of the Part 3 sign table.

PART 3

Symbols and legends used in combination with a yellow panel

Sign table — Schedule 4, Part 3

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	emDescription	Symbol	Legend	Variant of legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
1	Waiting prohibited for a time that is not continuous		A time period min max	The legend may include either or both of—	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	emDescription	Symbol	Legend	Variant of legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
	throughout the year			(a) "No waiting"; and (b) "except" followed by one or more of "taxis", "ambulances", "police vehicles", and where more than one exception is provided for "and" or "&" must precede the final exception	
2	Stopping prohibited		1. "No stopping"; and min **Datexcept" followed by— (a) "buses"; (b) "local buses"; or (c) one or more of "taxis", "ambulances", "police vehicles", and where more than one exception is provided for "and" or "&" must precede the final exception	1. The legend may include a time period 2. The legend may include "taxis" with a time period 3. The legend may include "BUS STAND" provided it is displayed above "No Stopping" and used in combination with "except buses" or "except local buses"	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Legend	Variant of legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
3	Waiting of goods vehicles over the maximum gross weight shown or buses (or both) prohibited The lorry symbols are alternative types The bus symbols are alternative types		in		Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm
4	Waiting prohibited in a Pedestrian Zone or a Restricted Parking Zone	112	1. "Pedestrian Zone" or "Restricted Parking Zone"; and 2. A time period		25 mm
5	Waiting prohibited on a verge or on a footway		"At any time on" followed Obyin"verge or footway", O"footway" or "verge"		Not less than 20 mm and not more than 40 mm
6	Stopping prohibited on a verge or on a footway		"At any time on" followed Obylin"verge or footway", O'ffootway" or "verge"		Not less than 20 mm and not more than 40 mm
7	Entrance to a designated off-road loading area	20	1. "Loading area"; 2. "Except by permitted vehicles"; and 3. A time period		1. 50 mm for "Loading area" 2. 40 mm for "Except by permitted vehicles"

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Legend	Variant of legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
					3. 40 mm for the time period
8	Waiting prohibited in a designated off- road loading area		1. "Except by permitted yehicles"; and 2. A time period		40 mm
9	Stopping prohibited in a lay-by except in emergency		"No stopping except in 75emergency"		37.5 mm or 50 mm
10	Stopping prohibited on entrance markings		1. "No stopping"; and 02. "on entrance markings"	A time period may be included	1. 50 mm for "No stopping" 2. 40 mm for
					"on entrance markings" 3. 40 mm for any time period

PART 4
Symbols and legends used in combination with a white panel

Sign table — Schedule 4, Part 4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
Ite	emDescri	ptSymbol		ed/ariants to column 4 legends, or legends s that may be included	Legend height (by referenc	Applic Part 5 e item	able
1	Loading	4	1. "No loading		Not less than 15		
	promor	led	2. A		mm and not		
			time period		more		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescri _l	pt Sym bol		ed/ariants to column 4 legends, or legends Is that may be included	Legend height (by referenc to x- height) than 40 mm	Applical Part 5 e item
2	Parking place		75 min 00 max	 A time period may be included A permitted parking expression may be included A type or types of user may be included and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be included A legend provided for at 3 above may be varied by the addition of "only" or "only at all times" The name of the traffic authority may be included A parking place identifier or a zone identifier may be included 	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
3	Parking place where vehicles may be parked partially on the verge or footway (Alternatypes)	157.5 m 420 ma		 A time period may be included A permitted parking expression may be included A type or types of user may be included and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be included A legend provided for at 3. above may be varied by the addition of "only" or "only at all times" The name of the traffic authority may be included in the sign A parking place identifier or a zone identifier may be included in the sign 	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	2, 4, 5, 7, 8

(1)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	emDescript &n nbol		edVariants to column 4 legends, or legends s that may be included	Legend height (by referenc to x- height)	Applic Part 5 e item
4	Parking place where vehicles may be 460 may on the verge or footway (Alternative types)	ax	 A time period may be included A permitted parking expression may be included A type or types of user may be included and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be included A legend provided for at 3 above may be varied by the addition of "only" or "only at all times" The name of the traffic authority may be included A parking place identifier or a zone identifier may be included 	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	2, 4, 5, 7, 8
5	Parking place reserved for loading and unloading	"Loadii 75 Mys 00 max	ng. "Loading only" may be varied to "Loading", "Goods vehicles loading" or "Goods vehicles loading only" 2. The legend may be varied to include— (a) a time period; (b) a permitted parking expression; or (c) both 3. The name of the traffic authority may be included 4. A parking place identifier may be included	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	
6	HOL —	"Free" 75 min 00 max	The permitted variants at item 2 apply	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	4, 5, 6,

(1) (2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
ItemDescr		legend	edVariants to column 4 legends, or legends s that may be included	Legend height (by referenc to x- height)	Applica Part 5 e item
7 Parking subject to payme conditi	nt	"Pay 75atmin 200 maxim	1. The permitted variants at item 2 apply e2. "Pay at machine" may be varied to any of the following or any appropriate combination of the following— (a) "Pay here at machine" (b) "Pay at machine across road" (c) "Pay at machine opposite" (d) "Pay at machine" and a location (e) "Pay at" and a description of the ticket machine in any coloured letters (f) "Display ticket" (g) "Pay by phone" and a telephone number and "or text" and a text number and "quoting location" and a location number (h) "Pay by phone" and a telephone number and "quoting location" and a location number (i) "Pay by text" and a text number and "quoting location" and a location number (j) Disc Zone", "Disc parking", "Ticket Zone" or "Ticket parking" 3. "Pay" in the legend "Pay at machine", or in any of the legends referred to in entry 2, may be varied to "For longer stay pay" 4. Where the legend refers to a ticket machine, the legend may include an arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right, or one arrow pointing to the left and one to the right, to indicate the location of the machine or machines	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	emDescri	pt&y n mbol		edVariants to column 4 legends, or legends s that may be included	Legend height (by referenc to x- height)	Applicabi Part 5 e item
8	Drivers must obtain and display parking tickets	2	"Have you" pald x and display	ed?"	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm	

PART 5
Symbols to be used with Part 4 symbols on a white panel

Sign table — Schedule 4, Part 5

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
1	Parking place reserved for solo motor cycles		min max	
2	Parking place reserved for motor cars		45 min 120 max	
3	Parking place reserved for buses (Alternative types)	150 min 400 max		
4	Parking place reserved for disabled badge holders	75 n 200 n	1. "Disabled badge holders"; 2. "Disabled badge holders only"; 3. "Disabled badge holders only at all times";	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Legend	Legend height (by reference to x-height)
			4. "Disabled badge holder" and a permit identifier; or5. "Disabled badge holder only" and a permit identifier	
5	Parking place reserved for car club permit holders	75 1		Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm
6	Parking place reserved for the recharging of electric solo motor cycles	75 i 200 i	1. "Electric solo motor cycle recharging point only"; or 2. "Electric solo motor cycle recharging point" and "Permit holders only" with or without a permit identifier	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm
7	Parking place reserved for the recharging of electric vehicles	75 1 200 1	"Electric vehicle recharging point only"; or "Electric vehicle recharging point" and "Permit holders only" with or without a permit identifier,	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm
8	Parking place reserved for vehicles displaying an appropriate voucher	75 to 200 to	1. "Voucher parking only"; 2. "Voucher parking and permits only"; 3. "Voucher parking and resident permits only"; 4. "Voucher parking and business permits only"; or 5. a legend provided for at 2, 3, or 4 with a permit identifier	Not less than 15 mm and not more than 40 mm

The Schedule 4 General Direction

- 1.—(1) The signs provided for in this Schedule must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign which consists solely of the elements provided for in the Part 3 sign table at—
 - (a) item 2 (except where the taxi, ambulance or police vehicle legend in column 4 at paragraph 2(c) is included); or
 - (b) item 10.

SCHEDULE 5

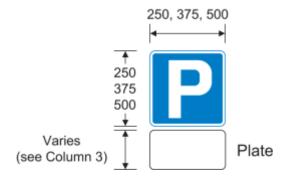
Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs to indicate parking places and areas subject to parking controls

PART 1

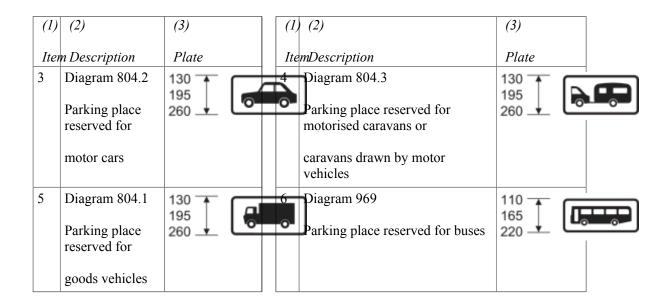
Parking place signs and plates

- 1. A sign for indicating a parking place (a "parking place sign") must be square and of the size, colour and type shown in the upper part of the diagram above the sign table in this Part.
- **2.** A restriction of a description in column 2 of items 2 to 6 of the sign table in this Part must be conveyed by a plate of the size, colour and type provided for in the diagram in column 3 at the item in question.



Sign table — Schedule 5, Part 1

(1) (2)	(3)		(1)	(2)	(3)	
It	em Description	Plate		Ite	mDescription	Plate	
1	Parking place		2	2	Diagram 804.4	170 🕇	1
					Parking place reserved for solo motor cycles	225 340 <u>+</u>	6



PART 2

Entrance to a zone or area (other than a pedestrian, or a pedestrian and cycle, zone) where parking controls apply



Overall dimensions will vary to accommodate elements of the sign

- **3.** The provisions as to size, colour and type in this Part apply to a sign for conveying information, a restriction or a prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 3.
- **4.** The sign must be of the shape shown in the diagram at the beginning of this Part with a white background and black lines as shown (except that the bottom panel may or must be omitted see paragraph 5).
 - **5.** The upper panel must contain—
 - (a) the symbol or symbols shown in column 3 of the item; and
 - (b) a legend shown in column 4 of the item, with the height and placing of the legend complying with column 5.
 - **6.** The upper panel may be varied in accordance with column 6 of the item.

- 7. Where provided for in column 7 of the item, a legend specified at column 2, or column 2 when read with column 4, in the sign table in Part 4 may be included in the lower panel and, where no legend is included, the lower panel must be omitted.
- **8.** A legend or symbol included in the lower panel must comply with the requirements as to size in column 3 of the item in the Part 4 sign table in which the legend or symbol is specified.

PART 3

The upper panel and provision on inclusion of the lower panel

Sign table — Schedule 5, Part 3

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
(1)		(3)	(7)	(3)	(6)	
Ite	mDescri	pt&ymrbol	Legena	l Height and location of legend	Permitted variants	Inclusion of a lower panel
1	Entrance to a controll parking zone applyin to all vehicles	g	"Contro ZONE"	1. 60 mm or 80 mm for "Control 2. 75 mm or 100 mm for "ZONE"	1. The name of the traffic authority may be added above any other legend 2. A zone identifier may be added— (a) where the identifier is a name, ledt the top of the panel (but below the name of the traffic authority if used); (b) where the identifier is a code, to the right of the legend in column 4 3. The legend "No loading" may be added below the symbol if that legend is of the same size as the legend at column 4 4. "Controlled" may be varied to "Meter", "Disc", "Ticket", "Disc and Meter", "Disc and Ticket" or "Pay and Display	A lower panel may be included showing a legend specified in the Part 4 sign table at item 1
2	Entranc to a restricte parking zone		"Restric parking ZONE"	height: 1. 60 mm or 80 mm for	 The name of the traffic authority may be added above any other legend A zone identifier may be added— (a) where the identifier is a name, at the top of the panel (but below 	A lower panel may be included showing a legend specified in the Part 4 sign table at item 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescri _l	pt&mnbol	Legena	Height and location of legend	Permitted variants	Inclusion of a lower panel
				"Restrict	etthe name of the traffic authority if	
				parking"	used);	
				2. 75 mm or 100	(b) where the identifier is a code, to the right of "ZONE"	
				mm for "ZONE"	3. The legend "No loading" may be added below the symbol if	
				Location	that legend is of the same size as :"Restricted parking"	
				Above		
				the		
				symbol		
3	Entranc to a voucher parking		2"Vouche parking ZONE"		1. The legend "No loading" may be added below the lower symbol if that legend is of the same size as the legend at column 4	A lower pand may be include showing legend specifie
	zone	and		mm	regend at cordinir 1	in the Part 4 sig
		450, 6	00	or 80 mm for "Voucher	2. The name of the traffic authority may be added at the top of the panel	table at item 1
					3. A zone identifier may be added—	
				2. 75 mm	(a) where the identifier is a name, at the top of the panel (but below	
				or 100 mm for "ZONE"	the name of the traffic authority if used).	
					(b) where the identifier is a code, to	
				Location	:the right of "ZONE"	
				Between	4. The upper symbol may be varied	
				the	to an appropriate symbol identifying	
				upper and	the voucher parking area in question	
				lower	5. "Voucher parking" may be varied	
				symbol	to "Voucher parking and Meter" or	
					"Voucher parking and Ticket"	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescrij	pt &ym nbol	J	Height and location of legend	Permitted variants	Inclusion of a lower panel
4	Entrance to a controll parking zone applying to goods vehicles over the maximu gross weight shown or buses (or both)		t	"x- height: 75 mm or 100 mm for "ZONE" Location Below the symbols	 The number on the lorry symbol may be varied Either the lorry symbol or the bus symbol may be omitted The name of the traffic authority may be added at the top of the panel 	A lower panel may be included showing a legend specified in the Part 4 sign table at item 1
5	Entranc to a permit parking area		One of O—"Perrholders parking only past this point";	nhiteight: 40 mm	1. A time period may be added 2. The name of the traffic authority may be added at the top of the panel 3. Permit identifiers may be added either to the right of the symbol or proximate to "permit holders" 4. "Permit holders parking only past this point" may be varied to "Resident permit holders parking only past this point", "Permit holders parking only in" and a street name or "Resident permit holders parking only in" and a street name	A lower panel may be included showing the legend specified in the Part 4 sign table at item 3
6	Entranc to a loading only area		"Loadir Only past this point" or "Goods vehicle loading	height: 40 mm Location Below	 A time period may be included after the legend The name of the traffic authority may be added at the top of the panel: 	A lower panel must not be included

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Ite	mDescrij	ot &m nbol	Legena	l Height and location of legend	Permitted variants	Inclusion of a lower panel
			only past this point"	symbol		
7	Entrance to an area where parking on the verge or footway is prohibit		The name of a zone, city, town, village, area or road	x-height: 50 mm Location Above the symbol	The symbol may be reversed The legend may be omitted :	A lower panel must be included showing the legend specified in the Part 4 sign table at item 4

PART 4
Legends and symbols in the lower panel

Sign table — Schedule 5, Part 4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mLegend	Height of legend or symbol	Permitted variants
1	A time period	x-height: 37.5 or 50 mm	
2	A time period	x-height: 37.5 or 50 mm	1. "Except in signed bay" instead of the time period at column 2
			2. "except in signed bay" to follow the time period at column 2
			3. "bays" may be used instead of "bay"
3	"Except in signed bay"	1. Legend x-height: 40 mm	1. "Except" followed by either or both of the disabled badge holder symbol and the loading symbol (the symbol in column
		2. A height of 200 mm in respect of a symbol	3 of item 6 of the Part 3 sign table), to be followed by "in signed bay". If both symbols are included "and" or "&" must be inserted between them

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mLegend	Height of legend or symbol	Permitted variants
			2. A time period may follow the column 2 legend or permitted variant 1
			3. "bays" may be used instead of "bay"
4	"No motor vehicle parking on verge or footway except where signed"	x-height: 50 mm	1. "motor vehicle" or "except where signed", or both, may be omitted
			2. "verge or footway" may be varied to "verge" or "footway"

The Schedule 5 General Direction

- 1.—(1) The signs provided for in this Schedule must only be placed on or near a road to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) This does not apply to a parking place sign provided for at paragraph 1 of Part 1 of this Schedule when placed without an associated plate.

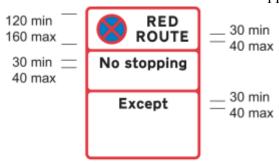
SCHEDULE 6

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Upright signs for red routes

PART 1

Provisions applying to Part 2



Overall dimensions of sign will vary to accommodate elements

1. An upright sign for conveying a restriction or prohibition applicable to a red route must comply with the requirements as to size, colour and type provided for in this Part.

- **2.** The sign must consist of the top and middle panels of the sign shown in the diagram at the beginning of this Part and may also include the bottom panel shown if that is permitted under this Part.
 - **3.** The top panel may be varied so "RED ROUTE" appears on one line.
 - 4. The middle panel may be varied to include—
 - (a) a time period;
 - (b) "except" followed by-
 - (i) "buses" or "local buses";
 - (ii) "in signed bays" or "in signed bay"; or
 - (iii) one or more of "taxis", "ambulances", and "police vehicles", and where more than one of those exceptions is provided for "and" or "&" must precede the final exception;
 - (c) "BUS STAND" if displayed above "No stopping" and in combination with "except buses" or "except local buses".
- **5.** If "except buses", "except local buses", "except in signed bays" or "except in signed bays" is included in the middle panel, the bottom panel as shown in the diagram at the beginning of this Part must not be included in the sign.
- **6.** Unless paragraph 5 applies, the sign may include a bottom panel as shown in the diagram with, beneath "Except", one or more of the symbols in column 3 of the sign table in Part 2 (for conveying an exception as described in column 2 for the symbol at the item number in question).
- 7. A symbol provided for at item 4,5, 6, 8, 9, 10 or 11 of the sign table must only be used in conjunction with another symbol as indicated in column 2.
 - **8.** The size of the symbol must comply with the requirements shown in column 3.
- **9.** The bottom panel may also include a legend, to accompany the symbol, as described in column 4 of the sign table in Part 2.
- **10.** The bottom panel may be varied in accordance with column 5 of the sign table in Part 2 for the item in question.

PART 2
Symbols and legends used on a bottom panel

Sign table — Schedule 6, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Additional legend	Permitted variants
1	Parking place	150 r	nin	1. A time period may be added
		200 r	nax	2. A permitted parking expression may be added

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Additional legend	
				3. A type or types of user may be added and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be added
2	Parking place where vehicles may be parked partially on the verge or footway (Alternative types)	315 min 420 max		 A time period may be added A permitted parking expression may be added A type or types of user may be added and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be added
3	Parking place where vehicles may be parked wholly on the verge or footway (Alternative types)	345 min 460 max P 315 min 420 max		 A time period may be added A permitted parking expression may be added A type or types of user may be added and, where the user is a type of permit holder, a permit identifier may be added
4	Parking place reserved for solo motor cycles May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at item 1, 13 or		5 min max	

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Additional legend	Permitted variants
5	Parking place reserved		90 min 120 max	
	for motor cars			
	May only be used in			
	conjunction with the			
	symbol at item 1, 2, 3,			
	13 or 14			
6	Parking place reserved for buses	300 min		
	May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at item 1, 13 or 14	400 max		
7	Parking place reserved for disabled	150 r 200 r		A time period may be added A permitted parking expression may be added
	badge holders			3. "Permit holder" or "Permit holders" may be added and, in either case, any permit identifier as appropriate
8	Parking place reserved for car club permit holders	150 r 200 r	"Car club permit fiolders only"	
	May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at item 1, 2, 3, 13 or 14			

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Additional legend	Permitted variants
9	Parking place reserved for the recharging of electric solo motor cycles	් 150 රේ ල් 200	"Electric "solo motor "cycle recharging point only"	The legend may be varied to "Electric solo motor cycle recharging point" and "Permit holders only", with or without a permit identifier
	May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at item 1, 13 or 14			
10	Parking place reserved for the recharging of electric vehicles	150	"Electric wehicle recharging point only"	The legend may be varied to "Electric vehicle recharging point" and "Permit holders only", with or without a permit identifier
	May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at item 1, 2, 3, 13 or 14			
11	Parking place reserved for vehicles displaying an	150	"Voucher min parking" max	1. The voucher symbol may be varied to correspond with the design on the approved voucher within the size shown
	appropriate voucher			2. The legend may be varied to "Voucher parking and permits only", "Voucher parking and resident permits only" or "Voucher parking and business permits only"
	May only be used in conjunction with the symbol at			and business permits only" 3. The legend provided for at 2 above may be varied to include a permit identifier
	item 1, 2, 3, 13 or 14			4. An additional white panel may be added to the sign to show information on the voucher parking scheme
12	Parking place reserved for loading and		"Loading") min) max	1. The legend may be varied to "Goods vehicles loading"
	unloading	_		2. The legend may be varied to include—

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Additional legend	Permitted variants
				(a) a time period; or
				(b) a permitted parking expression,
				or both
13	Parking place not subject		"Free") min	1. The permitted variants at item 1
	to payment conditions	200) max	2. The symbol may be varied to that at item 2 or 3, except when used in combination with the symbol at item 4 or 6
14	Parking place subject to	150	"Pay at	1. The permitted variants at item 1
	payment conditions	200) max	2. The symbol may be varied to that at item 2 or 3, except when used in combination with the symbol at item 4 or 6
				3. "Pay at machine" may be varied to any of the following or any appropriate combination of the following—
				(a) "Pay by phone"
				(b) "Pay by text"
				(c) "Pay by phone or text"
				(d) "Disc Zone", "Disc parking", "Ticket Zone" or "Ticket parking"
				4. "Pay" in the legend "Pay at machine", or in any of the legends at entry 3, may be varied to "For longer stay pay"

The Schedule 6 General Direction

1. The signs provided for in this Schedule must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.

SCHEDULE 7

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Road markings and miscellaneous upright signs that indicate stopping, waiting, loading and parking controls

PART 1

Provisions applying to Part 2

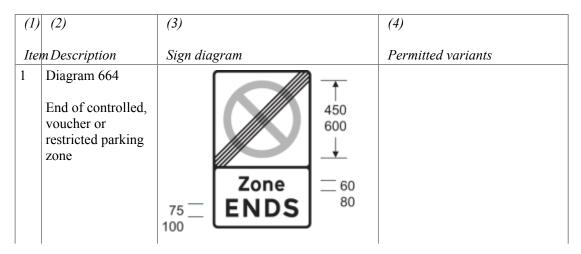
- **1.** The information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a sign that is—
 - (a) of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

shown in the diagram in column 3 of the table at the item in question, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.

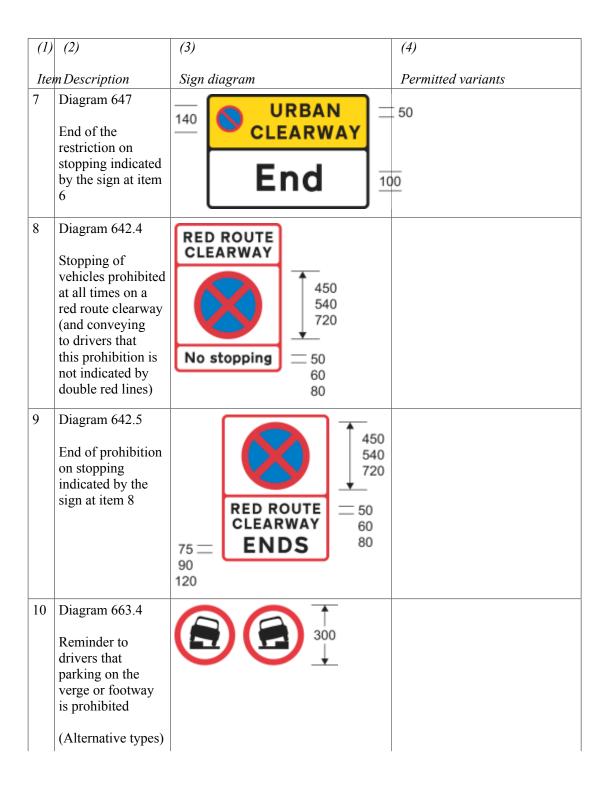
2. The signs provided for at items 5, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of the Part 2 sign table need not be illuminated.

PART 2 Regulatory signs for stopping, waiting, loading and parking controls

Sign table — Schedule 7, Part 2



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants
2	Diagram 666 End of controlled parking zone applying to goods vehicles over the maximum gross weight shown or buses (or both)	75 — ENDS = 60 80	1. The number on the lorry symbol may be varied 2. The lorry symbol or the bus symbol may be omitted
3	Diagram 664.1 End of permit parking area	Permit parking = 40 area ENDS	
4	Diagram 664.2 End of loading only area	Loading = 40 only area ENDS	
5	Diagram 640.5 End of designated off-road loading area	End of loading area	40
6	Diagram 646 No stopping during time periods indicated except for so long as may be necessary for the purpose of picking up or setting down passengers	140 — URBAN CLEARWAY Monday to Frida am pm 8.00 - 9.30 4.30 - 6.	The time periods shown in the "am" and "pm" panels may be varied to any other periods



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item Description		Sign diagram	Permitted variants
11	Diagram 664.3 End of area where parking on verge or footway is prohibited (Alternative types)	END END	600 ———————————————————————————————————
12	Diagram 667 Vehicles may be parked partially on the verge or footway (Alternative types)	80 min 200 max	An arrow pointing to the left or to the right may be added
13	Diagram 668 Vehicles may be parked wholly on the verge or footway (Alternative types)	80 min 200 max	An arrow pointing to the left or to the right may be added
14	Diagram 667.1 Vehicles may be parked partially on the verge or footway during the period indicated (Alternative types)	80 min 200 max 6 pm - 8 am 6 pm	1. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right may be added in the lower panel 2. "In marked bays" may be added to or substituted for the times shown in the lower panel 3. The time period may be varied to another time period
15	Diagram 668.1 Vehicles may be parked wholly on the verge or footway during the period indicated (Alternative types)	80 min 200 max 6 pm - 8 am 6 pr	1. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right may be added in the lower panel 2. In marked bays, may be added to or substituted for the times shown in the lower panel 3. The time period may be varied to another time period

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item Description		Sign diagram	Permitted variants
16	End of area where vehicles may be parked partially on the verge or footway	80 min 200 max	
	(Alternative types)		
17	End of area where vehicles may be parked wholly on the verge or footway	80 min 200 max	
	(Alternative types)		

Provisions applying to road markings in Part 4

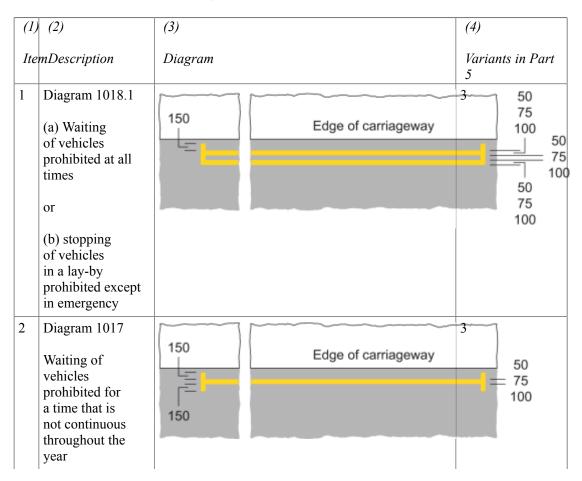
- 1. A restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the Part 4 sign table must be conveyed by road markings of the size, colour and type shown in—
 - (a) the diagram in column 3; or
 - (b) that diagram as varied in accordance with the paragraph in Part 5 whose number appears in column 4 of the item.
 - **2.**—(1) Where the road marking at item 9 is placed in a lay-by, studs may also be placed.
 - (2) The studs must incorporate—
 - (a) green reflectors;
 - (b) green retroreflecting material; or
- (c) a light source that emits, during the hours of darkness, a steady green light, or any combination.
- (3) The studs must be placed in the gaps between the broken line that indicates the edge of the lay-by to drivers of approaching vehicles.
 - (4) The external part of the stud that is visible when the stud is in place must be—
 - (a) green
 - (b) white;
 - (c) of a natural metallic finish;
 - (d) of another neutral colour; or
 - (e) clear,

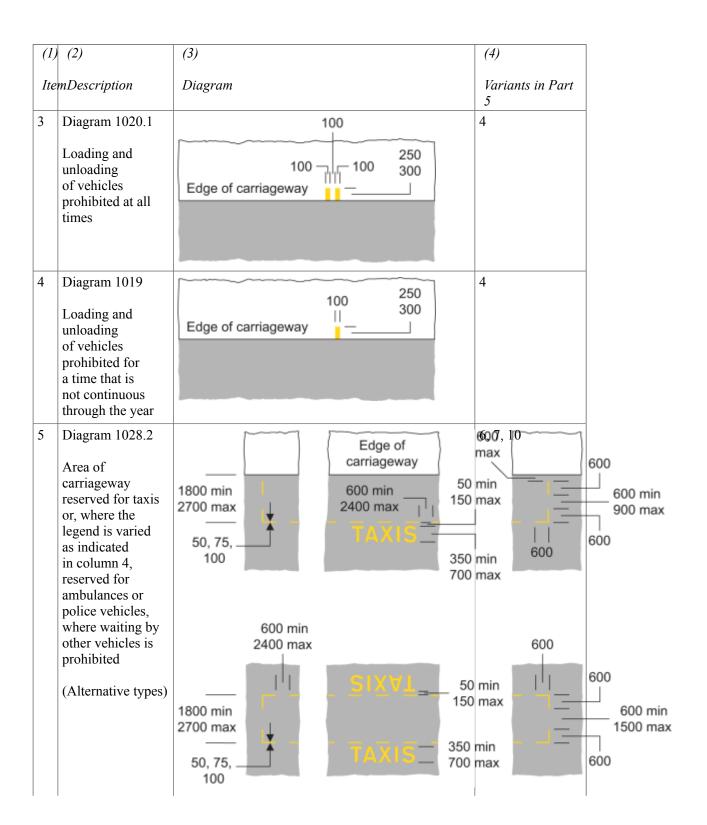
or any combination (but see sub-paragraph (5) for an exception).

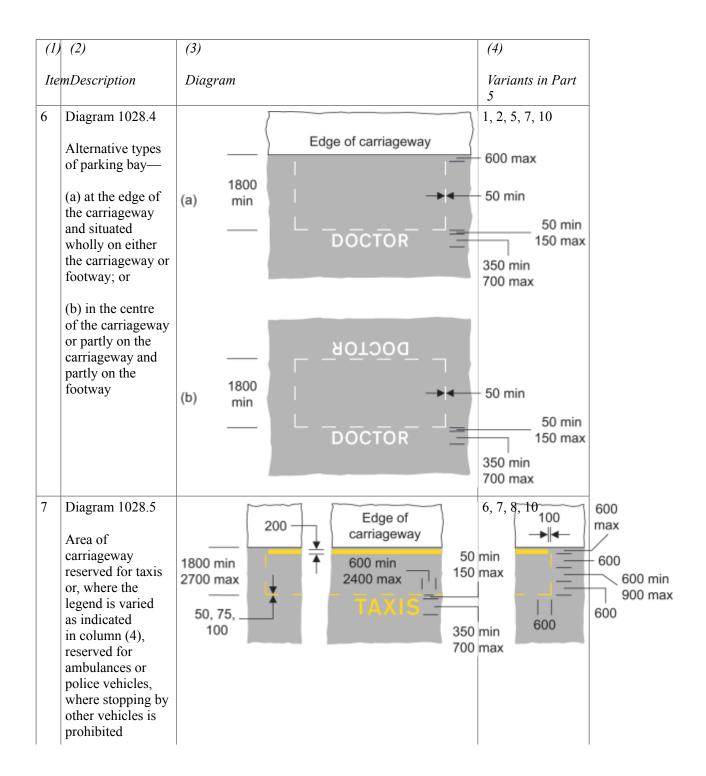
- (5) The external part of a stud that is visible when the stud is in place temporarily during road works must be fluorescent green-yellow except to the extent—
 - (a) it consists of green reflectors or retroreflecting material; or
 - (b) it is necessary for it to be a different colour or clear in order for the stud to emit green light.
 - 3. Section 36 of the 1988 Act applies to the markings at items—
 - (a) 9; and
 - (b) 10 where the marking is placed in the circumstances mentioned in paragraph 3 of Part 6.

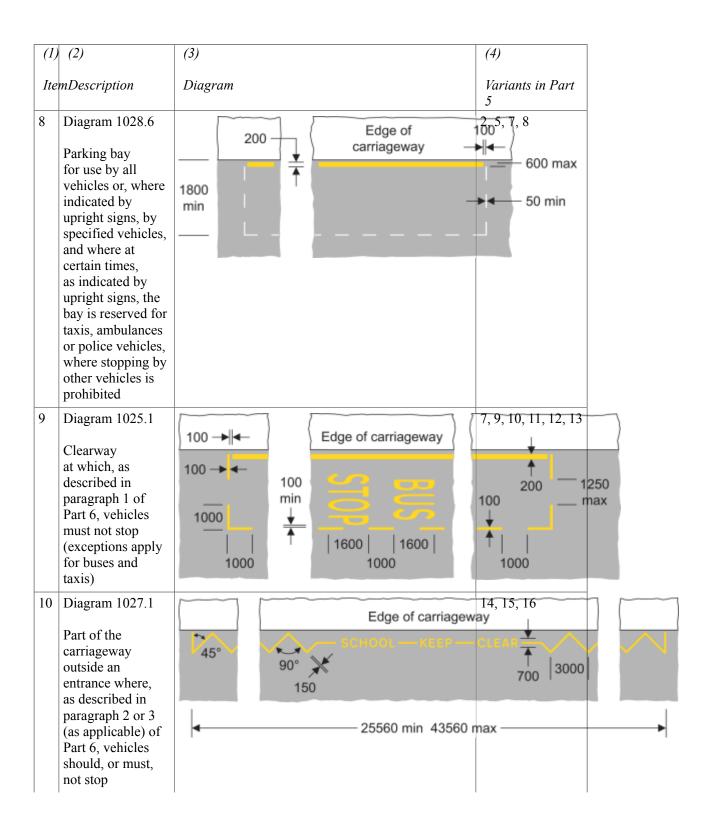
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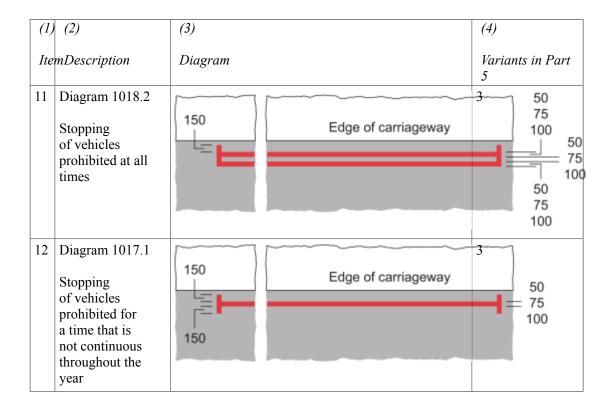
Sign table — Schedule 7, Part 4











PART 5

Required or permitted variants

- 1.—(1) "DOCTOR" may be omitted.
- (2) "DOCTOR" may be varied to: "BUSES", "CAR CLUB", "CYCLE HIRE", "DISABLED", "ELECTRIC VEHICLES", "ELECTRIC VEHS", "ELECTRIC MOTORCYCLES", "ELECTRIC M/CYCLES", "ELECTRIC M/Cs", "LOADING", "LARGE OR SLOW VEHICLES", "PERMIT HOLDERS", "SOLO MOTORCYCLES", "SOLO M/CYCLES", "SOLO M/CS".
- (3) "ONLY" may be added after "DOCTOR" (or after a word or phrase used pursuant to subparagraph (2)).
- (4) Where the bay is reserved for an individual disabled badge holder, an alphanumeric identifier, with or without the word "ONLY" may be added after "DISABLED".
- **2.**—(1) When reserved for disabled badge holders at certain times (whether or not also reserved for other users)—
 - (a) the length of the bay must be at least 6600 mm; and
 - (b) the width of the bay must be at least 2700 mm (or 3000 mm when placed in the centre of the carriageway) except in a case where, on account of the nature of traffic using the road, the overall width of the carriageway is insufficient to accommodate a bay of that width.
 - (2) The marks and gaps forming the boundary of the bay may—
 - (a) vary in number and length; or
 - (b) be replaced by a continuous white line.

- (3) The bay may be varied to contrast, in pattern or colour, from the surrounding parts of the road and any adjoining bays, in which case the marking may be omitted.
 - (4) The bay may be divided into individual spaces by—
 - (a) the application of a white line marking (either broken or continuous), with a minimum width of 50 mm; or
 - (b) contrasting pattern or colour.
- (5) If the individual spaces are parallel to the edge of the carriageway, the length of each space must be not less than—
 - (a) 6600 mm in the case of a space reserved for disabled badge holders; or
 - (b) 4500 mm in any other case.
 - (6) If the individual spaces are not parallel to the edge of the carriageway—
 - (a) the length of the largest rectangle that could be accommodated wholly within the space in question must be not less than 4200 mm;
 - (b) the width of each space must be—
 - (i) not less than 3600 mm in the case of a space reserved for disabled badge holders; or
 - (ii) not less than 2000 mm in any other case, and
 - (c) the spaces may be inclined at any angle to the edge of the carriageway to form an overall parking bay in echelon pattern, the boundary of which, furthest from the edge of the carriageway, may be parallel to the carriageway.
 - **3.** The transverse mark at the end of the line may be omitted.
 - **4.** The marking may be continued down the vertical face of a kerb at the edge of the carriageway.
- 5. The marks forming the boundary of the bay and any legend must be coloured red when placed on a red route, but only where the bay is not available for parking or loading during part of, or all of, the times of operation of the red route.
 - 6. "TAXIS" may be varied to "AMBULANCES" or "POLICE".
 - 7. The transverse line may be omitted—
 - (a) from that part of the marking that is placed within a lay-by; or
 - (b) from that part of the bay which is delineated by a raised kerb.
- **8.** Where the marking is placed on a red route, the continuous line must be substituted by the marking provided for at item 11 or 12 of the Part 4 sign table.
 - 9. "STOP" may be varied to "STAND".
 - 10. The legend may be repeated along the length of the marking as appropriate.
- 11. Where the marking is placed in part of a lay-by, the continuous line may be used to delineate the clearway from that part of the lay-by used by all vehicles.
- **12.** The continuous line must be varied to red where placed along a red route and taxis are prohibited from stopping within the clearway.
- 13. The continuous line must be replaced by the marking provided for at item 11 or 12 of the Part 4 table where placed along a red route and taxis are permitted to stop within the clearway to pick up or set down passengers.
- **14.** "SCHOOL" may be varied to "CHILDREN" with the maximum length of the marking increased to 44545 mm in consequence.

- **15.** "SCHOOL" and the line between "SCHOOL" and "KEEP" may be omitted and the minimum length of the marking reduced to 25250 mm when used outside a fire, police or ambulance station, or a hospital.
- **16.** The overall length of the marking may be varied within the specified limits by the addition or removal of an equal number of complete zig-zag elements on each side of the legend.

The significance of particular road markings

Clearways (diagram 1025.1)

- 1.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (3) and paragraph 4, the road marking provided for at item 9 of the Part 4 sign table conveys the prohibition that a person driving a vehicle must not cause it to stop within the clearway—
 - (a) if the relevant upright sign placed in conjunction with the marking does not show a time period, at any time; or
 - (b) if the relevant upright sign shows a time period, during that period.
 - (2) For the purposes of this paragraph—
 - (a) "clearway" means an area of carriageway bounded by the continuous and broken straight lines provided for at item 9;
 - (b) "relevant upright sign" means an upright sign which includes a stopping prohibited symbol and indicates that stopping by vehicles other than buses or local buses is prohibited, or prohibited during the period indicated; and
 - (c) a vehicle is taken to have stopped within a clearway if—
 - (i) any point in the clearway is below the vehicle or its load (if any); and
 - (ii) the vehicle is stationary.
- (3) The prohibition in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to the driver of a bus who causes the bus to stop within the clearway for so long as may be necessary—
 - (a) to maintain a published timetable for the service (provided, in the case of a clearway marked "BUS STOP", that the bus is not stopped within the clearway for a period exceeding two minutes);
 - (b) to enable passengers to board or alight from the bus; or
 - (c) to enable the crew of the bus to be changed.

School etc entrances (diagram 1027.1)

- **2.** The road marking provided for at item 10 of the sign table in Part 4, when not placed in conjunction with an upright sign which includes the symbol at item 12 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 4 (prohibiting stopping on entrance markings), indicates a part of the carriageway outside an entrance where vehicles should not stop.
- **3.** Subject to paragraph 4, the road marking at item 10, when placed in conjunction with an upright sign which includes the symbol at item 12, conveys the prohibition that, subject to the exceptions in paragraph 5, a person driving a vehicle must not cause it to stop on that marking—
 - (a) if the sign placed in conjunction with the marking does not show a time period, at any time; or

(b) if the sign shows a time period, during that period.

Exceptions applicable to paragraphs 1 and 3

- **4.**—(1) The prohibition in paragraphs 1 and 3 does not apply to a vehicle being used for at least one of the following purposes—
 - (a) fire and rescue authority;
 - (b) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (c) traffic officer;
 - (d) ambulance;
 - (e) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (f) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (g) special forces;
 - (h) police; and
 - (i) National Crime Agency.
 - (2) The prohibition in paragraphs 1(1) and 3 does not apply in respect of—
 - (a) a vehicle that has stopped with the permission or at the direction of—
 - (i) a constable in uniform;
 - (ii) a traffic warden; or
 - (iii) a traffic officer in uniform;
 - (b) a vehicle which is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or which has to be stopped in order to avoid injury or damage to persons or property;
 - (c) in respect of paragraph 1 only, a taxi which is stationary only for so long as may be reasonably necessary for a passenger to board or alight and to load or unload any luggage of the passenger (but this exemption does not apply in relation to a marking on a red route where paragraph 12 of Part 5 applies);
 - (d) a marked vehicle which, whilst used by a universal service provider in the course of the provision of a universal postal service, is stationary only for so long as may be reasonably necessary for postal packets to be collected;
 - (e) in respect of paragraph 1 only, a vehicle driven by a person whilst being trained to drive a bus operating local services who, as part of that training, stops the vehicle on the road marking for no longer than necessary to simulate the stopping of a bus at a bus stop for the purpose of picking up and setting down passengers;
 - (f) a vehicle which is stationary in order that it may be used for one or more of the purposes specified in sub-paragraph (3) and which cannot be used for such a purpose without stopping on the marking.
 - (3) The purposes are—
 - (a) any operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (b) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (c) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road;
 - (d) constructing, improving, maintaining or cleaning any street furniture (including, in respect of paragraph 1 only, bus stop infrastructure); or
 - (e) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any electronic communications

apparatus kept installed for the purposes of an electronic communications code system or of any other electronic communications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position.

(4) In this paragraph, the expressions "universal service provider", "provision of a universal postal service" and "postal packet" have the same meanings as in the Postal Services Act 2000(80).

PART 7

The Schedule 7 General Directions

- 1.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the signs provided for in this Schedule must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to the road markings provided for at the following items in the sign table in Part 4—
 - (a) 6, but only where the marking—
 - (i) does not include a word or phrase; and
 - (ii) is not in a controlled parking zone
 - (b) 9; and
 - (c) 10.
- **2.** When a sign provided for in the sign table in Part 2 is placed to indicate the point at which a restriction, requirement or prohibition begins or ends, the sign must be placed on the road as near as practicable to that point.
- **3.** The road marking provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 4 must not be placed except in combination with a relevant upright sign within the meaning of paragraph 1 of Part 6.

SCHEDULE 8

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs indicating the entrance to and the end of a pedestrian, or pedestrian and cycle, zone, and signs for charging schemes

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

- 1. The information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a sign that is—
 - (a) of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

shown in the diagram in column 3 of the item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.

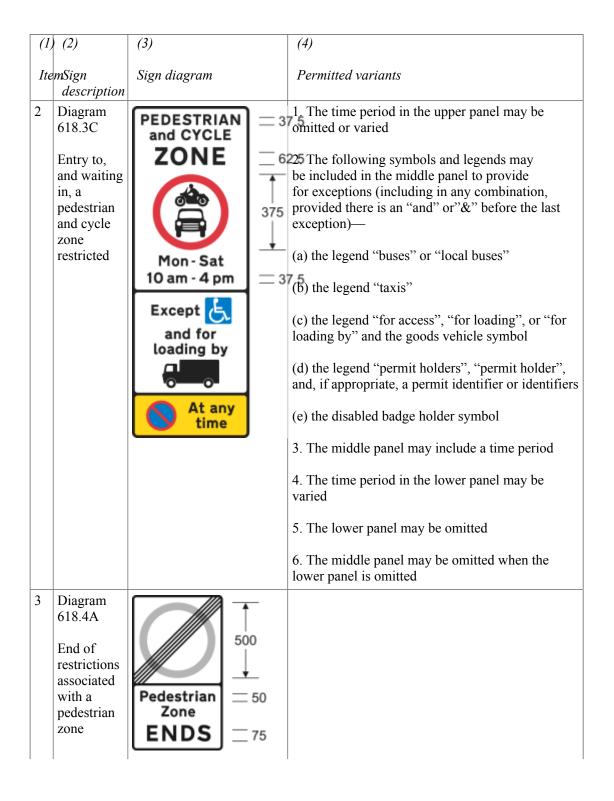
2. Where a sign provided for in the Part 2 sign table is erected on a road subject to a speed limit greater than 20 mph and is within 50 metres of any lamp which forms part of a system of street-lighting, the illumination requirements for the sign are—

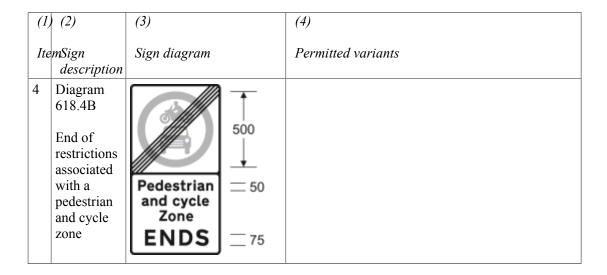
- (a) where that system of street-lighting is illuminated throughout the hours of darkness, the sign must be illuminated by internal or external lighting for so long as that system is illuminated and may also be reflectorised; or
- (b) where that system of street-lighting is not illuminated throughout 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 means of internal or external lighting and may also be reflectorised.

PART 2
Signs indicating pedestrian and pedestrian and cycle zones

Sign table — Schedule 8, Part 2

(1	(2)	(3)		(4)
Ite	emSign description	Sign	diagram	Permitted variants
1	Diagram 618.3B Entry to, and waiting in, a pedestrian zone restricted	150	No vehicles Non - Sat 10 am - 4 pm Except 4 and for loading by At any time	1. The time period in the upper panel may be omitted or varied





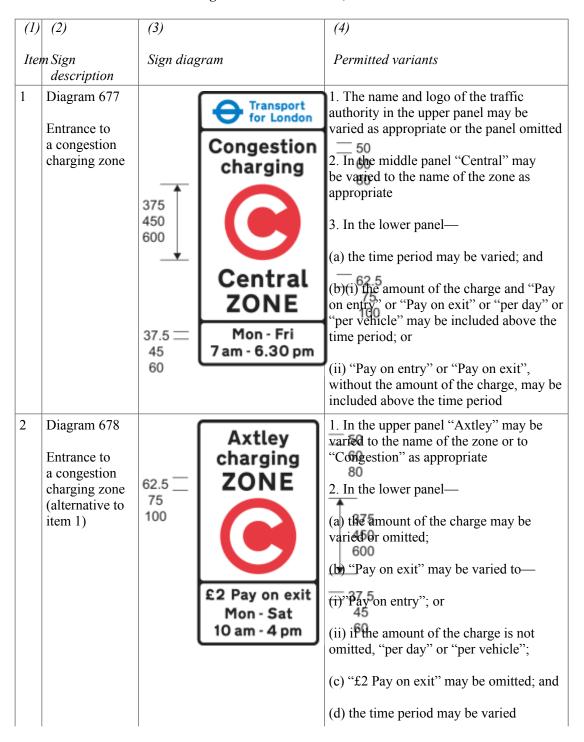
Provisions applying to signs in Part 4

- 1. The information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 4 must be conveyed by a sign that is—
 - (a) of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

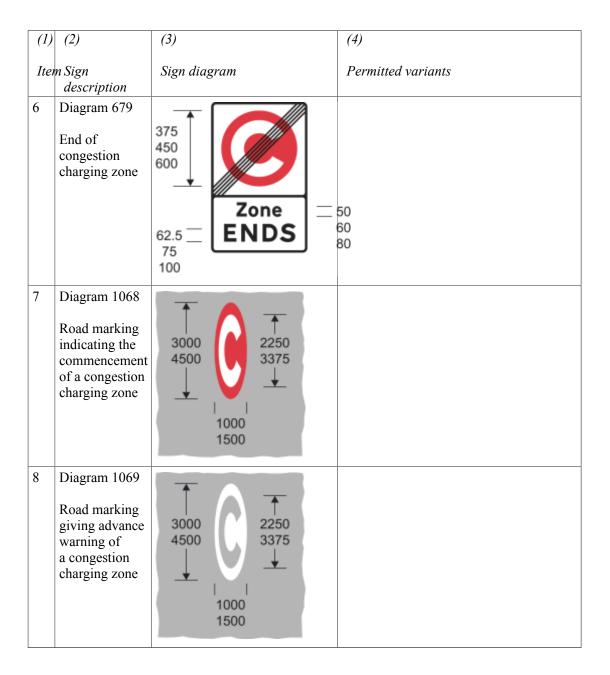
shown in the diagram in column 3 of the item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.

PART 4
Signs and markings indicating a congestion charging zone

Sign table — Schedule 8, Part 4



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Itei	n Sign description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants
3	Diagram 818.6 Advance indication of a congestion charging zone	Congestion charging zone Mon - Fri 7 am - 6.30 pm 2 miles ahead Congestion 300 mir 1500 ma 1500 ma 2 miles ahead	(a) the distance may be varied;
4	Diagram 818.7 Advance indication of a congestion charging zone (alternative to item 3)	£10 per day	(a) the amount of the charge may be varied; (b) "day" may be varied to "vehicle";
5	Diagram 894 Reminder to drivers within a congestion charging zone in which cameras are used to enforce traffic regulations	200 min 400 max 200 min 400 max	1. The "C" symbol may be placed to the left of the camera symbol 2. A legend may be added giving the name, and any logo, of the enforcement authority



The Schedule 8 General Directions

- 1. The signs provided for—
 - (a) in the sign table in Part 2; and
 - (b) at items 1, 2, 6 and 7 of the sign table in Part 4,

must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which restricts or prohibits the use of the road by traffic.

2. An upright sign mentioned in paragraph 1 must be placed as near as practicable to the point the restriction or prohibition begins or ends.

SCHEDULE 9

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Regulatory signs at junctions and miscellaneous regulatory signs

PART 1

Provisions applicable to signs in Part 2

- 1. The information or requirement of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a sign that is
 - (a) of the colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size given in column 4.
- **2.** A provision of Part 8 applies to a sign provided for in Part 2 where indicated in column 5 of the Part 2 sign table (by reference to a paragraph number in Part 8).
- **3.** A Schedule 9 General Direction applies to a sign provided for in Part 2 where indicated in column 6 of the Part 2 sign table (by reference to a number equivalent to the general direction in Part 9).

PART 2

Signs at junctions

Sign table — Schedule 9, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted sizes	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
1	Diagram 601.1		Sign height	1, 2, 7	3, 4, 8
	Vehicular traffic must comply with the requirements specified in paragraph 1 or 2 of Part 7	STOP	750, 900, 1200		
2	Diagram 602	GIVE	Sign height	1, 7	5, 8
	Vehicular traffic must comply with the requirements specified in paragraph 3 or 4 of Part 7	WAY	600, 750, 900, 1200, 1500		
3	Diagram 608 Dual carriageway road (associated	Dual carriage	x-height of legend:		10
	plate for items 1 and 2)		50, 62.5, 75, 100, 125		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted sizes	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
4	Diagram 778		Sign height		11
	Open railway level crossing without light signals (associated plate for item 2)		420, 525, 630		
5	Diagram 778.1	(m ê m	Sign height		11
	Open tramway level crossing without light signals		300, 375, 450		
	(associated plate for item 2)				
6	Diagram 611.1		Sign height	1, 3, 7	6, 8
	Vehicles entering the junction must comply with the requirements prescribed in paragraph 5 of Part 7		600, 750, 900		

Provisions applicable to signs in Part 4

- 1. The information or requirement of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 4 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 at that item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.

- **2.** A provision of Part 8 applies to a sign provided for in Part 4 where indicated in column 5 of the sign table (by reference to a paragraph number in Part 8).
- **3.** A Schedule 9 General Direction applies to a sign provided for in Part 4 where indicated in column 6 (by reference to a number equivalent to the general direction in Part 9).

PART 4

Other regulatory signs

Sign table — Schedule 9, Part 4

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted variants	Applica provisi in Part 8	ab & chedule or & General Directions
1	Diagram 651 Use of verge maintained in mown or ornamental condition by specified traffic prohibited	No motor vehic cycles, anima pedestrians on mown ver	The arrow may	8	1, 13
2	Diagram 626.2A Vehicles exceeding the maximum gross weight indicated prohibited from crossing the bridge or other structure with exemption for empty vehicles	WEAK BRIDGE 18 t m g w Except empty vehicles	1. "18t" may be varied to "3t", "7.5t", "10t", "13t" 26t" or "33t" 2. "WEAK BRIDGE" may be varied to "WEAK ROAD" 3. The bottom panel may be omitted == 50 62.5 75	1, 7	2
3	Diagram 622.10 Vehicles carrying dangerous goods within the tunnel restriction code indicated by the sign prohibited		The tunnel restriction code lettet 4B" may be varied to "630"D" or "E" as appropriate 880	7	1

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted variants	Applice provisi in Part 8	ab Sc hedule on s General Direction
4	Diagram 784.1 Drivers of large or slow vehicles must stop and telephone in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 6 of Part 7 before using a level crossing	Drivers of LARGE or SLOV VEHICLES must phone and get permission to cross LARGE means over 61-6" (18.75 m) long of 9-6" (2.9 m) wide or 44 tonnes total weight SLOW means 5 mph or le	45 min 75 max	1, 2, 7	
5	Diagram 652 One-way traffic	300 450 1 450 450 675 1		7	1
6	Diagram 960.1 One-way road with a mandatory contraflow cycle lane		The number of upward pointing arrows may be varied to indicate the number of lanes available to all traffic		1
7	Diagram 960.2 One-way road with contraflow pedal cycles	1 0 475 570 1			1
8	Diagram 960 One-way road with a contraflow bus and cycle lane	11	1. The number of upward pointing arrows may be varied to indicate the number of lanes available to all traffic. 2. The cycle symbol may be omitted and the downward pointing		1

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted variants	Applica provisi in Part 8	ab Sc hedule on S General Direction
9	Diagram 959.1 With-flow cycle lane with indication of times of operation	Mon - Fri 7 - 10 am 4.00 - 6.30 pm	arrow centred below the bus symbol 3. The bus symbol may be varied to the local bus symbol shown in the diagram at item 10 1. In the upper panel— (a) the position of the vertical line and symbol may be varied to reflect the layout of the road marking at item 7 in the sign table in Part 6; and (b) an additional vertical line may be added		
			2. The time period may be varied3. The bottom panel may be omitted		
10	Diagram 959B Nearside with- flow bus lane, which authorised vehicles, taxis, solo motor cycles and pedal cycles may also use, with indication of times of operation	authorised vehicles taxi Mon - Fri 7 - 10 am 4.00 - 6.30 pm	(a) "authorised vehicles" or "taxi" or both may be omitted; (b) the solo motor cycle symbol may be omitted; (c) the local bus symbol may be varied to the bus symbol shown at item 8; (d) the position of the vertical line and symbols may be varied to reflect the layout of the road marking at item 11 in the sign table in Part 6; and		

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted variants	Applic provisi in Part 8	ab Sc hedule ion s General Directions
			(e) an additional vertical line may be added		
			2. The time period may be varied		
			3. The bottom panel may be omitted		
11	Diagram 964 End of with-flow bus lane	End of 50 60 80			1
12	Diagram 2602.3 The number of a route for pedal cycles forming part of a national or regional cycle route network	23 — 30 min — 60 max	1. The route number may be varied as appropriate and may include capital letters 2. The route number may be shown in brackets 3. Additional route numbers, in brackets, may be shown 4. The background colour may be varied to blue when placed on a regional cycle route 5. When indicating a route other than a national or regional cycle route network, the route number, background and border may be in any contrasting colours		7
13	Diagram 2901 Regulations in force under section 17 of the 1984 Act start to	100 min — M 62	1. The motorway number may be varied as appropriate and may be placed centrally above the motorway symbol	7	

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Permitted variants	Applica provisi in Part 8	ab Sc hedule on s General Directions
	apply to the road at this point			2. The motorway number may be shown in brackets 3. The motorway number may be expressed in the form "A 123 (M)" and "(M)" may be placed centrally below "A 123"	0	
14	Diagram 2930 Regulations referred to in this column in respect of item 13 cease to apply ahead	1300, 1950 1300 1300 1300 1950 1 mile 200 300		"1 mile" may be varied to "½ mile"	7	
15	Diagram 2931 Regulations referred to in this column in respect of item 13 cease to apply at this point	1300, 1950 1300 1300 1950 1950			7	
16	Diagram 2932 Entrance to a motorway service area, maintenance compound or similar facility contained within a length of a motorway and indicating that Regulations in force under section 17 of the 1984 Act cease to apply at this point	End of motorway regulations	15	0		

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Provisions applicable to road markings in Part 6

- 1. The information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 6 must be conveyed by a road marking that is of the size, colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3.
- **2.** A provision of Part 8 applies to a sign provided for in Part 6 where indicated in column 4 of the table (by reference to a paragraph number in Part 8).
- **3.** A Schedule 9 General Direction applies to a sign provided for in Part 6 where indicated in column 5 (by reference to a number equivalent to the general direction in Part 9).
- **4.** Where "longitudinal marking" is mentioned in respect of an item in the table, the expression indicates a marking to be laid on the carriageway of a road longitudinally to the flow of traffic.

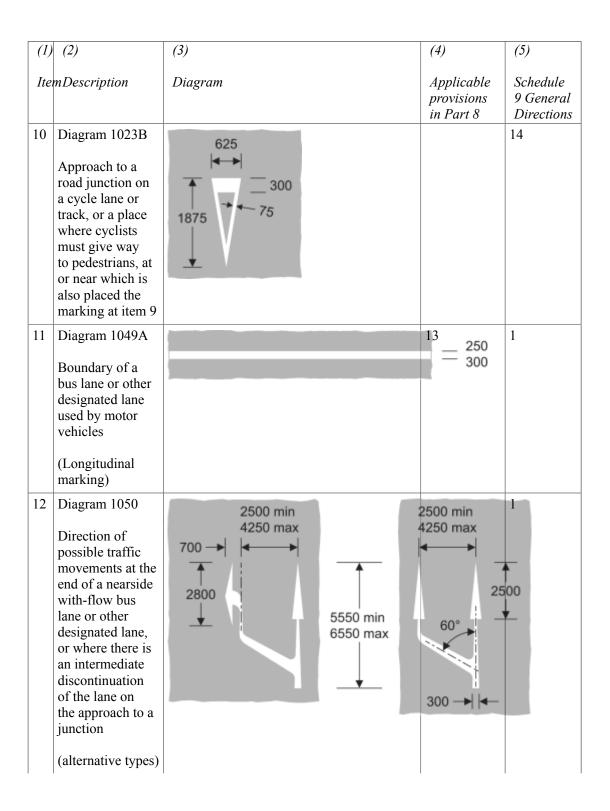
PART 6
Regulatory road markings

Sign table — Schedule 9, Part 6

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
1	Diagram 1002.1 Vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the line when required to stop by the stop sign	400	13	4
2	Approach to a road junction or level crossing at or near which is placed the marking at item 1 of this table and the stop sign	STOP 1600 2800	13	4
3	Diagram 1003A Vehicular traffic must give way in accordance with the requirements	300 600 200 300 200	1, 13	3

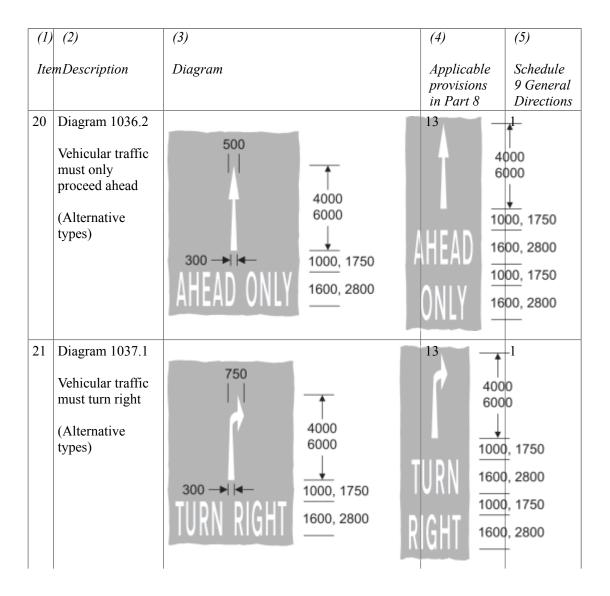
(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
	in paragraph 7 of Part 7				
4	Approach to a road junction, level crossing or road narrowing at or near which is placed the marking in item 3 or 6 of this table	1250 		13	12
5	Diagram 1003.4 Marking used in conjunction with the sign at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 for conveying the requirements in paragraph 5 of Part 7 (Alternative sizes)	B 120°	B = 35 C = 30 D = 12 SIZE : A = 25 B = 50 C = 44	000 min 2400 500 min 7000 025 250 min 2 500 min 4000	max) max
6	Diagram 1003.3 Vehicular traffic approaching a roundabout with a small central island or approaching a junction indicated by the marking shown in item 5 of this sign table should give way at, or immediately beyond, the line to traffic circulating on the carriageway of the roundabout	300 700		13	

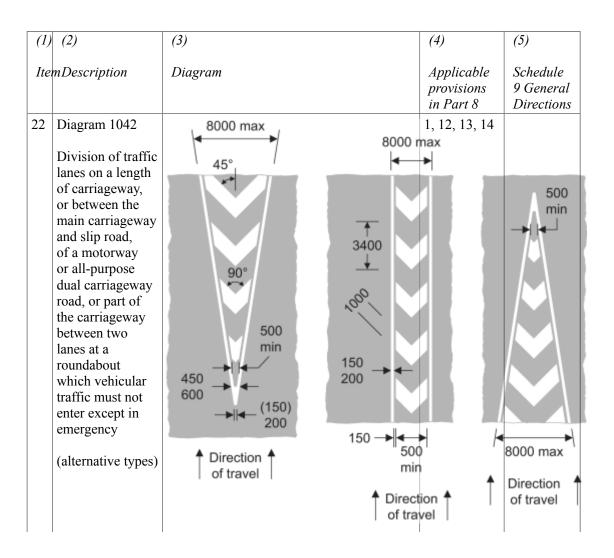
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
7	Diagram 1049B Boundary of a mandatory cycle lane or division of a route into that part reserved for pedal cycles and that part reserved for pedestrians conveying the requirements at paragraph 12 of Part 7 (Longitudinal		1, 9 = 150 200 250	1
8	marking) Diagram 1049.1 Division of a route into that part reserved for pedal cycles and that part reserved for pedestrians (Longitudinal marking)	Cross section A−A	150	1
9	Diagram 1003B Cyclists must give way in accordance with the requirements prescribed in paragraph 8 of Part 7	150 300 100 150 150	1	

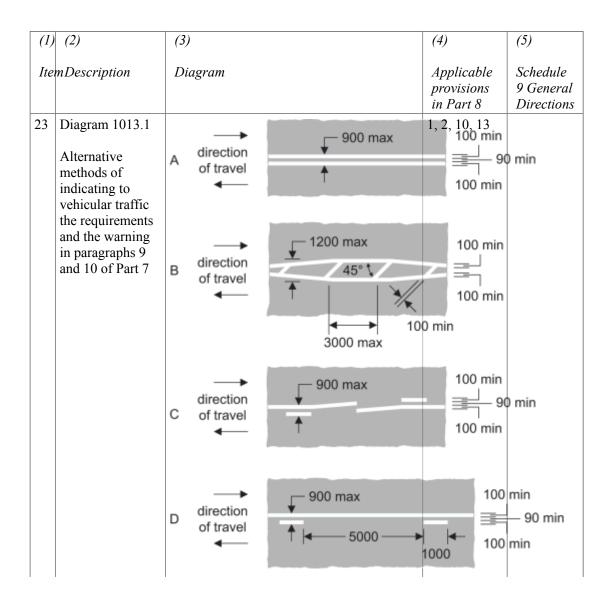


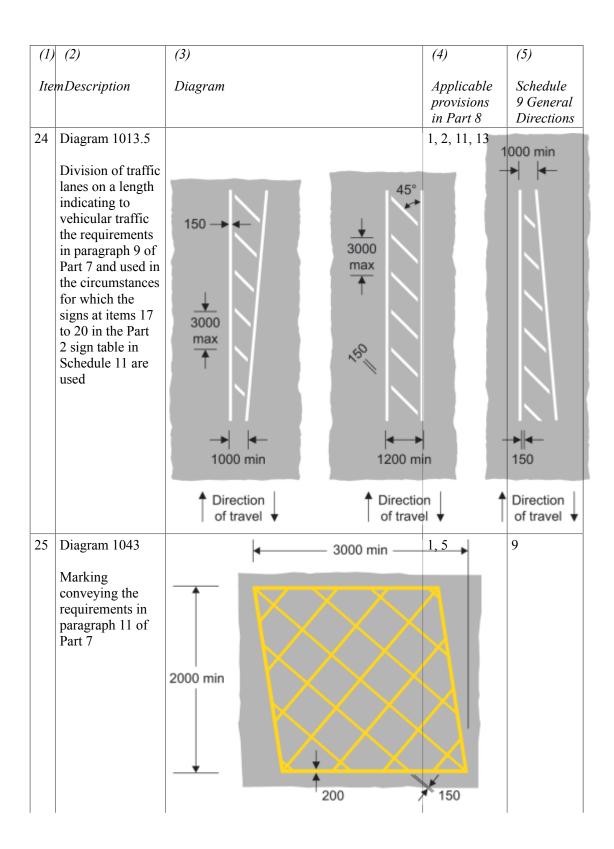
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
13	Diagram 1050.1 Direction of possible traffic movements at the end of an off side with-flow bus lane or other designated lane, or where there is an intermediate discontinuation of the lane on the approach to a junction (alternative types)		0 min 0 max 	0
14	Diagram 1048 Traffic lane reserved for buses and other vehicles as indicated on the sign at item 8 or 10 in the sign table in Part 4	BUS 1600, 2800 1000, 1750 1600, 2800		1
15	Diagram 1048.5 Road or part of a road with access permitted only for buses and other vehicles when so indicated by any of the signs at items 10, 33 to 35 and 37 to 40 in the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 3 (Alternative types)	BUS GATE 1600, 2800 GAT	1600, 28 1000, 17 1600, 28	50

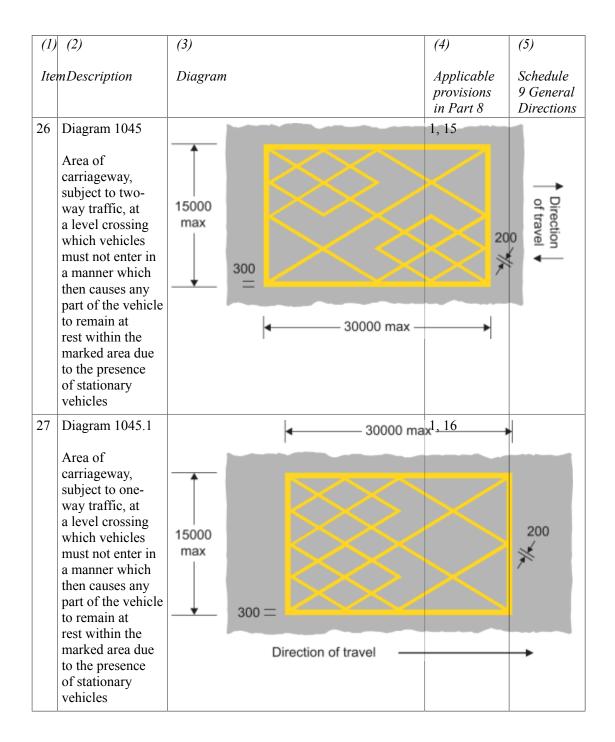
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Applicable provisions in Part 8	Schedule 9 General Directions
16	Diagram 1048.2A Road or part of a road with access permitted only for tramcars	TRAM 1600, 2800 1000, 1750 1600, 2800		1
17	Diagram 1046 No entry for vehicular traffic (Alternative types)	NO ENTRY 1600, 2800 ENT	13 1600, 1000, 1600,	1750
18	Diagram 1046.1 Entry by vehicular traffic to a play street restricted (Alternative types)	PLAY STREET 1600 STREET	13 <u>1600</u> <u>1000</u> <u>1600</u>	1
19	Diagram 1036.1 Vehicular traffic must turn left (Alternative types)	750 4000 6000 1000, 1750 1600, 2800	1000, 1	800 750











PART 7
The significance of particular signs in Schedule 9

Stop sign

1. Subject to paragraph 2, the requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a stop sign are that—

- (a) every vehicle must stop before crossing the transverse line provided for at item 1 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule, or if that line is not clearly visible, before entering the major road in respect of which the stop sign has been provided; and
- (b) no vehicle must cross the transverse line, or if that line is not clearly visible, enter the major road in respect of which the stop sign has been provided, so as to be likely to endanger any person, or to cause the driver of another vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident.
- **2.** The requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a stop sign when placed at a level crossing are that—
 - (a) every vehicle must stop before crossing the transverse line, or if that line is not clearly visible, before entering the level crossing; and
 - (b) no vehicle must cross the transverse line, or if that line is not clearly visible, enter the level crossing so as to be likely to endanger the driver of, or any passenger in, any railway vehicle or tramcar or to cause that driver to change speed in order to avoid an accident.

Give way sign

- **3.** Subject to paragraph 4, the requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a give way sign are that no vehicle is to cross the transverse line provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule nearer to the major road at the side of which that line is placed, or if that line is not clearly visible, enter that major road, so as to be likely to endanger any person, or to cause the driver of another vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident.
- **4.** The requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a give way sign when placed in combination with the sign at item 4 or 5 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule are that no vehicle must cross the transverse line nearer to the level crossing at the side of which that line is placed, or if that line is not clearly visible, enter that level crossing, so as to be likely to endanger the driver of, or any passenger in, any railway vehicle or tramcar or to cause that driver to change the speed of his or her vehicle in order to avoid an accident.

Priority to right sign

- **5.**—(1) The requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a sign provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule are that—
 - (a) a vehicle entering the junction must give priority to vehicles coming from the right—
 - (i) at the transverse road marking provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule;
 - (ii) at the transverse road marking provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule; or
 - (iii) if a marking is not for the time being visible, at the junction;
 - (b) a vehicle proceeding through the junction must keep to the left of the white circle at the centre of the marking provided for at item 5 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule ("the diagram 1003.4 marking"), unless the size of the vehicle or the layout of the junction makes it impracticable to do so; and
 - (c) no vehicle is to proceed past the diagram 1003.4 marking in a manner, or at a time, likely to endanger any person, or to cause the driver of another vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident.

Permission to cross sign

- **6.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) the requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a sign provided for at item 4 of the sign table in Part 4 of this Schedule are that no abnormal transport unit is to proceed onto or over a level crossing unless—
 - (a) the driver of the unit has used a telephone provided at or near the crossing for the purpose of obtaining from a person, authorised in that behalf by the railway or tramway authority, permission for the unit to proceed;
 - (b) that permission has been obtained before the unit proceeds; and
 - (c) the unit proceeds in accordance with any terms attached to that permission.
 - (2) Sub-paragraph (1)(b) and (c) does not apply if—
 - (a) the driver uses the telephone at the crossing and receives an indication for not less than two minutes that the telephone at the other end of the telephone line is being called, but no duly authorised person answers it, or the driver receives no indication at all due to a fault or malfunction of the telephone; and
 - (b) the driver then drives the unit on to the crossing with the reasonable expectation of crossing it within times specified in a railway or tramway notice at the telephone as being times between which railway vehicles or tramcars do not normally travel over that crossing.

Give way marking

- 7. The requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a road marking provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule are—
 - (a) except as provided in paragraphs (b) to (d), that no vehicle may proceed past the transverse line which is the nearer to the major road into that road in a manner or at a time likely to endanger the driver of, or any passenger in, a vehicle on the major road or to cause the driver of such a vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident;
 - (b) where the transverse lines are placed at a level crossing, that no vehicle may proceed past such one of those lines as is the nearer the level crossing in a manner or at a time likely to endanger the driver of, or any passenger in, a railway vehicle or tramcar, or to cause that driver to change the speed of his or her vehicle in order to avoid an accident;
 - (c) where the transverse lines are placed in advance of a point in the road where the width of the carriageway narrows significantly, that no vehicle may proceed past such one of those lines as is nearer to the point of narrowing in a manner or at a time likely to endanger the driver of, or any passenger in, a vehicle that is proceeding in the opposite direction to the first-mentioned vehicle, or cause the driver of such a vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident;
 - (d) where the transverse lines are placed in advance of a length of the carriageway of the road where a cycle track crosses the road along a route parallel to the transverse lines, that no vehicle may proceed past such one of those lines as is the nearer the cycle track, in a manner or at a time likely to endanger any cyclist proceeding along the cycle track or to cause such a cyclist to change speed or course in order to avoid an accident.

Cyclists to give way

8. A cycle must not be ridden across the transverse line provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule in a manner or at a time that is likely to endanger any person, or to cause the driver of another vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident.

No stopping or crossing white line marking

- **9.**—(1) The requirements conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by a road marking provided for at items 23 and 24 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule are that—
 - (a) subject to sub-paragraphs (2) to (4), no vehicle is to stop on any length of road along which the marking has been placed at any point between the ends of the marking; and
 - (b) subject to sub-paragraph (5), every vehicle proceeding on any length of road along which the marking has been so placed, as viewed in the direction of travel of the vehicle, a continuous line is on the left of a broken line or of another continuous line, must be so driven as to keep the first-mentioned continuous line on the right hand or off side of the vehicle.
- (2) Nothing in sub-paragraph (1)(a) applies so as to prevent a vehicle stopping on any length of road so long as may be necessary for any of the purposes specified in sub-paragraph (3) if the vehicle cannot be used for such a purpose without stopping on the length of road.
 - (3) The purposes are—
 - (a) to enable a person to board or alight from the vehicle,
 - (b) to enable goods to be loaded on to or to be unloaded from the vehicle,
 - (c) to enable the vehicle to be used in connection with—
 - (i) any operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the length of road; or
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning in or near the length of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any electronic communications apparatus kept installed for the purposes of an electronic communications code system or of any other electronic communications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position.
 - (4) Nothing in sub-paragraph (1)(a) applies—
 - (a) so as to prevent a vehicle stopping in a lay-by;
 - (b) to a vehicle being used for at least one of the following purposes—
 - (i) fire and rescue authority;
 - (ii) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (iii) traffic officer;
 - (iv) ambulance;
 - (v) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (vi) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (vii) special forces;
 - (viii) police; and
 - (ix) National Crime Agency.
 - (c) to a pedal cycle;
 - (d) to a vehicle stopping in any case where the person in control of the vehicle is required by law to stop, or is obliged to do so in order to avoid an accident, or is prevented from proceeding by circumstances outside the person's control;
 - (e) to anything done with the permission or at the direction of a constable in uniform, traffic officer in uniform or in accordance with the direction of a traffic warden; or

- (f) to a vehicle on a road with more than one traffic lane in each direction.
- (5) Nothing in sub-paragraph (1)(b) is to be taken to prohibit a vehicle from being driven across, or so as to straddle, the continuous line referred to in that paragraph, if it is safe to do so and if necessary to do so—
 - (a) to enable the vehicle to enter, from the side of the road on which it is proceeding, land or premises adjacent to the length of road on which the line is placed, or another road joining that road;
 - (b) in order to pass a stationary vehicle;
 - (c) owing to circumstances outside the control of the driver;
 - (d) in order to avoid an accident;
 - (e) in order to pass a road maintenance vehicle which is in use, is moving at a speed not exceeding 10 mph, and is displaying to the rear a sign provided for at item 9 or 10 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 13;
 - (f) in order to pass a pedal cycle moving at a speed not exceeding 10 mph;
 - (g) in order to pass a horse that is being ridden or led at a speed not exceeding 10 mph; or
 - (h) for the purposes of complying with any direction of a constable in uniform, a traffic officer in uniform or a traffic warden.
- 10. The warning conveyed to vehicular traffic on roads by the road marking provided for at item 23 of the sign table in Part 6 of this Schedule is that no vehicle while travelling next to a broken line placed on the left of a continuous line, as viewed in the direction of travel of the vehicle, should cross or straddle the first-mentioned line unless it is seen by the driver of the vehicle to be safe to do so.

Box junctions

- 11.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2), (3) and (4), the yellow criss-cross marking provided for at item 25 of the sign table in Part 6 conveys the prohibition that a person must not cause a vehicle to enter the box junction so that the vehicle has to stop within the box junction due to the presence of stationary vehicles.
- (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (4) the marking when placed as a box junction within sub-paragraph (6)(c) of the definition of that expression conveys the prohibition that a person must not cause a vehicle to enter the box junction so that the vehicle has to stop within the box junction due to the presence of oncoming vehicles or other stationary vehicles beyond the box junction.
- (3) The prohibition in sub-paragraph (1) does not, in respect of a box junction within sub-paragraph (6)(a) of the definition of that expression, apply to a person who—
 - (a) causes a vehicle to enter the box junction for the purpose of turning right; and
 - (b) stops the vehicle within the box junction for so long as the vehicle is prevented from completing the right turn by an oncoming vehicle or other vehicle which is stationary whilst waiting to complete a right turn.
- (4) When a vehicle is being used for at least one of the purposes mentioned at sub-paragraph (5) and the observance of the prohibition in sub-paragraph (1) or (2) would be likely to hinder the use of that vehicle for that purpose, then that prohibition does not apply to the driver of the vehicle.
 - (5) The purposes are—
 - (a) fire and rescue authority;
 - (b) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (c) ambulance;
 - (d) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;

- (e) bomb or explosive disposal;
- (f) special forces;
- (g) police; and
- (h) National Crime Agency.
- (6) For the purposes of this paragraph "box junction" means an area of the carriageway where the marking has been placed and which is—
 - (a) at a junction between two or more roads;
 - (b) at a gyratory system or roundabout;
 - (c) along a length of a two-way road (other than at a junction), the carriageway of which is not greater than 4.5 metres wide at its narrowest point; or
 - (d) on the length of road adjacent to the vehicular entrance to the premises of a fire, police or ambulance station; and
- (7) A reference in this paragraph (however expressed) to a vehicle which is stationary or stops within a box junction includes a vehicle which is stationary whilst part of it is within the box junction.

Mandatory with flow cycle lanes

- **12.**—(1) This paragraph applies to the road marking provided for at item 7 of the sign table in Part 6—
 - (a) when that marking is being used to separate a cycle lane from another part of the carriageway; and
 - (b) where the direction of travel along the cycle lane and the part of the carriageway from which it is separated is the same.
- (2) Subject to sub-paragraphs (3) to (5), the marking conveys the requirement that a vehicle, other than a pedal cycle, must not be driven, or ridden, in the cycle lane during the cycle lane's hours of operation (which may be all the time).
- (3) Sub-paragraph (2) does not prohibit a vehicle from crossing into the part of the carriageway reserved for pedal cycles, or straddling the marking, if it is safe and necessary to do so—
 - (a) in order to pass a stationary vehicle;
 - (b) to enable the vehicle to enter, from the side of the road on which it is proceeding, land or premises adjacent to the length of road on which the line is placed, or another road joining that road;
 - (c) due to circumstances outside the control of the driver;
 - (d) in order to avoid an accident; or
 - (e) for the purpose of complying with any direction of a constable in uniform or a traffic warden.
- (4) When a vehicle is being used for at least one of the purposes mentioned at sub-paragraph (5) and the observance of the prohibition in sub-paragraph (2) would be likely to hinder the use of the vehicle for that purpose, then that prohibition does not apply to the driver of the vehicle.
 - (5) The purposes are—
 - (a) fire and rescue authority;
 - (b) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (c) ambulance;
 - (d) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (e) bomb or explosive disposal;

- (f) special forces;
- (g) police; and
- (h) National Crime Agency.

Provisions applicable to signs in Parts 2, 4 and 6

- 1.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), section 36 of the 1988 Act applies to the sign.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) applies to the sign provided for at item 7 of the Part 6 sign table only where that marking is used to indicate the boundary of a mandatory with-flow cycle lane during the cycle lane's hours of operation (which may be all the time).
- **2.** The sign is specified for the purposes of column 5 of the entry in Schedule 2 to the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988(**81**) relating to offences under section 36 of the 1988 Act.
- **3.** Where the sign is placed temporarily on a road by a constable or person acting under the instructions (whether general or specific) to the chief officer of police for the purposes of indicating a temporary statutory provision, the diameter may be reduced to not less than 200 mm.
- **4.** The central part of the road marking must not project above the surface of the adjacent carriageway more than 125 mm at its highest point or 6 mm at its perimeter.
- **5.**—(1) The overall shape and size of the road marking, within the overall dimensions shown, may be varied as appropriate.
- (2) Parts of a boundary line may be omitted when the edge of the marking is adjacent to a raised kerb.
 - (3) Parts of the marking may be omitted where tram rails cross the marking.
- (4) Parts of the marking may be omitted to indicate the edge of the path taken by a tramcar and, where parts of the marking are so omitted, the remaining parts must be bounded by a continuous yellow line.
- **6.** The height of the marking above the surface of the adjacent carriageway must be within the range of dimensions indicated on the lower part of the diagram at item 8 of Part 6 in illustrating the cross-section of the marking.
- 7.—(1) Subject to sub paragraph (2), where the sign is placed on a road subject to a speed limit greater than 20 mph and is within 50 metres of any lamp which forms part of a system of street-lighting, the illumination requirements 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.

^{(81) 1988} c. 53.

- (2) Sub paragraph (1) applies to the sign at item 5 of the Part 4 table only when placed within 50 metres of any junction with another road from which traffic can approach it.
 - **8.** The sign need not be illuminated.
- **9.** The road marking must be reflectorised where indicating the boundary of a mandatory cycle lane.
 - **10.**—(1) When the road marking is used, studs must also be placed.
 - (2) The studs must incorporate—
 - (a) white reflectors;
 - (b) white retroreflecting material;
 - (c) a light source that emits, during the hours of darkness, a steady white light; or
 - (d) any combination.
- (3) In the case of the markings shown in parts A and C of the diagram, the studs must be fitted as a single line between the continuous line and the non-continuous line of the marking and be spaced not less than 3 metres nor more than 4.5 metres apart.
- (4) In the case of the marking shown in in part B of the diagram, the studs must be fitted either in opposite pairs within the width of each of the two lines that run longitudinally to the flow of traffic or as a single line between those lines and in either case the studs must be placed not less than 3 metres nor more than 4.5 metres from the nest stud in the line.
- (5) In the case of the marking shown in part D of the diagram, the studs must form a single line between the continuous line and the non-continuous line of the marking and be spaced not less than 3 metres nor more than 4.5 metres apart and the direction of the line of studs is not to be changed by reason of the switching of the continuous and non-continuous lines of the marking as shown in the diagram at that part.
 - (6) The external part of the stud that is visible when the stud is in place must be—
 - (a) white;
 - (b) of a natural metallic finish;
 - (c) of another neutral colour; or
 - (d) clear,
 - or any combination (but see sub-paragraph (7) for an exception).
- (7) The external part of a stud that is visible when the stud is in place temporarily during road works must be fluorescent green-yellow except to the extent—
 - (a) it consists of white reflectors or retroreflecting material; or
 - (b) it is necessary for it to be a different colour or clear in order for the stud to emit white light.
 - 11.—(1) When the marking is used, studs must also be placed.
 - (2) The studs must incorporate—
 - (a) white reflectors;
 - (b) white retroreflecting material; or
 - (c) a light source that emits, during the hours of darkness, a steady white light, or any combination.
- (3) The studs must be fitted in opposite pairs within the width of each of the two lines that run longitudinally to the flow of traffic and the studs must be placed not less than 3 metres nor more than 4.5 metres apart.

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- (4) The external part of the stud that is visible when the stud is in place must be—
 - (a) white;
 - (b) of a natural metallic finish;
 - (c) of another neutral colour; or
 - (d) clear,
 - or any combination (but see sub-paragraph (5) for an exception).
- (5) The external part of a stud that is visible when the stud is in place temporarily during road works must be fluorescent green-yellow except to the extent—
 - (a) it consists of white reflectors or retroreflecting material; or
 - (b) it is necessary for it to be a different colour or clear in order for the stud to emit white light.
 - **12.**—(1) When the marking is used, studs may also be placed.
 - (2) The studs must incorporate—
 - (a) red reflectors;
 - (b) red retroreflecting material; or
 - (c) a light source that emits, during the hours of darkness, a steady red light, or any combination.
- (3) The studs must be fitted at the side of, and adjacent to the solid line forming the boundary of the marking.
 - (4) The external part of the stud that is visible when the stud is in place must be—
 - (a) red
 - (b) white;
 - (c) of a natural metallic finish;
 - (d) of another neutral colour; or
 - (e) clear,
 - or any combination (but see sub-paragraph (5) for an exception).
- (5) The external part of a stud that is visible when the stud is in place temporarily during road works must be fluorescent green-yellow except to the extent—
 - (a) it consists of red reflectors or retroreflecting material; or
 - (b) it is necessary for it to be a different colour or clear in order for the stud to emit red light.
 - **13.** The road marking must be reflectorised.
- **14.** The road marking may, except at a roundabout, be varied by replacing the boundary line with the marking at item 12 or 13 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11.
 - 15. The road marking may be varied as follows—
 - (a) the pattern of diagonal lines on each side of the level crossing may be extended longitudinally within the limit of the marking by increasing the number of diamond shapes on the approach side and the number of diagonal crosses on the leaving side; and
 - (b) parts of the marking may be omitted to accommodate the road markings at—
 - (i) diagram A of item 23 in the Part 6 sign table; or
 - (ii) item 2 or 3 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11.
 - **16.** The road marking may be varied as follows—

- (a) the pattern of diagonal lines on each side of the level crossing may be extended longitudinally within the limit of the marking by increasing the number of diamond shapes on the approach side and the number of diagonal crosses on the leaving side; and
- (b) parts of the marking may be omitted to accommodate the road markings at item 2 or 3 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 11.

The Schedule 9 General Directions

- 1.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the sign must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to the sign provided for at item 7 of the Part 6 sign table where the sign is used to indicate the boundary of a mandatory with-flow cycle lane.
- **2.** The sign must only be placed to indicate the effect of a statutory provision which restricts the use of the road carried by a bridge or other structure—
 - (a) in the case of vehicles required to be marked with their maximum gross weight, to any vehicle with a maximum gross weight not exceeding that indicated on the sign; or
 - (b) in the case of vehicles not required to be marked with their maximum gross weight but required to be marked with their unladen weight, to any vehicle with an unladen weight not exceeding the gross weight indicated on the sign.
- **3.** The sign may only be placed at a junction with another road if the same sign has not been placed on the other road so as to control traffic passing through the junction on that other road.
- **4.**—(1) The stop sign must only be placed in conjunction with the road markings at items 1 ("the diagram 1002.1 marking") and 2 ("the diagram 1022 marking") of the sign table in Part 6.
- (2) The diagram 1002.1 marking must only be placed in conjunction with the stop sign and the diagram 1022 marking.
- (3) The diagram 1022 marking must only be placed in conjunction with the stop sign and the diagram 1002.1 marking.
- **5.** The sign provided for at item 2 of the sign table in Part 2 must only be placed in conjunction with the road markings at items 3 and 4 of the sign table in Part 6.
- **6.**—(1) The sign provided for at item 6 in the sign table in Part 2 must only be placed in conjunction with—
 - (a) the road markings provided for at item 5 and 6 of the sign table in Part 6; or
 - (b) the road markings shown in that sign table at items 3, 4 and 5 where the sign is placed in conjunction with the sign at item 2 in the sign table in Part 2.
- (2) The road marking provided for at item 5 of the sign table in Part 6 must only be placed in conjunction with the sign at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2.
- 7. The sign must only be placed in conjunction with a sign at item 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 2.
- **8.**—(1) The requirement in paragraph 4, 5 or 6 to place a relevant upright sign in conjunction with a relevant marking does not apply during the execution of works if—
 - (a) those works necessitate the temporary removal of the marking; or

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- (b) the sign is placed only temporarily in connection with the execution of works on a road.
- (2) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1) "relevant upright sign" and "relevant marking" mean—
 - (a) in the case of paragraph 4, the sign and marking referred to in that paragraph;
 - (b) in the case of paragraph 5, the sign and marking referred to in that paragraph; and
 - (c) in the case of paragraph 6, the sign and marking referred to in that paragraph.
- **9.** The road marking must not be placed on an area of carriageway at a gyratory system or roundabout unless entry of traffic into that area of carriageway is at all times controlled by traffic light signals.
- **10.** The sign must only be placed in combination with the sign at item 1 or 2 of the sign table in Part 2.
 - 11. The sign must only be placed in combination with the sign at item 2 of the sign table in Part 2.
- **12.** The road marking must only be placed in conjunction with the road marking at item 3 or 6 of the sign table in Part 6.
 - **13.** The back of the sign may be of any colour.
- **14.** The road marking may only be placed in conjunction with the road marking at item 9 of the sign table in Part 6.

SCHEDULE 10

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs for speed limits

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

- 1. Information or a restriction of a description in column 2 of an item in the Part 2 sign table must be conveyed by a sign which—
 - (a) is of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size, shown in the diagram in column 3 of the item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
- **2.** A provision of Part 3 applies to a sign provided for in the Part 2 sign table where indicated in column 5 of that table (by reference to a paragraph number in Part 3).
- **3.** A Schedule 10 General Direction applies to a sign where indicated in column 6 of the Part 2 sign table (by reference to a number equivalent to the Schedule 10 General Direction in Part 4).

PART 2
Signs and road markings indicating speed limits

Sign table — Schedule 10, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescriptio	n Diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable provision in Part 3	Schedule 10 General Directions
1	Diagram 670 Maximum speed limit in mph	300 450 600 750 900 1200 1500	1. The numerals may be varied 2. The diameter of the sign may be varied to 1300 mm when displayed as a variable message sign by means of light emitting characters and symbols	1, 2, 3	2, 4, 6
2	Diagram 671 National speed limits apply	450 600 750 900 1200 1500		2, 3	3, 4
3	Diagram 672 Minimum speed limit in mph	300 450 600 900	The numerals may be varied	2, 3	4
4	Diagram 673 End of minimum speed limit	600 900	The numerals may be varied	2, 3	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescriptio	n Diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable provision in Part 3	Schedule 10 General Directions
5	Diagram 674 Entrance to a zone where a maximum speed limit of 20 mph is in force	20 ZONE 80 Beesworth = 3	1. The place name may be varied, omitted or varied to a road safety slogan 2. The symbol or pictogram in the lower panel may be varied or omitted 3. The place name may be in any style of lettering. Any gentrasting colours except red may be used for the place name and the background of that part of the sign. Advertising material or political slogans must not be included on the sign 4 The lower panel may be omitted	3	1, 4
6	Diagram 675A End of a 20 mph speed limit zone with indication of maximum speed limit in mph	500 30 Zone ENDS	The numerals in the upper panel may be varied 40 50	3	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescriptio	n Diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable provision in Part 3	Schedule 10 General Directions
7	Diagram 675B End of a 20 mph speed limit zone with indication that national speed limits apply	500 Zone ENDS	= 40 = 50	3	4
8	Diagram 676 Entrance to a zone where a maximum speed limit of 40 mph is in force	600, 750 500 625 40 ZONE	80 100	2, 3	4
9	Diagram 1065 Road marking indicating the maximum speed limit (Alternative sizes)	1500	The numerals may be varied 500 2800 1500	4	2, 4(a), 5

PART 3

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

- 1. Where the sign is a variable message sign which displays the numeral by means of light-emitting characters or symbols in such a way that the sign is only visible when associated equipment detects the presence of a vehicle exceeding the speed limit indicated by the sign, the variable message sign may display, beneath the sign displayed on it, the legend "SLOW DOWN" in characters having a height not less than one quarter of the height of the displayed sign.
- 2. Where the sign is a terminal sign and is erected on a trunk or principal road within 50 metres of any lamp lit by electricity that has been placed there in order to provide illumination to users of the road, the illumination requirements for the sign are—
 - (a) where the lamp is illuminated throughout the hours of darkness, the sign must be illuminated by internal or external lighting for so long as the lamp is illuminated and may also be reflectorised; or
 - (b) where the lamp is not illuminated throughout the hours of darkness—
 - (i) the sign must be illuminated by internal or external lighting for so long as the lamp 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.
- **3.** Two or more signs placed at, or near, the same point for the same purpose must, if they are terminal signs, be illuminated by the same method.
 - **4.** The road marking must be reflectorised.

PART 4

The Schedule 10 General Directions

- 1.—(1) The sign provided for at item 5 of the sign table in Part 2 ("the diagram 674 sign") may only be placed where no part of the road to which the speed limit applies is more than 50 metres from a traffic calming feature.
- (2) The restriction in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply in respect of a road which is a cul-desac that is less than 80 metres long.
 - (3) Each of the following is a traffic calming feature—
 - (a) a road hump constructed pursuant to section 90A of the Highways Act 1980(82) ("the 1980 Act") or section 36 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(83) and in accordance with the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999(84) or the Road Humps (Scotland) Regulations 1998(85);
 - (b) traffic calming works constructed in accordance with section 90G of the 1980 Act(86) or section 39A of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984(87) and in accordance with the Highways

^{(82) 1980} c. 66. Section 90A was inserted by the Transport Act 1981 (c. 56), Schedule 10, Part 1, paragraph 2 and amended by: the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), Schedule 4, paragraph 12; the Local Government Act 1985 (c. 51) Schedule 17; the Deregulation Act 2015 (c. 20), Schedule 10, paragraph 14.

^{(83) 1984} c. 54. Section 36 was amended by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), Schedule 4, paragraph 38.

⁽⁸⁴⁾ S.I. 1999/1025; amended by S.I. 2005 S.I. 2004/3168, S.I. 2005/2929 and S.I. 2015/377.

⁽⁸⁵⁾ S.I. 1999/1448; amended by S.I. 1999/1000 and S.S.I. 2002/419.

⁽⁸⁶⁾ Section 90G was inserted by the Traffic Calming Act 1992 (c. 30), section 1(2), Schedule 1 and amended by the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (c. 29), section 269(1) to (3).

⁽⁸⁷⁾ Section 39A was inserted by the Traffic Calming Act 1992, section 2(1), Schedule 2.

- (Traffic Calming) Regulations 1999(88) or the Roads (Traffic Calming) (Scotland) Regulations 1994(89);
- (c) a refuge for pedestrians which was constructed pursuant to section 68 of the 1980 Act, or section 27(c) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984, after 15th June 1999 and is constructed so as to encourage a reduction in the speed of traffic using the carriageway;
- (d) a variation of the relative widths of the carriageway or of any footway pursuant to section 75 of the 1980 Act, or section 1(1) or 2(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984, which—
 - (i) was carried out after 15th June 1999 for the purpose of encouraging a reduction in the speed of traffic using the carriageway; and
 - (ii) had the effect of reducing the width of the carriageway;
- (e) a horizontal bend in the carriageway through which all vehicular traffic has to change direction by no less than 70 degrees within a distance of 32 metres as measured at the inner kerb radius;
- (f) a sign provided for at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table varied to "20"; or
- (g) a road marking provided for at item 9 of that table varied to "20".
- (4) At least one traffic calming feature as defined in paragraph (2)(a) to (e) must be placed within the zone indicated by the diagram 674 sign.
- (5) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1), the distance of 50 metres is to be measured along roads to which the speed limit indicated by the diagram 674 sign applies.
- **2.** The sign must not be placed as a repeater sign where the road is subject to a maximum speed limit of 30 mph and has a system of carriageway lighting.
 - 3. The sign must not be placed as a repeater sign—
 - (a) on a motorway; or
 - (b) where a road, other than a motorway, does not have a system of carriageway lighting.
 - 4. The sign—
 - (a) must only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which restricts the use of the road by traffic; and
 - (b) when placed as a terminal sign, must be placed as near as practicable to the point that the speed limit begins or ends.
- 5. If the road marking is placed to indicate where a maximum speed limit commences, it must be placed in conjunction with an upright sign provided for at item 1, 5, 6 or 8 of the Part 2 sign table.
 - **6.**—(1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where the backing board for the sign is yellow.
- (2) When placed on the same backing board as the sign provided for at item 81 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11, the backing board may be of any shape.

⁽⁸⁸⁾ S.I. 1999/1026; amended by S.I. 2000/1511.

⁽⁸⁹⁾ S.I. 1994/2488; amended by S.I. 1999/1000 and S.S.I 2002/419.

SCHEDULE 11

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs that give information, are advisory or guide traffic

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

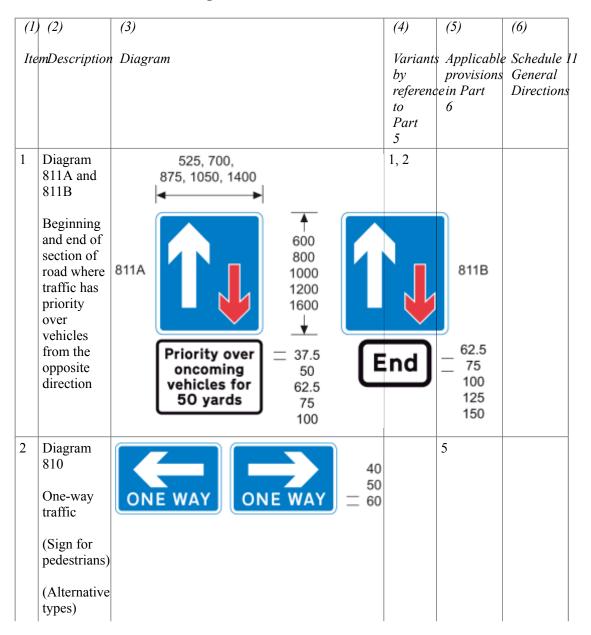
- 1. Except for item 75, a warning or information of a description in column 2 of an item in the Part 2 sign table must be conveyed by a sign which is—
 - (a) of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

shown in the diagram in column 3 of the item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4 (by reference to paragraphs in Part 5).

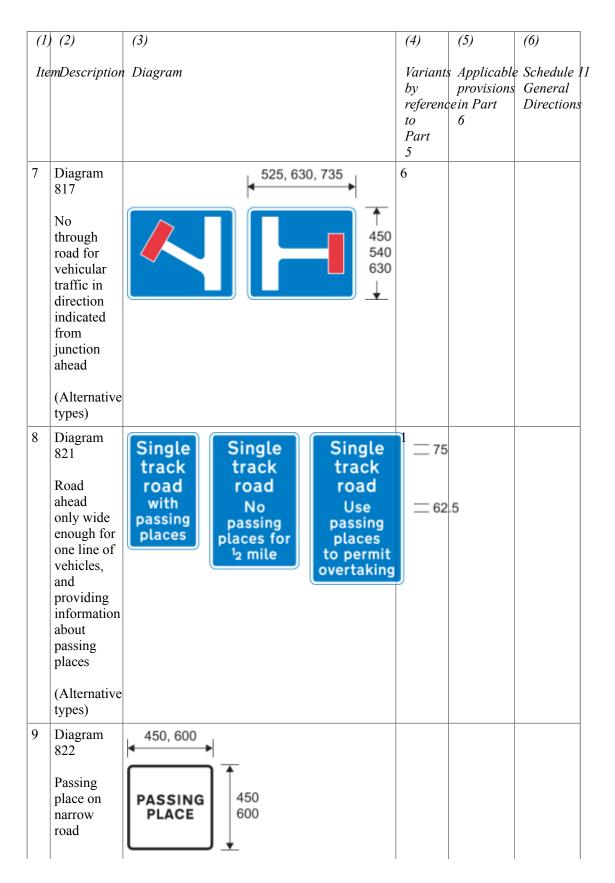
- 2. In respect of item 75 (traffic mirror), the mirror must be as specified in column 3.
- **3.** A paragraph of Part 6, specified by reference to a number in column 5 of an item in the Part 2 sign table, applies to the sign provided for at that item.
- **4.** A number in column 6 of an item in the Part 2 sign table indicates that the Schedule 11 General Direction bearing that number applies to the sign provided for at that item.

PART 2
Advisory signs

Sign table — Schedule 11, Part 2



(1)	(2)	(3)			(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram			by	Applicable provisions ein Part 6	Schedule II General Directions
3	Diagrams 814.2 and 814.4 Ramped access to or from a pedestrian subway or overbridge	500 → 500 yards 50 yards 814.2	50 yards 814.4		1, 2, 4, 5, 54	5	
4	Diagrams 814.1 and 814.3 Stepped access to and from a pedestrian subway or overbridge	814.1	814.3	300	4	5	
5	Diagram 816 No through road for vehicular traffic (Alternative types)	400, 480, 560	400 480 560 \$\rightarrow\$Excelecycle	pt = 6	7.5 50 2.5 75		
6	Diagram 816.1 Alternative to the sign shown at item 5 with a street nameplate		SHAM	180 min 300 max		5 min 5 max	



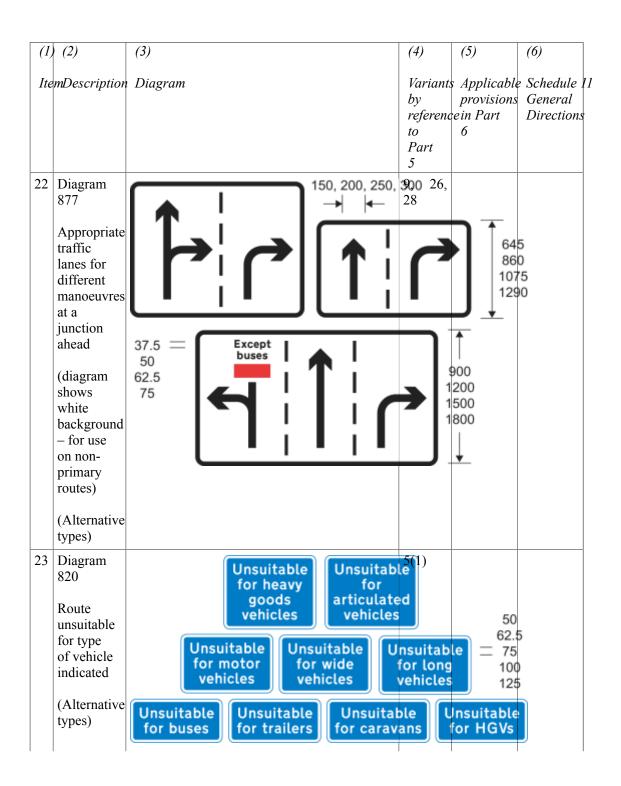
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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
10	Diagrams 892 and 893 Name and length of a tunnel on a motorway (892) or all-purpose road (893)	HATFIELD TUNNEL Length 14 miles KINGSWAY TUNNEL Length 112 miles	8 200 m 300 m 50 r 300 r	nin	
11	Diagram 818.1 Section of dual carriageway road ahead	Dual 75 carriageway 100 2 miles 150 ahead 200	1, 2		
12	Diagram 818.1A Distance over which a short length of dual carriageway road beginning directly ahead extends (Alternative types)		75 100 125 150 200		
13	Diagram 820.1 Absence of hard shoulder for the	No hard shoulder 400 yards ahead No hard shoulder for 400 yards	er Z	250 min 400 max	

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram			by	s Applicable provisions cein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	distance shown (Alternative types)						
14	Diagrams 873 and 874 Additional traffic joining from the left or right ahead (diagram shows blue background – for use on motorways)	240, 320, 400	120 160 = 200	200 ya	1, 2, 6, 26, 27		
15	Diagram 872.1 The number of traffic lanes reduces ahead (diagram shows blue background – for use on motorways) (Alternative types)	240,	320, 400	120 160 = 200	1, 2, 6, 26, 27		

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Ite	mDescription	n Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
16	Diagram 887 Overtaking lane ahead	Overtaking lane 2 miles ahead 100 125 150	1, 2		
17	Diagram 888 Indication of length of road over which an overtaking lane is available on a single carriageway road, with a single traffic lane in the opposite direction (diagram shows green background – for use on primary routes)	1170 1560 For 2 miles = 120 = 160	1, 27		
18	Diagram 889 Indication that only one lane of traffic, with no overtaking, is available	↑ 1530, 2040 → 1170 1560 ↓	27		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions eein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	on a single carriageway road with two traffic lanes in the opposite direction (diagram shows green background – for use on primary routes)				
19	Diagram 890 Distance ahead to a point where an overtaking lane ends on a single carriageway road (diagram shows green background – for use on primary routes)	1260 1680 300 yards = 120 160	1, 2, 27		
20	Diagram 891 Distance ahead to a point where an overtaking lane ends on a single carriageway	1260 1680 300 yards = 120 160	1, 2, 27		

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Ite	mDescription	Diag	ram			by	s Applicable provisions cein Part 6	Schedule II General Directions
	road on the approach to a dual carriageway road with only one traffic lane in each direction (diagram shows green background – for use on primary routes)							
21	Diagrams 823, 824 and 825 Distance in hundreds of yards to a roundabout or the next point at which traffic may leave a route (diagram shows blue background – for use on motorways)	1200	823	824	825	4, 26, 27		



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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	Applicable provisions ein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
24	Diagram 820A Road unsuitable for heavy goods vehicles (Alternative types)	for HGVs for	uitable heavy ods icles	50 — 62.5 75 100 125	
25	Diagram 829.5 Area where police carry out checks on the speed of vehicles	POLICE Speed check area 50 min 200 max			
26	Diagram 829.6 Waiting place for police or authorised vehicles only (Alternative types)	Police patrol vehicles only only	ed	5	
27	Diagram 881 Start of a home zone designated under section 268 of the Transport	Basonville Home Zone = 40 50	24		

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	Act 2000(90), or section 74(1) of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2001(91)				
28	Diagram 882 End of a home zone indicated by the sign at item 27	Home Zone ENDS = 40 50			
29	Diagram 886 Road ahead where motorists, cyclists and pedestrians should expect to share the same space	Share space = 40 50			

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions ein Part 6	Schedule II General Directions
30	Diagram 884 Start of a quiet lane in England designated under section 268 of the Transport Act 2000	Fenny Moor Quiet Lane = 20 min 40 max	24		
31	Diagram 885 End of designated quiet lane in England	Quiet Lane ENDS = 20 min 40 max			
32	Diagram 883 Indication of the start of area with traffic calming features (within the meaning of paragraph 1(3) of the Schedule 10 General Directions)	Turner's Green Traffic calmed area 50 62.5 75 100 125	1, 5(1), 24		
33	Diagram 953.3 Entrance to a bus	BUSES = 40 min 100 max		5	

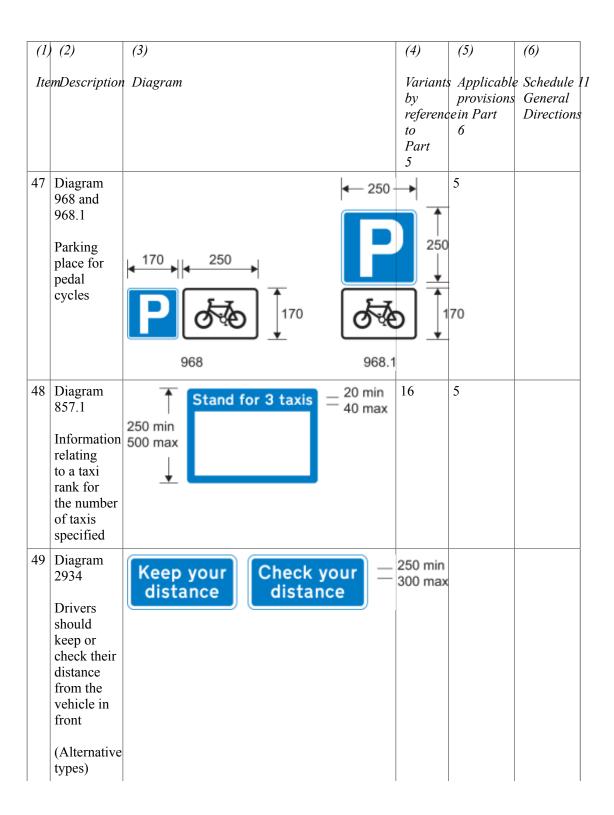
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Ite	mDescription	Diagram		by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	station, depot or garage					
34	Diagram 962 Bus lane or lanes on a road at junction ahead, with indication of times of operation (Alternative types)	Bus lane Mon - Fri 7 - 9 am 4 - 6 pm	Bus lanes Mon - Fri 7 - 9 am 4 - 6 pm	Mor 7-9	lane n - Fri 9 am 6 pm	50 60
35			50 60	4, 10, 12		
36	Diagram 962.2 Contraflow bus lane ahead on a road at a junction which pedal cycles may also use	Bus and cycle lane	Bus and cycle lane	50 60		

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram		Variants by reference to Part 5	provisions	Schedule II General Directions
	(Alternative types)					
37	Diagram 958 With-flow bus lane ahead which authorised vehicles, solo motor cycles, pedal cycles and taxis may also use, with indication of times of operation	7 - 10 am	50 60 80	10, 11, 13, 14		
38	Diagram 958.1 With-flow mandatory cycle lane ahead, with indication of times of operation		50 60	10, 14		
39	Diagram 2602.2 Numbered route for pedal cycles forming part of a	640 640 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14	<i>ó</i> √⁄₀ 14 (16)	25 √b 4 (16		min max

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram		by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	regional (blue number patch) or national (red number patch) cycle route network (Alternative types)					
40		BUS LANE LOOK RIGHT	BUS LANES LOOK BOTH WAYS	BUS LA		40 50
41	Diagram 963.1 Direction in which pedestrians should look for approaching pedal cycles when crossing a cycle lane	CYCLE LANE LOOK RIGHT	CYCLE LANES OOO LOOK BOTH WAYS	e	E LANE	

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Ite	emDescription	Diagram		by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	(Alternative types)					
42	Diagram 963.2 Direction in which pedestrians should look for approaching traffic when crossing a contraflow bus lane which pedal cycles may also use	BUS AND CYCLE LANE	BUS AND CYCLE LANES OOD LOOK BOTH WAYS	CYCI	S AND LE LANE	
43	types)				5	
43	Diagram 963.3 Direction in which pedestrians should look for approaching tramcars when crossing a tramway (Alternative types)	TRAMWAY LOOK LEFT	LOOK BOTH WAYS	TRAM LOOK I	WAY	40 = 50

Iter	mDescription	Diagram	Variants	4 1. 1.1	
			by	s Applicable provisions cein Part 6	Schedule II General Directions
	Diagram 967 Route recommende for pedal cycles on the main carriageway of a road	300 375		5	
	Diagram 965 End of cycle lane, track or route	END OF 40 50 ROUTE		5	
	Diagram 966 Pedal cyclists to rejoin main carriageway or dismount at the end of, or at a break in, a cycle track or route (Alternative	CYCLISTS CYCLISTS REJOIN CARRIAGEWAY	CYC RE CARRI	LISTS JOIN AGEWAY	= 30 40 50

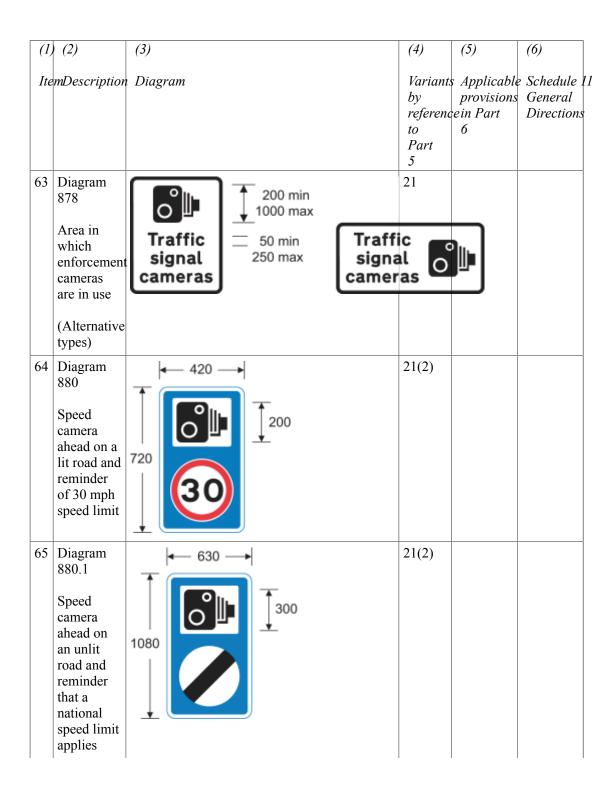


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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions ein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
50	Diagram 2933 Drivers should keep a distance of two chevron markings (the markings provided for at item 34 of the table in Part 4) from the vehicle in front	Keep apart 2 chevrons = 250 min 300 max			
51	Diagrams 2032 and 2130 Primary route (2032) or non-primary route (2130) forming part of a ring road	250 min 600 max 300 min 720 max 2130			
52	Diagram 972 Stopping place for buses used for carrying tourists	320, 480 ———————————————————————————————————	17, 34	5	2

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	Applicable provisions ein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	to allow passengers to take photographs				
53	Diagram 857A Information for pedestrians about tourist destinations and leisure facilities in a nearby place or area		18, 19 0 min 0 max	5	
54	Diagram 857B Information for pedestrians about tourist destinations and leisure facilities in a nearby place or area		18 0 min 0 max	5	
55	Diagram 2501 Distance to a parking place ahead	300 400 500 600 800 75 100 125 150 200	1, 5(1)		

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions ein Part 6	Schedule I General Directions
56	Diagram 801 Parking place	375 500 625 750 1000 375, 500, 625, 750, 1000			
57	Diagram 2713.1 Distance ahead to emergency telephone in a parking place or emergency lay-by (Alternative	300 400 500 600 800 12 mile 90 120	1, 2, 5 ile	sos) 1 ₂ mile	75 100 — 125 150 200
58	types) Diagram 2713 Direction to nearest emergency telephone on same side of the road(diagram shows blue background – for use on motorways) (Alternative types)	32 min 40 max	53	5	

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions cein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
59	Diagram 2714 Side of emergency telephone box (Alternative types)	4083 B SOS 4083 70 225 70	29, 55	2, 6	
60	Diagram 2715 Back of emergency telephone box (Alternative types)	4083 B 4083 B 235 SOS 88	29, 55	2, 6	
61	Diagram 2718 Route number and location reference	— 100 min — 140 max 194.7	29		
62	Diagram 2712 Location of fire rendezvous point (Alternative types)	R.V.P. No.1 F.R.P. 475	20	5	

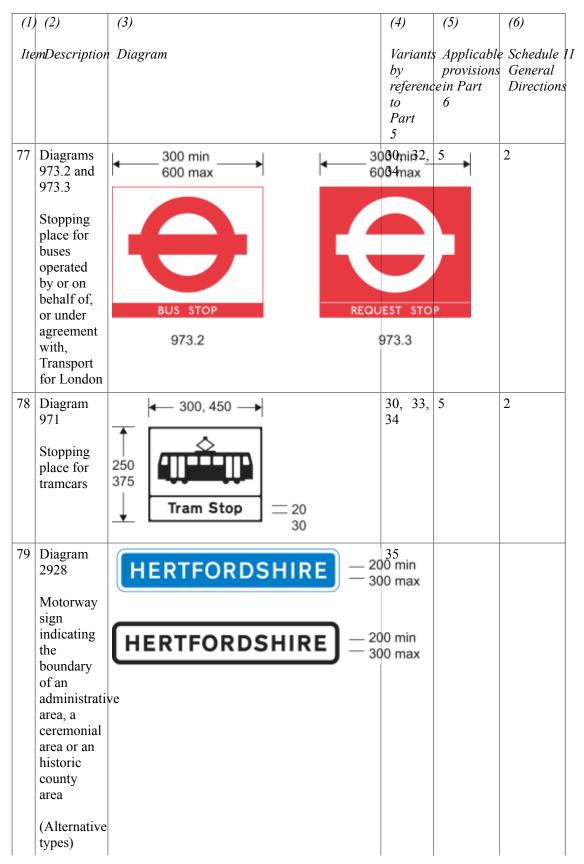


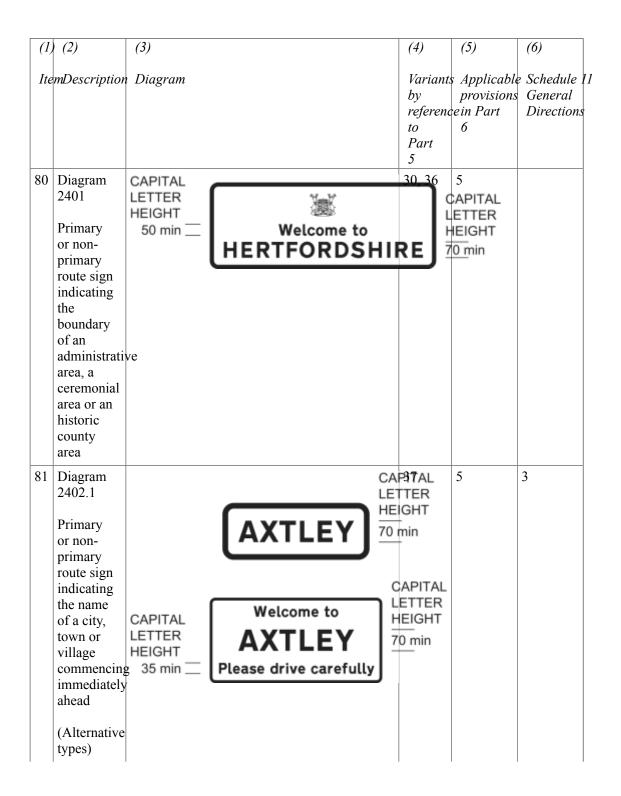
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66	Diagrams 827.1, 827.2 and 827.3 Hospital ahead	No A & E = 50 75	A & E = 60 = 90 = 40 = 60	not 2	injury hit 4 hrs	40 60
67	Diagram	027.1	027.2	02	7.5	
	Vehicular traffic must not stop within the area of a railway or tramway level crossing	KEEP CROSSING CLEAR	25 min 50 max			
68	Diagram 783 Drivers of long low, large or slow vehicles must telephone to obtain permission before using a railway or tramway level crossing (Alternative types)	DRIVERS OF LON LOW VEHICLES phone before crossing	= 100 min	OR SLO	RS OF LA OW VEHIO phone re crossio	CLES

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ItemDescriptio	n Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions ein Part 6	Schedule II General Directions
69 Diagram 785.1 Name of level crossing and details of telephone number for contacting railway or tramway operator	EMSWORTH 25 50 = 62.5 75 100 125	23		
70 Diagram 786 Place where large, slow or long low vehicles should wait near a railway or tramway level crossing while the driver obtains permission by telephone to cross or confirms he or she has crossed		Γ 5		

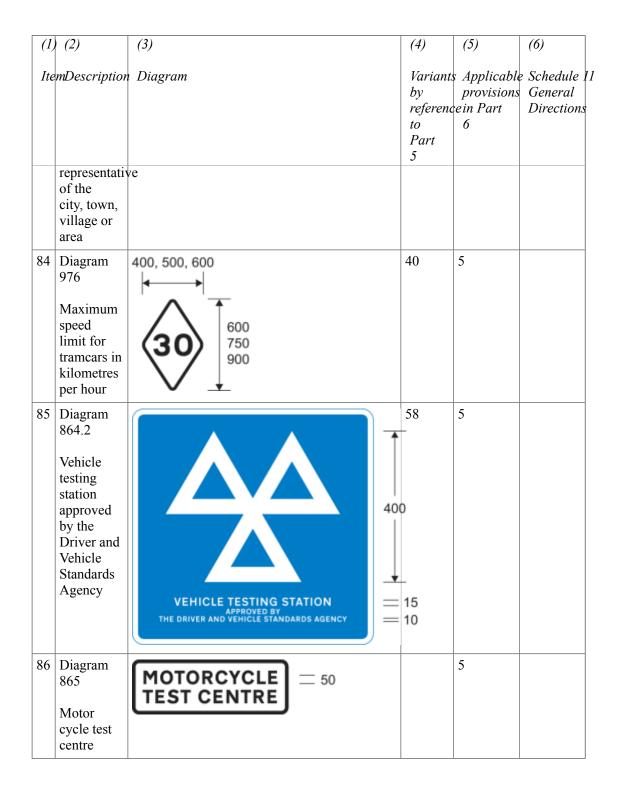
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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	Applicable provisions ein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
71	Diagram 787 Site of telephone or emergency telephone at or near a railway or tramway level crossing (Alternative types)	$ \begin{array}{c c} & 128 \\ \hline & 260 \\ \hline & 325 \\ \hline & SOS \\ \hline & 30 \end{array} $			
72	Diagram 788 Direction to telephone or emergency telephone at or near a railway or tramway level crossing (Alternative types)	520	\$40 \$600 \$600 \$500	(6)	50 2.5) 75)
73	Diagram 611 Vehicular traffic may reach the same destination by proceeding	270 300 450 600 750 900 1200		1, 4	1

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Ite	mDescription	Diagram	by	s Applicable provisions sein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
	either side of the sign				
74	Diagrams 833, 834, 835 and 836 Signs regulating the movement of vehicular traffic into and out of premises with more than one access to a road	300, 600 225 450 833 83	JT NO EXIT	5 30 E	NO NTRY 836
75	Traffic mirror for providing additional visibility (not for use with traffic signals)	The mirror must be convex and are be of a single colour, being black or white		13	
76	Diagram 970 Stopping place for buses	Bus Stop = 20 min 40 max	30, 31, 34	5	2





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Ite	mDescription	Diagram		by	s Applicable provisions ein Part 6	e Schedule II General Directions
82	Diagram 2403.1 Primary or non-primary route sign indicating the name of a city, town or village immediately ahead, together with extra local information	CAPITAL LETTER HEIGHT 35 min	Haven District Council Welcome to AXTLEY Please drive carefully Twinned with Cedant	30, 38 CAPITAL LETTER HEIGHT 70 min	5	4
83	Diagram 2404 Primary or non-primary route sign indicating the name of a city, town, village, an administrativarea, a ceremonial area or an historic county area immediately ahead, together with phrase and image that is	HEIGHT	Welcome to WESTVILLE The Flower City	CAPITAL LETTER HEIGHT 70 m		4



PART 3

Provisions applicable to markings in Part 4

1. The warning or information of a description in column 2 of an item in the Part 4 sign table must be conveyed by road markings that are—

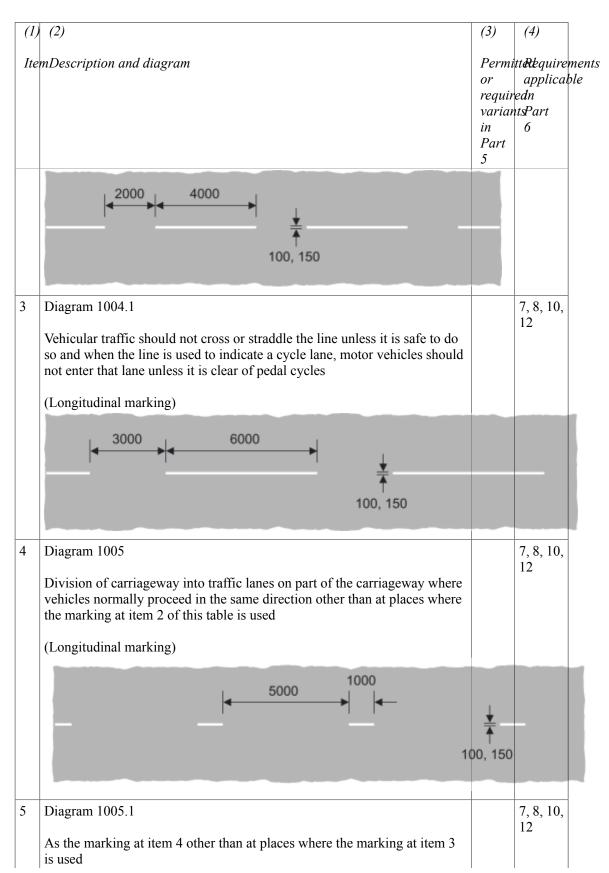
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- (a) of the colour and type; and
- (b) comply with the requirements as to size, shown in the diagram in the same column of the item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 3 (by reference to paragraphs in Part 5).
- **2.** A provision of Part 6 mentioned (by reference to paragraph number) in column 4 of an item in the Part 4 sign table applies to the marking provided for at that item.
- **3.** A reference to a "longitudinal marking" is to a marking placed on the carriageway of a road longitudinally to the flow of traffic.

PART 4
Advisory road markings

Sign table — Schedule 11, Part 4

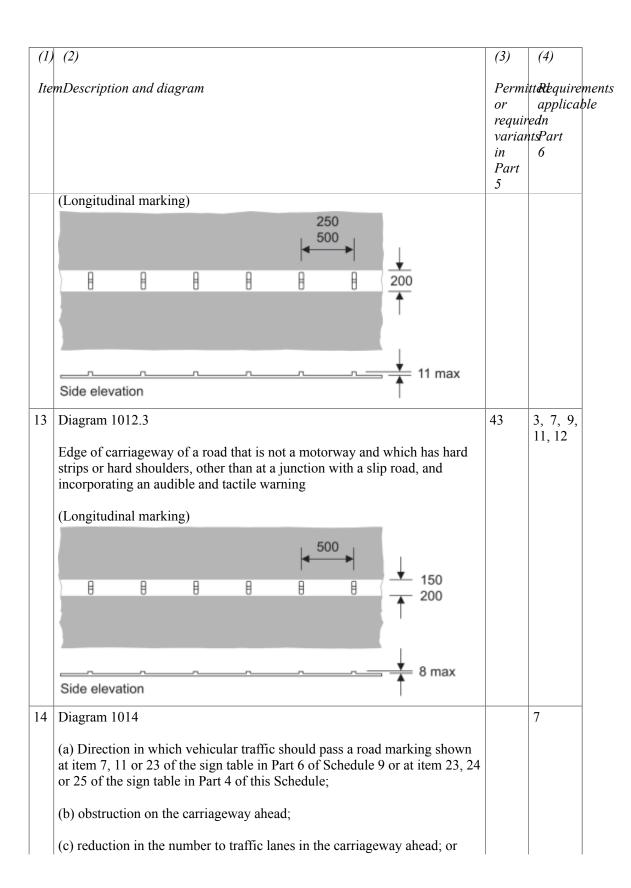
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1	Diagram 1003.1 Vehicular traffic approaching a roundabout should give way at or immediately beyond the line to vehicular traffic circulating on the carriageway of the roundabout 1000 1000 = 200 300		7
2	Diagram 1004 Vehicular traffic should not cross or straddle the line unless it is safe to do so and when the line is used to indicate a cycle lane, motor vehicles should not enter that lane unless it is clear of pedal cycles (Longitudinal marking)	57	7, 8, 10, 12



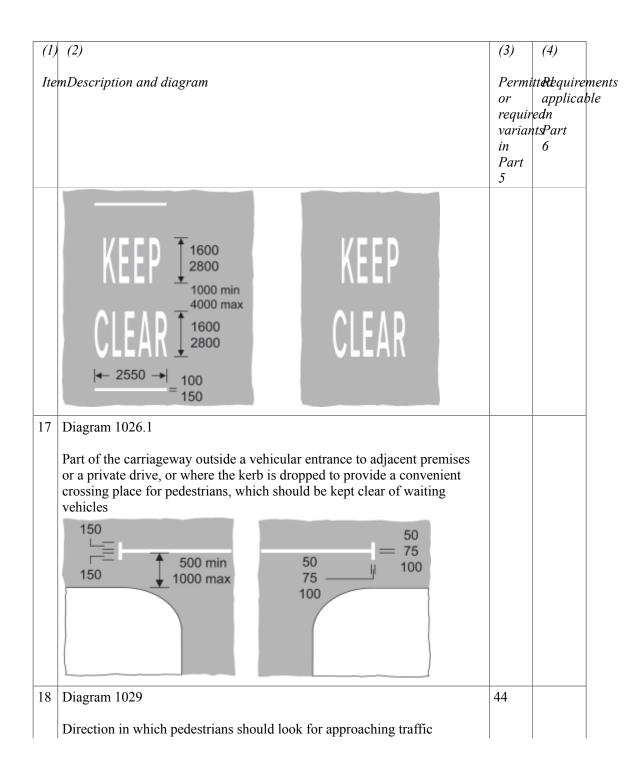
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(Longitudinal marking)			
7000	↓ 100, 1	50	
6 Diagram 1008	57	7, 8, 10,	
Division between opposing flows of traffic on a carriageway other than at places where the marking at item 2 is used		12	
(Longitudinal marking)			
 4000 2000 			
7 Diagram 1008.1 Division between opposing flows of traffic on a carriageway other than at places where the marking at item 3 is used		7, 8, 10, 12	
(Longitudinal marking)			
6000 → 3000	± ↑		
8 Diagram 1009A		7	1
Edge of the carriageway at a road junction, exit from a private drive onto public road, or the start of a cycle lane	a		
(Longitudinal marking)			

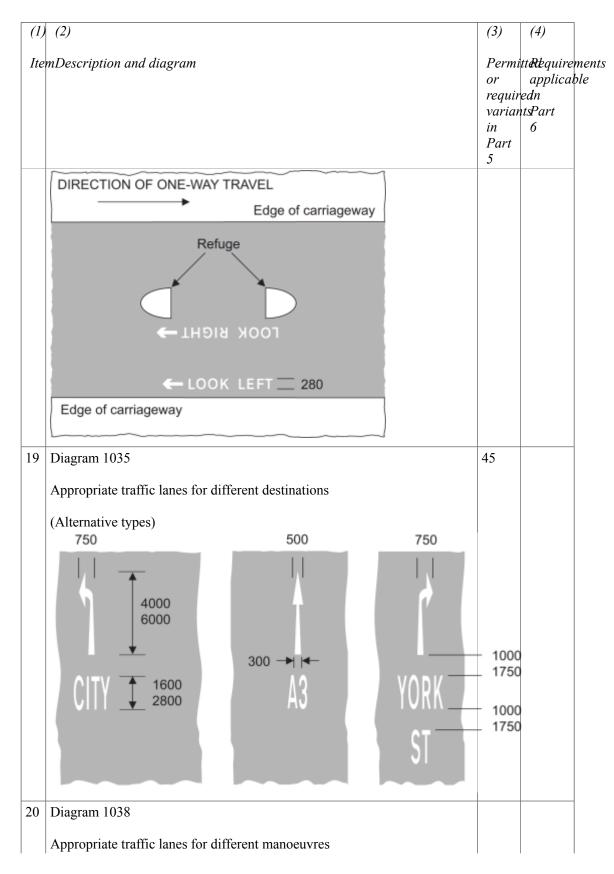
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Ite	mDescription and diagram	Permi or requir varian in Part 5	
	300 600 = 100 150 200		
9	Diagram 1009B		
	Edge of the carriageway at a junction of a cycle track and another road		
	(Longitudinal marking) 150 300 =================================		
10	Diagram 1010	41	7, 8, 11, 12
	(a) edge of the carriageway at a road junction or a lay-by, or at an exit from a private drive onto a public road;		
	(b) the start of a traffic lane, the boundary of which is indicated by the road marking shown at item 11 of the table in Part 6 of Schedule 9;		
	(c) when used in conjunction with the road marking at item 4 of the sign table in Part 4 of Schedule 2, the most suitable path to be taken by high vehicles under a low bridge or to avoid an overhanging structure;		
	(d) when laid alongside rails used by tramcars, the edge of the part of the carriageway used by the tramcars;		
	(e) the division between the main carriageway and a traffic lane which leaves the main carriageway at a junction ahead;		
	(f) the boundary between the main carriageway and either a diverging or merging traffic lane at a road junction;		
	(g) the boundary between an emergency refuge area and either an actively managed hard shoulder or the edge of carriageway of a motorway; or		
	(h) the division between the main carriageway and a cycle lane through a junction		

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Ite	mDescription and diagram	or requir	tt&equirements applicable edn ntsPart 6
	(Longitudinal marking) 100		
111	Diagram 1012.1 (a) edge of the carriageway available for through traffic other than at a road junction, an exit from a private drive onto a public road, lay-by or emergency refuge area; (b) the back edge of a hard shoulder; (c) the edge of a footway where it passes over a railway or tramway level crossing; or (d) the boundary between the carriageway of a motorway and an actively managed hard shoulder (Longitudinal marking)		7, 9, 11, 12
12	Diagram 1012.2 (a) edge of carriageway of a motorway other than at an emergency refuge area or a junction with a slip road; or (b) the back edge of an actively managed hard shoulder;	42	3, 7, 9, 11, 12
	and, in both cases, incorporating an audible and tactile warning		

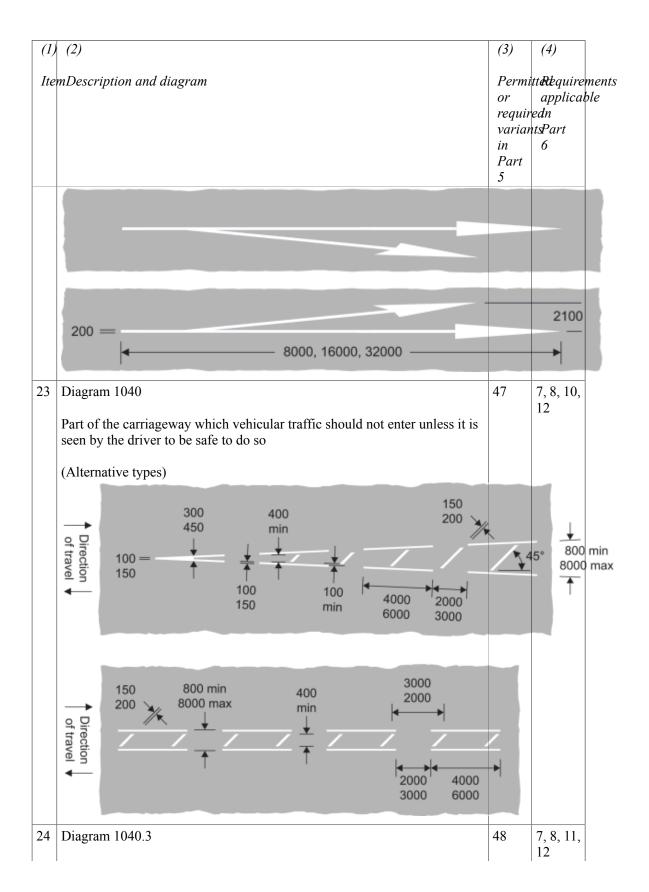


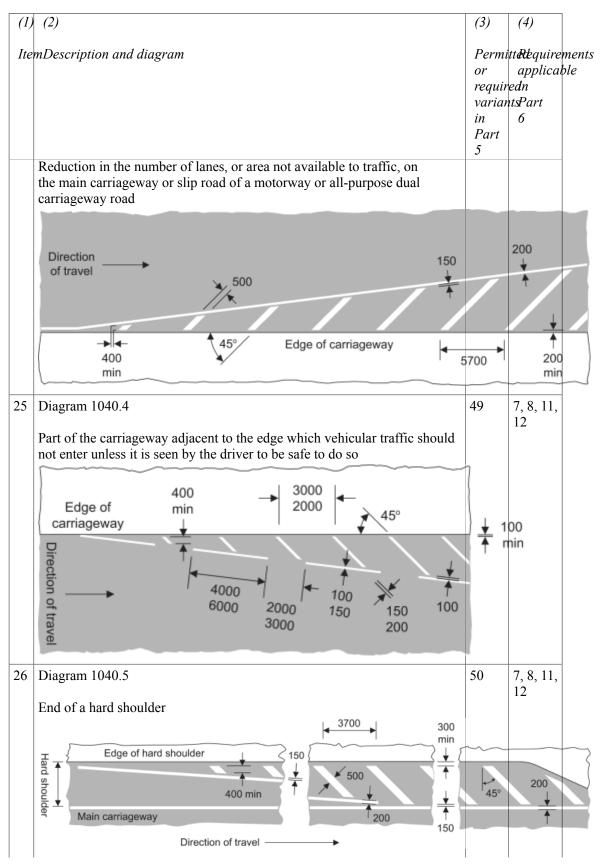
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(d) path to be taken by vehicular traffic to avoid a route available for tramcars only			
(Longitudinal marking)			
(Alternative types)			
4500, 6000, 9000 150 ± 525 700 1050 1500, 2000, 3000			
15 Diagram 1024		7	
Vehicular traffic should proceed with caution because of potential dange ahead 1600 2800	er		
16 Diagram 1026			
Part of the carriageway which should be kept clear of stationary vehicle	S		
(Alternative types)			

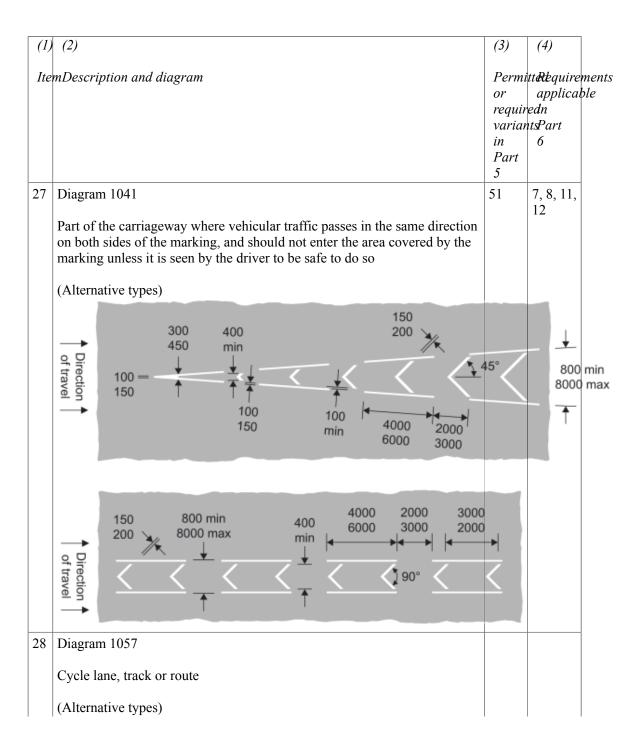


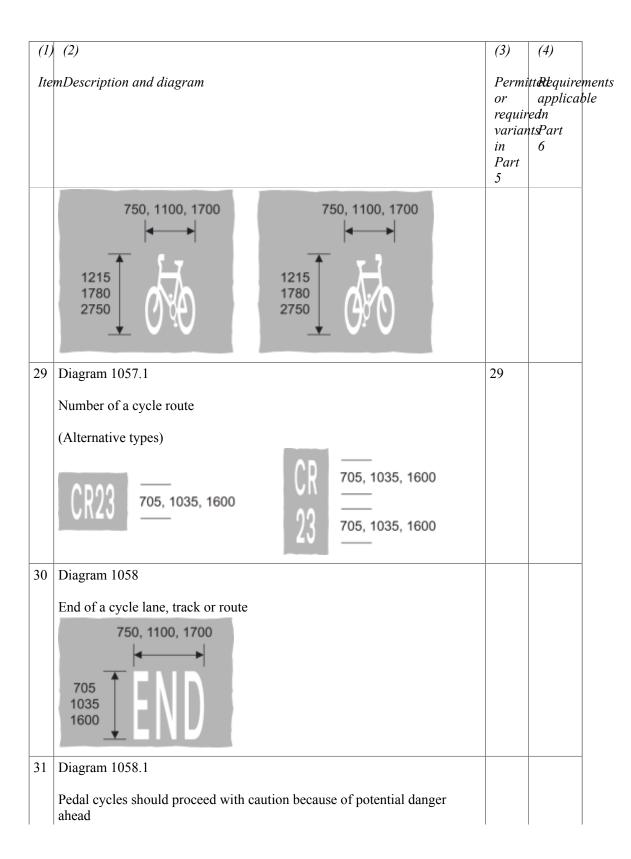


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(Longitudin	al marking)		
(Alternative	types)		
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300 =	<u>50</u> 0		1200
	850		
21 Diagram 10	38.1	46	
Appropriate	direction to be taken by traffic turning within a junction		
(Alternative	types)		
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22 Diagram 10	39		7
Place where	traffic streams divide or bifurcate		
(Longitudin	al marking)		
(Alternative	types)		

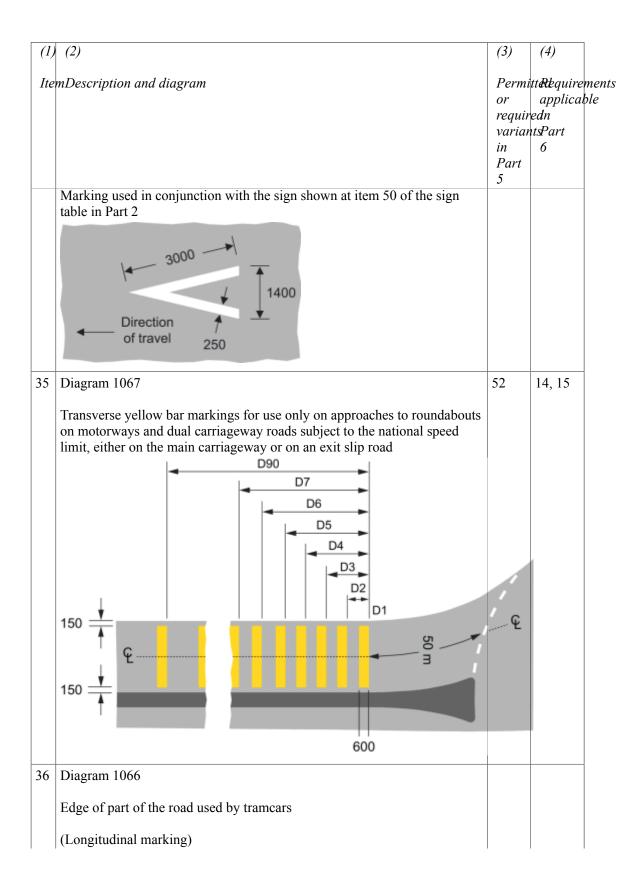


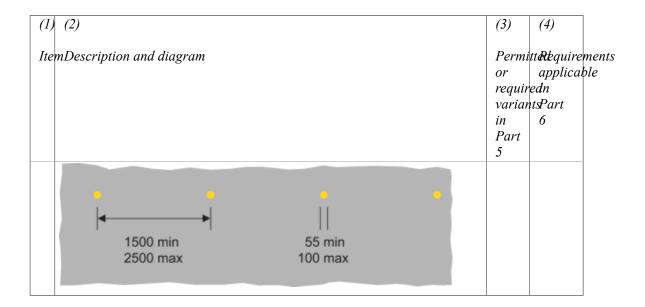






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32	Diagram 1059		
	Directions in which pedal cycles should travel along a cycle lane, track or route		
	(Alternative types) 250, 500 175, 350 000 000 100, 200 100, 200		
33	Diagram 1062		7
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34	3. Hamp		7
54	Diagram 1004		'





Permitted variants of the signs in Parts 2 and 4

- **1.** A distance may be added or varied, but, in relation to the signs provided for at items 11 and 16 in the Part 2 sign table, the distance must not exceed two miles.
- **2.** The distance may be omitted and, if shown in a separate panel on the sign with no other legend, the panel must be omitted.
 - 3. The distance may be replaced by an arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right.
 - **4.** The symbol, or all symbols together, may be reversed in a mirror image.
 - **5.**—(1) An arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right may be added or reversed.
 - (2) The arrow may be omitted.
 - **6.** Symbols and arrows indicating the road layout may be varied.
- 7. The blue panel need not extend to the edge of the nameplate and the black border may be omitted.
 - **8.** The name of the tunnel and the indication of the length may be varied.
- **9.** The legend "Except buses" may be omitted or varied to "Bus lane", "Except cycles" or "Except buses & cycles"; the number of lanes may be varied and any arrow may indicate two directions and point horizontally to the left and ahead, horizontally to the right and ahead or horizontally to the left and to the right.
- 10. The time period may be varied in accordance with Part 1 of Schedule 18, or omitted and where the times are shown in a separate panel on the sign, the panel must be omitted when the times are so omitted.
- 11. The local bus symbol may be varied to the bus symbol shown at item 40 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule.
 - 12. The permitted variants are—
 - (a) the arrow and cycle symbol may be reversed (if both are reversed);

- (b) "lane" may be varied to "track" in which case the arrow may be omitted and the symbol reversed;
- (c) "lane" may be varied to "lanes" or "tracks" in which case the arrow must be omitted and the cycle symbol reversed.
- 13. "Authorised vehicles" and symbols, other than the bus symbol, may be omitted as appropriate.
- **14.** The continuous line and the broken line may be varied to accord with the layout of the road markings—
 - (a) at item 10 of the sign table in Part 4 of this Schedule and item 11 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9 when placed to indicate the extent of a bus lane; or
 - (b) at item 8 of the sign table in Part 4 of this Schedule and item 7 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9 when placed to indicate the extent of a cycle lane.
 - 15. The words "LANE" and "LANES" may be varied to "TRACK".
- **16.** The number of taxis may be varied as appropriate and information relating to the taxi services from that rank may be shown in the white space in lettering of any colour with letter height not exceeding 25 mm, or the white space may be omitted.
- 17. The time period may be omitted or varied in accordance with Part 1 of Schedule 18 and the face of the sign may be curved.
- **18.**—(1) The white area is to be filled with maps or a legend in any colour with lettering of any colour.
 - (2) The x-height of a legend referred to in sub-paragraph (1) must not exceed 25 mm.
 - (3) The "i" symbol may be omitted.
- (4) The sign may have more than one panel or side if each is of the design prescribed in the diagram.
 - 19. The logo of a local tourist organisation may be added at the top of the sign.
 - **20.** The legend "No.1" may be varied to another number, a letter or a compass point.
- **21.**—(1) The legend may be omitted or varied to "Speed cameras", "Average speed check", "Traffic signal and speed cameras", "Traffic enforcement cameras", "Police cameras", "Police enforcement cameras" or "Bus lane cameras".
- (2) The legend may include, or a legend may be added for, the name, and logo, of the enforcement authority.
 - 22. "not 24 hrs" may be omitted.
- **23.** The name or location of the crossing in the top panel may be varied as appropriate and may be displayed on any number of lines; "TO CONTACT RAILWAY" may be on one line; "RAILWAY" may be varied to "TRAM Co." and the telephone number may be varied as appropriate.
- **24.** Place names, street names or the name of a geographical area may be omitted or varied as appropriate and may be displayed on any number of lines.
 - **25.**—(1) Identification numbers of routes—
 - (a) may be varied and may include capital letters; and
 - (b) where indicating a route to which a particular route leads, may be shown in brackets.

- (2) When a route (other than a national or regional cycle route) is indicated, the route number and background of the route number patch may be in any contrasting colours but, if the route number patch has a light background, the white edge must be omitted.
 - **26.** When placed on a primary route the sign must be varied so that—
 - (a) the background colour is dark green;
 - (b) the border, any legend and any symbol (other than a red bar) is white; and
 - (c) any red bar has a white edge.
 - 27. When placed on a non-primary route the sign must be varied so that—
 - (a) the background colour is white; and
 - (b) the border, any legend and any symbol is black.
 - 28. When placed on a motorway the sign must be varied so that—
 - (a) the background colour is blue;
 - (b) the border, any legend and any symbol (other than a red bar) is white; and
 - (c) any red bar has a white edge.
 - 29. The reference or identification number and any route number may be varied as appropriate.
- **30.** Letters, numerals and other characters incorporated into the sign need not comply with the requirements of Schedule 17.
 - **31.**—(1) The bus symbol may be omitted.
 - (2) "Request" may be inserted before "Bus Stop".
 - (3) "Stop" may be varied to "Stand".
 - (4) "Bus Stop" may be varied to "Request Stop" when the bus symbol is shown.
 - (5) The legend may be in capital letters.
 - (6) The background, symbol and lettering may be in any contrasting colours.
 - (7) The face of the sign may be curved.
 - 32. "BUS STOP" may be varied to "BUS STAND" and the face of either sign may be curved.
 - 33. "Tram" may be varied to "Request" and the face of the sign may be curved.
- **34.** Supplementary plates may be added to the sign to give additional information such as bus routes numbers, the name of the stopping place or boarding point and a reference to a telephone enquiry line.
 - **35.**—(1) The place name may be varied.
 - (2) Arms or a logo may be added, together with one of the following—
 - (a) a message of welcome;
 - (b) a phrase denoting the ceremonial or historic nature of the area; or
 - (c) a phrase denoting an item of local geographical or historical interest,

where the phrase provided for at (a), (b) or (c) does not exceed three words.

- (3) The place name may be varied to the name of a river, inland waterway or bridge.
- **36.**—(1) The place name may be varied.
- (2) The arms or logo may be omitted or varied.

- (3) "Welcome to" may be omitted or varied to a similar phrase.
- (4) The place name may be preceded by—
 - (a) "County of";
 - (b) "Ceremonial County of";
 - (c) "Historic County of";
 - (d) a phrase provided for at paragraphs (a) to (c) preceded by "Welcome to the" or similar phrase (and for the purposes of this paragraph "ceremonial" and "historic" may be used instead of "Ceremonial" and "Historic").

and a reference to "County" may be replaced by a reference to the appropriate administrative or ceremonial area.

- (5) The place name may be followed by—
 - (a) "County Council"; or
 - (b) "County Council welcomes you" or a similar phrase,

and a reference to "County Council" may be replaced by a reference to the appropriate authority for the administrative area.

- (6) A phrase denoting an item of local, geographical or historical interest may be added.
- (7) A reference to not more than two places outside the United Kingdom with which the place is twinned may be added.
 - (8) In Scotland, the Scottish Gaelic equivalent of—
 - (a) the place name;
 - (b) "Welcome to", or a similar phrase as provided for in sub-paragraph (3); and
 - (c) a phrase provided for at sub-paragraph (4),

may be used either in addition to, or instead of, the English version.

- (9) The number of words in addition to the place name should not exceed eight.
- (10) The legend, border and background may be in any contrasting colours except red.
- (11) The border may be omitted.
- (12) The shape and layout of the sign may be varied and the relative sizes of lettering on different parts of the sign may be varied provided the place name remains the most prominent feature.
 - **37.**—(1) The place name may be varied.
 - (2) "Welcome to" may be omitted or varied to a similar phrase.
 - (3) "City of" or "Welcome to the City of" may precede the place name.
- (4) "Please drive carefully" may be omitted or varied to "Thank you for driving carefully" or another road safety message of not more than five words.
 - (5) In Scotland, the Scottish Gaelic equivalent of—
 - (a) the place name;
 - (b) "Welcome to" or a similar phrase; and
 - (c) "City of" or "Welcome to the City of",

may be used either in addition to, or instead of, the English version.

(6) When "Welcome to" is omitted, a phrase denoting an item of local geographical or historical interest, including "Market town of" or similar, may be added above the place name provided the phrase does not exceed five words.

- (7) The relative sizes of lettering on different parts of the sign may be varied provided the place name remains the most prominent feature.
 - **38.**—(1) The place name may be varied as appropriate.
- (2) The arms may be omitted, varied as appropriate, or varied to a logo or symbol indicating a local landmark or historical feature.
 - (3) The district council name may be omitted or varied to a name of an appropriate authority.
 - (4) "Welcome to" may be omitted or varied to a similar phrase.
 - (5) The legend "City of" or "Welcome to the City of" may precede the place name.
 - (6) The place name may be varied to the name of—
 - (a) a river, inland waterway or bridge;
 - (b) a National Park;
 - (c) in England and Wales, an area of outstanding natural beauty designated as such under section 82 of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000(92); or
 - (d) in Scotland, a National Scenic Area designated as such under section 263A of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997(93).
 - (7) In Scotland, the Scottish Gaelic equivalent of—
 - (a) the place name;
 - (b) "Welcome to" or a similar phrase; and
 - (c) "City of" and "Welcome to the City of",

may be used either in addition to, or instead of, the English version.

- (8) The symbols on the brown panel may be varied to any of those shown in Parts 14 to 18 of Schedule 12, but must not exceed three in number.
 - (9) The symbols and brown panel may be omitted.
- (10) "Please drive carefully" may be omitted or varied to "Thank you for driving carefully" or another road safety message.
- (11) A phrase denoting an item of local geographical or historical interest, including "Market town of" or similar, may be added.
 - (12) "Twinned with" may be varied to "Twin town" or "Twin towns".
 - (13) The name of the twin town may be varied.
 - (14) The names of additional twin towns may be added.
 - (15) Flags, arms or logos associated with the twin towns may be added.
 - (16) The reference to twin towns may be omitted.
- (17) The legend, border and background other than the brown panel and its symbols, may be in any contrasting colours except red.
 - (18) The border may be omitted.
- (19) The shape and layout of the sign may be varied and the relative sizes of lettering on different parts of the sign may be varied provided the place name remains the most prominent feature.
 - **39.**—(1) The place name may be varied as appropriate.

⁽**92**) 2000 c. 37.

^{(93) 1997} c. 8. Section 263A was inserted into the 1997 Act by the Planning etc. (Scotland) Act 2006 (asp 17), section 50.

- (2) "Welcome to" may be omitted or varied to "City of" or a similar phrase of not more than three words, or five words when "The Flower City" is omitted after the place name.
- (3) "The Flower City" may be omitted or varied to a similar phrase of not more than three words, or five words when "Welcome to" is omitted before the place name.
 - (4) In Scotland, the Scottish Gaelic equivalent of—
 - (a) the place name;
 - (b) "Welcome to" and "City of" or similar phrase may be used either in addition to, or instead of, the English version.
- (5) The relative sizes of lettering on different parts of the sign may be varied provided the place name remains the most prominent feature.
- **40.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) the numeral "30" may be varied or may be substituted by other information and the background, border and any symbols and characters may be in any colour.
- (2) The variations referred to in sub-paragraph (1) are not permitted to the extent that they would not be in accordance with the exercise of any functions by the Office of Rail and Road.
- **41.**—(1) An audible or tactile warning in the form of a raised rib may be incorporated into the white parts of the marking, in the manner shown at item 12 of the sign table in Part 4 of this Schedule, when the marking is used to delineate the boundary between an emergency refuge area and an actively managed hard shoulder.
 - (2) Ribs on an individual white mark must be 250 mm apart.
- **42.** The notch may be omitted from the raised rib and the width of the line must be varied to 150 mm when it is used to delineate the back edge of an actively managed hard shoulder.
- **43.** The notch may be omitted from the raised rib and the width of the line must be 200 mm when used on roads with hard shoulders.
- **44.** When used in circumstances other than shown in the diagram the marking must be varied to accord with the direction of approaching traffic.
- **45.** Route numbers and place names may be varied as appropriate but the words "turn left", "ahead" or "turn right" must not be included in the marking; arrows may be omitted.
 - **46.** The curvature of the arrow may be varied.
 - **47.** One of the boundary lines must be omitted when—
 - (a) the marking is placed alongside the marking at item 7 or 11 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9 denoting a cycle lane or bus lane respectively; or
 - (b) the marking is placed alongside the marking shown in diagram A at item 23 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9 indicating to vehicular traffic the requirements in paragraph 9 in Part 7 of that Schedule.
- **48.** The width of the longitudinal line may be varied to 150 mm when used on an all-purpose road without hard shoulders and the boundary line may be replaced by the marking shown in the diagram at item 12 or 13 of the sign table in Part 4.
- **49.**—(1) The marking may be used on the off side edge of the carriageway with the angle of the hatching reversed.
- (2) The boundary line must be omitted when the marking is placed alongside the marking shown in the diagram at item 7 or 11 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 8, denoting a cycle lane or bus lane respectively.

- **50.** The boundary line and edge of carriageway line may be replaced by the marking shown in the diagram at item 12 or 13 of the sign table in Part 4 of this Schedule varied to 200 mm wide.
- **51.**—(1) The direction of the chevrons must be reversed when the direction of travel is in the opposite direction.
- (2) One of the boundary lines must be omitted when the marking is placed alongside the marking provided for at item 7 or 11 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 8, denoting a cycle lane or bus lane respectively.
- **52.** The distance between each end of each bar to the edge of the carriageway or the edge line may be increased to a maximum of 750 mm.
 - **53.** The colour of the telephone symbol and arrow must be varied so that they are—
 - (a) black if the road is a non-primary route; or
 - (b) dark green if the road is a primary route.
 - **54.** The wheelchair symbol may be omitted and the width of the sign reduced to 300 mm.
 - **55.** The permitted variants are—
 - (a) the relative position of the number and "SOS" may be reversed;
 - (b) a flashing white light may be added to the sign.
 - **56.** "AND USE PHONE" may be varied to "AND USE SOS PHONE" or "& USE SOS PHONE".
 - **57.** The width of the line may be 50 mm when the marking is placed on a cycle track.
 - **58.** "The Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency" may be varied to—
 - (a) "DVSA"; or
 - (b) the name of a successor organisation to the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency (in respect of its function of approving testing centres) or an acronym for that successor organisation.

Requirements applying to signs in Parts 2 and 4

- 1. Where the sign is placed temporarily on a road by a constable or person acting under the instructions (whether general or specific) of the chief officer of police in connection with a temporary statutory provision, the diameter may be reduced to not less than 200 mm.
- **2.** The letters and numerals in the first diagram must have the proportions and form shown in Part 1 of Schedule 17.
- **3.** The road marking must not project above the surface of the adjacent carriageway by more than 6 mm except for the raised ribs which may project above the surface of the remainder of the marking by not more than the maximum dimension indicated on the lower part of the diagram illustrating the side elevation of the marking.
- **4.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), where the sign is erected on a road subject to a speed limit greater than 20 mph and is 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 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 for so long as that system is illuminated and may also be reflectorised.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign mounted on a self-righting bollard.
- (3) Where the sign is mounted on a bollard fitted with a means of lighting it internally, the sign must be illuminated throughout the hours of darkness by that means of internal lighting.
 - **5.** The sign need not be illuminated.
- **6.** The parts of the sign coloured orange and white must be reflectorised and the parts of the sign coloured orange may also be fluorescent.
 - 7. The marking must be reflectorised.
 - 8. Studs incorporating—
 - (a) reflectors;
 - (b) retroreflecting material;
 - (c) a light source which emits a steady light during the hours of darkness; or
 - (d) any combination,

may be used with the road marking provided they are placed in the gaps between parts of a broken line, or alongside a solid line.

- 9. Studs incorporating—
 - (a) reflectors;
 - (b) retroreflecting material;
 - (c) a light source which emits a steady light during the hours of darkness; or
 - (d) any combination,

may be used with the road marking provided they are placed at the side of, and adjacent to, the line shown in the diagram.

- **10.** The light reflected by the reflectors or retroreflecting material, or emitted by the light source, from a stud must be white.
- 11. The light reflected by the reflectors or reflecting material, or emitted by the light source, from a stud must be—
 - (a) red—
 - (i) when placed in conjunction with the marking shown at item 27 of the table in Part 4 of this Schedule, as viewed in the direction of travel;
 - (ii) when placed in conjunction with a road marking to indicate the nearside, as viewed in the direction of travel, edge of the carriageway of any road, except a motorway alongside which there is an actively managed hard shoulder; or
 - (iii) when placed in conjunction with the marking at item 11 in the table in Part 4 of this Schedule, to indicate the boundary between the carriageway of a motorway and an actively managed hard shoulder;
 - (b) amber, to indicate the off side edge of a carriageway which—
 - (i) is contiguous to a central reservation or to traffic cones or cylinders at road works or to the road marking at item 24 of the table in Part 4 of this Schedule; or
 - (ii) carries traffic in one direction only; and

- (c) green, when placed in conjunction with a road marking at item 10 of the table in Part 4 of this Schedule, where the edge of any part of the carriageway available for through traffic at a junction, a lay-by or a parking place is so indicated to drivers of approaching vehicles.
- 12. The external part of a stud that is visible when the stud is placed must be—
 - (a) the colour of the reflectors or retroreflecting material (where used);
 - (b) white;
 - (c) of a natural metallic finish;
 - (d) of another neutral colour;
 - (e) clear; or
 - (f) any combination,

but when the stud is in place temporarily during road works it must be fluorescent green-yellow except to the extent it consists of reflectors or retroreflecting material necessary to reflect the colour required under paragraph 10 or 11 or it is necessary for it to be a different colour or clear in order for the stud to emit, by a light source, the colour of light required under paragraph 10 or 11.

- **13.** Any frame used must not be reflectorised.
- **14.**—(1) When placed on the main carriageway, the leading edge of each bar marking must be placed at the appropriate distance specified in the table below.
 - (2) For the purposes of this paragraph—
 - (a) each bar marking is referred to in the table below by the capital letter D followed by a number;
 - (b) a bar marking is placed at the appropriate distance specified in the table below if the distance between the point at which the leading edge of the marking is placed and the point at which the leading edge of bar marking D1 is placed is the distance specified in relation to the marking in the table; and
 - (c) the distance specified in relation to a bar marking is the distance in metres which appears immediately below the reference to the bar marking in the table below.

Bar no.		D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7	D8	D9	D10	D11	D12	D13	D14	D15
Distance to D1 (m)	ce	2.75	5.50	8.25	11.05	313.90	16.80	19.70	22.60)25.55	28.55	531.60	34.65	537.70)40.80
Bar no.	D16	D17	D18	D19	D20	D21	D22	D23	D24	D25	D26	D27	D28	D29	D30
Distance to D1 (m)	¢ ∉ 3.95	347.15	50.35	53.55	56.80	060.10	63.45	66.80	70.15	573.60	77.05	580.55	84.10)87.65	591.30
Bar no.	D31	D32	D33	D34	D35	D36	D37	D38	D39	D40	D41	D42	D43	D44	D45
Distance to D1 (m)	:0 4.95	98.65	102.4	10 06.1	5110.0	013.8	5117.7	5121.7	025.0	5 \$ 29.7	0.33.7	7 \$ 37.8	5142.0)0 46.1	5 50.40

Bar no.	D46	D47	D48	D49	D50	D51	D52	D53	D54	D55	D56	D57	D58	D59	D60
Distance to D1 (m)	c d 54.0	5 1 58.9	£63.3	3167.7	5172.2	25 76.7	5181.3	0185.9	.09B	5 0 95.3	2 00.	1 0 04.9	0209.8	8014.1	1 019.70
Bar no.	D61	D62	D63	D64	D65	D66	D67	D68	D69	D70	D71	D72	D73	D74	D75
Distance to D1 (m)	:€24.7	(2 29.8	Q 34.9	Q 40.1	Q 45.4	12 50.7	Q 56.1	Q 61.5	Q 67.0)0 72.6	0 278.2	2 0 83.9	0289.6	60 95.⁴	\$01.30
Bar no.	D76	D77	D78	D79	D80	D81	D82	D83	D84	D85	D86	D87	D88	D89	D90
Distance to D1 (m)	:307.2	3 13.9	0 19.3	3 25.5	531.7	7 3 38.1	5344.6	5351.3	3 58	30 65.5	© 73.2	2 0 80.9	0388.6	6 0 96.2	2 \$103.95

- **15.**—(1) When placed on a slip road, the leading edge of each bar marking must be placed at the appropriate distance specified in the table below.
 - (2) For the purposes of this paragraph—
 - (a) each bar marking is referred to in the table below by the capital letter D followed by a number;
 - (b) a bar marking is placed at the appropriate distance specified in the table below if the distance between the point at which the leading edge of the marking is placed and the point at which the leading edge of bar marking D1 is placed is the distance specified in relation to the marking in the table;
 - (c) the distance specified in relation to a bar marking is the distance in metres which appears immediately below the reference to the bar marking in the table below.

Bar no.		D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7	D8	D9	D10	D11	D12	D13	D14	D15
Distance to D1 (m)	ce	2.75	5.55	8.45	11.35	14.35	17.40	20.50)23.70	26.90)30.20	33.55	537.00	40.50)44.05
Bar no.	D16	D17	D18	D19	D20	D21	D22	D23	D24	D25	D26	D27	D28	D29	D30
Distance to D1 (m)	c 4 7.70)51.45	55.30	59.20	63.15	67.20	71.35	75.60)79.90	84.30)88.80	93.45	598.20	103.0	007.90
Bar no.	D31	D32	D33	D34	D35	D36	D37	D38	D39	D40	D41	D42	D43	D44	D45
Distance to D1 (m)	c ė 12.9	018.0	0123.3	028.7	0134.2	039.8	0145.5	0.51.3	35 57.4	0163.6	5 0 70.0	0176.1	7 0 83.9	0191.0	0 99.30

The Schedule 11 General Directions

- 1. Where the sign is mounted on a bollard—
 - (a) the bollard must—
 - (i) be illuminated by means of internal lighting; and
 - (ii) conform to British Standard BS EN 12899-2:2007(94); or
 - (b) in the case of a self-righting bollard, the bollard—
 - (i) must be illuminated by the use of retroreflecting material; and
 - (ii) conform to British Standard BS 8442:2015(95).
- 2. The back of the sign may be of any colour.
- 3.—(1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies in relation to a yellow backing board.
- (2) Where the sign is placed on the same backing board as the maximum speed limit sign, the backing board may be of any shape.
 - **4.** Where the sign is placed on a backing board, no other sign may be included on the same board.

SCHEDULE 12

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Directional signs

PART 1

General provisions applying to Parts 2 to 20

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of a sign table in Parts 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, or 20 of this Schedule, or a combination of any such descriptions, must be conveyed by a sign (a "directional sign") consisting of the legend or symbol, or a combination, provided for in respect of that description or descriptions in accordance with the provisions of this Part and Parts 2 to 20 on an appropriate background.
- **2.** Subject to paragraph 4, an appropriate background for a sign of a description specified in column 2 of an item in the Part 2 sign table is one of the colour and type shown in either diagram A or B of the item.
- **3.** A legend on a directional sign must be of a height provided for in column 4 of the Part 2 sign table (unless in relation to a particular legend it is provided elsewhere that the legend is to be a different height) and the sign must be of a size appropriate to accommodate its elements (including any legend).
 - **4.** An appropriate background may differ from diagram A or B in that—
 - (a) a diagram A sign background may be divided into separate panels;
 - (b) a diagram B sign background may be reversed to point to the left; and

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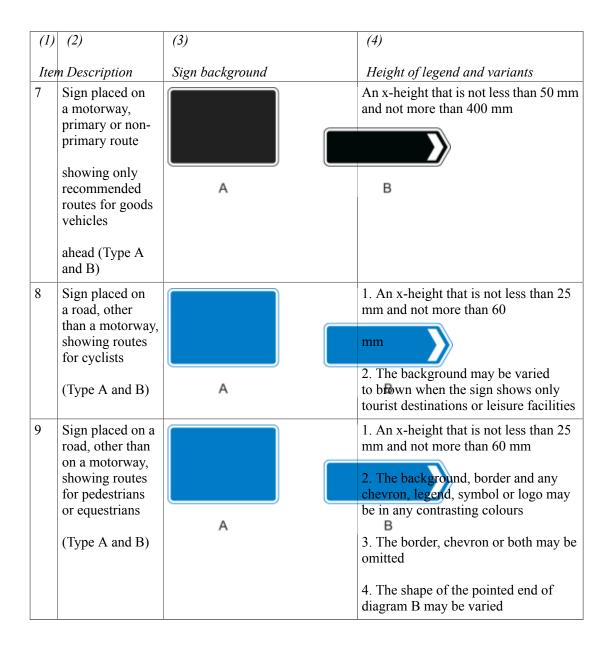
- (c) the background at item 8 or 9 of the sign table in Part 2 (signs for cyclists and pedestrians respectively) may be varied in accordance with column 4 at that item.
- **5.** Where a sign indicates a road or route and that road or route is temporarily closed, a board coloured red and displaying in white lettering the words "Road temporarily closed" or "Route temporarily closed" may be fixed to the sign, or to that part of the sign where that road or route is indicated, in order to cancel temporarily the indication.
- **6.**—(1) A sign with a background provided for at item 5, 8 or 9 of the Part 2 sign table need not be illuminated.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign with an item 5 background when placed on a motorway or if the sign—
 - (a) gives directions to a leisure facility of a description at item 5, 6, 7, 10, 11 or 12 of the Part 14 sign table; or
 - (b) includes the legend "Tourist hostel".
- 7. A directional sign which only conveys directions to a telephone or public toilets (or both) need not be illuminated.
- **8.** Where a diagram A sign with a background provided for at item 1 in the Part 2 sign table is mounted above the carriageway of a motorway 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 or 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.

Sign background for directional signs for motorways, primary routes, non-primary routes, cyclists and pedestrians

Sign table — Schedule 12, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Itei	n Description	Sign background	Height of legend and variants
1	Sign placed on or near a		An x-height that is not less than 100 mm and not more than 400 mm
	motorway or placed on or near another road		
	at a junction indicating a route leading	А	В

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Description directly to a motorway	Sign background	Height of legend and variants
	(Type A and B)		
2	Sign placed on or near a primary route (Type A and B)		An x-height that is not less than 50 mm and not more than 300 mm
		А	В
3	Sign placed on or near a non-primary route (Type A and B)		An x-height that is not less than 50 mm and not more than 300 mm
		А	В
4	Sign placed on a motorway, primary or non- primary route showing only parking place destinations		An x-height that is not less than 50 mm and not more than 400 mm
	(Type A and B)		
5	Sign placed on a motorway, primary or non-primary route showing only tourist destinations or leisure facilities	A	An x-height that is not less than 50 mm and not more than 400 mm
6	(Type A and B) Sign placed on a primary or non-primary route showing only Ministry of Defence establishments (Type A and B)		An x-height that is not less than 50 mm and not more than 300 mm



Legends that may be shown on signs in Part 2

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in this Part must be conveyed on a directional sign by one or more of the legends in column 3 of that item on an appropriate background.
- **2.** The inclusion of a legend is subject to such restrictions, and further descriptions, as are given in column 3 in respect of that legend and any restriction provided for is without prejudice to any provision elsewhere in this Schedule that provides that legends contained in Part 3 may be placed on a directional sign in a manner that does not comply with the restriction.
- **3.**—(1) Any word forming part of a legend provided for in the sign table in this Part may be written—

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- (a) entirely in lower case letters;
- (b) entirely in capital letters; or
- (c) in a mixture of capital and lower case letters.
- (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply where alternative provision for a word is made in the sign table in this Part.
- **4.**—(1) This paragraph applies to a legend provided for in this Part in the following circumstances—
 - (a) the legend is the name of a place that is a city, town, village or tourist destination; and
 - (b) the directional sign on which the legend appears—
 - (i) has a background provided for at item 2, 3 or 5 of the sign table in Part 2; and
 - (ii) is placed on a road in Scotland (except when placed on a motorway).
- (2) The name of the place may be written in Scottish Gaelic, in addition to English, provided the Scottish Gaelic version is shown above the English.
- (3) Where the name is the same in English and Scottish Gaelic, it may be written only once on the sign in a manner which complies with the requirements of these Regulations applicable to a name written in—
 - (a) English; or
 - (b) Scottish Gaelic.

Sign table — Schedule 12, Part 3

(1)	(2)	(3)			
Iter	Item DescriptionLegends, restrictions and connected provisions				
1	Destination legend provided for at entry 3 of this item must only be used on a sign we direction background provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 2.				
	or type of route	1. The name of—			
		(a) a place, which may be followed by: "city centre", "town centre", "village" or "village centre";			
		(b) a geographical area;			
		(c) the name of a road;			
		(d) an airport, heliport, railway station, port, tunnel, bridge, crossing or other transport facility;			
		(e) a local destination not covered by (a) to (d), which may include a generic description of a facility			
	2. "City centre", "Town centre", "Village centre", "Village only routes", "Other traffic", "Local traffic only", "Through traffic", "Ring "Non-motorway traffic"				
		3. "Public Footpath", "Footpath", "Bridleway", "Byway", "Restricted Byway", "Concessionary Path", "Permissive Path" (or other appropriate description for conveying the direction of a public right of way, concessionary path or permissive path). That word or phrase may be followed by—			
		(a) a place, area or destination mentioned at entry 1; or			
		(b) "city centre", "town centre", "village" or "village centre",			

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Itos	n Descripti	o L egends, restrictions and connected provisions
1101	n Descripii	whether or not immediately preceded by "to"
		4. The additional identifiers of a destination, or a combination of identifiers, mentioned at entry 5 may be added in brackets after—
		(a) a place, area or destination mentioned at entry 1 (including where used in an entry 3 legend);
		(b) a phrase mentioned at entry 2; or
		(c) "city centre", "town centre", "village" or "village centre" as referred to in an entry 3 legend
		5. The additional identifiers are—
		(a) a compass point ("North", "South", "East" or "West");
		(b) an abbreviated compass point ("N", "S", "E", "W", "NW", "NE", "SW" or "SE");
		(c) "Central" or "C" (meaning "Central");
		(d) "City";
		(e) the name of an area that forms part of the destination to which the additional identifier relates and, where more than one identifier is used, they must be separated by a comma except that, where only two are used or to separate the final two identifiers, "&" must be used instead
		6. "only" may be added after—
		(a) a place, area or destination mentioned at entry 1(a) to (e) (including when used in an entry 3 legend);
		(b) a phrase mentioned at entry 2 (except "Village only" or "Local traffic only"); or
		(c) "city centre", "town centre", "village" or "village centre" as referred to in entry 3, and where any additional identifiers are used, "only" must come after them (and the bracket)
		7. An indication that—
		(a) a footpath or other route mentioned in entry 3 is closed;
		(b) the direction of an alternative route where the footpath or other route is closed
2	Indication of alternative routes	A legend provided for at this item must only be used together with a legend provided for at item 1 or 3 of this table
		1. "via toll road", "via toll", "via tunnel", "via ferry" or "via" and the name of a destination or a route number
		2. "unsuitable for" and one, or any appropriate combination, of the following—
		(a) "heavy goods vehicles", (b) "HGVs", (c) "long vehicles", (d) "wide vehicles", (e) "buses", (f) "caravans", (g) "trailers", (h) "articulated

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		last legend where more than one is used 3. "alternative route"
		4. "alternative route for" and one or any appropriate combination of the following—
		(a) "goods vehicles", (b) "light vehicles only", (c) "heavy vehicles", (d) "HGVs", (e) "high vehicles", (f) "long vehicles", (g) "wide vehicles", (h) "buses", (i) "caravans", (j) "trailers", (k) "articulated vehicles", or (l) "prohibited vehicles", with "and" inserted before the last where more than one is used
		5. "avoiding" and a place name or other destination, or one or any appropriate combination of the following—
		 (a) "steep hill"; (b) "swing bridge"; (c) "lifting bridge"; (d) "low bridge"; (e) "weak bridge"; (f) "ford"; (g) "gated road"; (h) "toll road"; (i) "tunnel"; (j) "town centre"; (k) "level crossing". The word "and" must be inserted before the last where more than one is used
		6. "route for goods vehicles" or "route for non-motorway traffic"
		7. "light vehicles only" The x-height of any legend provided for at entries 1 to 7 must be 80% of the height used for the item 1 or 3 legend to which it relates.
3	legends for signs	IA legend provided for at this item may be used on its own or together with a legend provided for at item 1, 2, 5, 6 or 9 of this table but only on a background provided for at item 5, 8 or 9 of the Part 2 sign table
	showing only	1. The name or generic description of an attraction or facility
	tourist	2. The expression "Hotel", "Hotels", "B & B" or "Hotel and B & B" used as a generic description for overnight accommodation
	and leisure facilities	3. "Youth Hostel" (but only when the hostel in question is controlled or approved by YHA (England and Wales)(96) or the Scottish Youth Hostels Association(97)) or "Tourist hostel"
		4. The name of a city, town or village and, on a separate line, "historic market town" or other descriptive phrase provided that the x-height of the descriptive phrase is 80% of that used for the name of the city, town or village
		5. "Country Tour", or "Tour", preceded by a place name or an appropriate description
		6. "Tourist route to", "Tourist trail to", "Scenic route to", "Scenic trail to", "Coastal route to" or "Coastal trail to" and a destination
		7. "Tourist route" or a route title
4	Route identificat	A legend provided for in this item may be used on its own (except entries 7 iond 8) or together with a legend provided for at item 1 of this table. A legend

 ⁽⁹⁶⁾ Registered company number (England and Wales) 282555 and registered charity number (England and Wales) 306122.
 (97) Registered company number (Scotland) SC310841 and registered charity number (Scotland) SC013138.
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Iten	Item DescriptionLegends, restrictions and connected provisions					
		provided for at entries 1 to 7 may be placed on a background provided for at item 1, 2, 3 or 7 of the Part 2 sign table				
		1. Identification numbers of routes may be included on a directional sign; route numbers must be white on a blue or black background, yellow on a dark green background and black on a white background				
		2. A compass point ("North", "South", "East" or "West") or an abbreviated compass point ("N", "S", "E", "W", "NW", "NE", "SW" or "SE") may be added to the route number, shown in brackets in the same colour as the route number				
		3. Identification numbers of routes to which a particular route, with a different identification number, leads must be shown in brackets; a compass point ("North", "South", "East" or "West") or an abbreviated compass point ("N", "S", "E", "W", "NW", "NE", "SW" or "SE") may be added alongside the number within the same pair of brackets; where a route leads indirectly to a primary route and the route number of the primary route is the same as the route number of the non-primary route to be followed from the junction ahead, the number must be shown without any brackets				
	4. Superseded route numbers may be retained provided they are cancelled a diagonal red bar					
		5. Where a route leads indirectly to a motorway, the motorway route number, with or without a compass point ("North", "South", "East" or "West") or an abbreviated compass point ("N", "S", "E", "W", "NW", "NE", "SW" or "SE"), must be shown in brackets in white on a blue patch and the blue patch must have a white border when placed on a dark green or black background				
		6. Where a directional sign with a background provided for at item 3 of Part 2 sign table (or a panel provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 3 see that panel and Part 8) includes the number of a primary route to which a no primary route leads—				
		(a) the identification number of the primary route and any compass point must be shown in brackets in yellow on a dark green patch where the primary route has a different identification number to that of the non-primary route; or				
		(b) the identification number of the primary route without any brackets together with any compass point in brackets must be shown in yellow on a dark green patch where the primary route has the same identification number as the non-primary route				
		7. On a directional sign with a background provided for at item 7 of the Part 2 sign table (or the panel at item 5 of the sign table in Part 9 - see that panel and Part 8)—				
		(a) other than when the sign is placed on a motorway, the route number of a primary route, together with any brackets and compass point, must be shown in yellow on a dark green patch with a white border;				
		(b) when the sign is placed on a motorway, the requirements of entry 5 need not be complied with				

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Iter	Item Description Legends, restrictions and connected provisions				
		8. The name or description of a cycle route may be shown (in capital letters) with a letter height that is 80% of the item 1 legend height, at the top of directional sign with a background provided for at item 8 of the Part 2 sign table and may include a symbol of any appropriate design and colour with a heigh not exceeding that of the pedal cycle symbol shown at item 3 of the sign table in Part 11			
		9. The name or description of a route for pedestrians or horse riders and an identifying symbol of a route in any combination may be used on a background provided for at item 9 of the Part 2 sign table			
5	Distances	A legend provided for at this item may only be used on a sign that includes a legend provided for at item 1 or 3 of this table except that where the distance to a junction forms part of an overhead sign assembly it may be shown as a separate sign			
		1. A distance			
6	Journey times	A legend provided for at this item may only be used together with a legend provided for at item 1 or 3 of this table but only on a background provided for at item 8 or 9 of the Part 2 sign table			
		1. The journey times to destinations, where shown, which must be expressed in hours denoted by "hour", "hours", "hr" or "hrs", and minutes denoted by "mins" as appropriate			
7	Junction identificat	A legend provided for at this item may only be used on a sign that includes a tilengend provided for at item 1 of this table			
		1. The name of the junction or, where the sign is situated at or near the boundary of a town, village or suburb, the place name of that town, village or suburb may be added (in capital letters) in a separate panel at the top of a diagram A sign provided for at item 2 or 3 of the Part 2 sign table. The letters must be white on a dark green background on a primary route and black on a white background on a non-primary route			
		2. The junction number may be shown in white characters on a black patch on a directional sign with a background provided for at items 1, 2 and 3 of the Part 2 sign table provided the x-height of the junction number is 80% of the legend provided for at item 1. The patch must have a white border when placed on a blue or dark green background			
		3. Where the name of the junction, place name or junction number forms part of an overhead sign assembly it may be shown as a separate sign			
		4. Where the junction number and the distance to the junction form part of an overhead sign assembly they may be combined into a separate sign			
8	Route to be followed	1. "For" and one or two destinations, one or two route numbers or a route number and a destination, separated, where applicable, by "and" or "&", and—"follow" and a destination, route number or an appropriate symbol shown in Parts 11 to 18; "follow" and a description of a route; "leave at next junction"; "leave at" and the name of a junction;			
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		"leave at Junction" and the number of the junction; "leave at J" and the number of the junction; "use" and a route number and "at next junction"; "use" and a route number and "at" the name of a junction; "use" and a route number and "at Junction" and the number of the junction; "use" and a route number and "at J" and the number of the junction; or "use" and the Park & Ride symbol shown at item 24 of the sign table in Part 11.			
		2. In entry 1—			
		(a) "destination" refers to a legend provided for—			
		(i) in entries 1 and 2 at item 1 (whether or not adapted in accordance with other entries at that item); or			
		(ii) at item 3,of this table except that it also includes "Park and Ride" and "Park & Ride" whether or not, in either case, the phrase is preceded by the name of a place; and			
		(b) "route number" refers to a legend provided for at item 4.			
		3. For the purposes of this item—			
		(a) entry 1 of item 4 is be read as requiring route numbers to be white when placed on a brown background; and			
		(b) identification numbers of routes to which a particular route, with a different identification number, leads need not be shown in brackets and consequently that part of entry 3 at item 4 that imposes such a requirement does not apply to a legend provided for at this item			
9	Type of road	The legend provided for at this item may only be used together with a legend provided for at item 1 or 3 of this table			
		The legend "Single track road" may be placed on a directional sign			

Provisions applicable to Part 5

- 1. Information or a requirement of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 5 must be conveyed on a directional sign by the arrows or lane marking symbols of the size, colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 5.
- **2.** The arrows and lane markings may only be placed on a diagram A background of a type which is referred to (by reference to an item number in the sign table in Part 2) in column 4 of the table in Part 5.
 - **3.** The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

PART 5
Arrows and lane marking symbols that may be incorporated in diagram A signs

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	emDescription	Arrow and lane marking symbols	Permitted background (by reference to item number in the Part 2 sign table)	Variants
1	Arrow indicating the direction of a route (Alternative types)	16 1 14 B	1 to 9	1. The direction in which the arrow shown by diagram A points may be varied 2. The arrow must be white when appearing on the background provided for at item 1, 2, 5, 7 or 8 of the table in Part 2 of this Schedule 3. The arrow must be red when appearing on the background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 4. The arrow must be in any contrasting colour when appearing on the background provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 2
2	Arrow indicating a U-turn at a roundabout ahead	20	2 to 7	1. The arrow must be white when appearing on a background provided for at item 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule 2. The arrow must be red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Arrow and lane marking symbols	Permitted background (by reference to item number in the Part 2 sign table)	Variants
3	Indication of appropriate traffic lanes and direction in which to turn at a junction ahead (destinations placed above the arrows and horizontal bars)	1	1 to 7	1. The number of traffic lanes and arrows, the widths of individual lanes and the lengths of horizontal bars may be varied as appropriate 18 2. The horizontal bars must be omitted where only one lane leads to a particular destination 3. The number of marks in the lane line symbols may be varied as appropriate and a shorter mark may be added at the top or bottom of the sign 4. The arrows, lane line symbols and horizontal bars must be white when appearing on a background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule and red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of that table
4	Indication of appropriate traffic lanes at a junction or at a junction ahead where the left hand lane leads to one route and the two	1 1 1 1	1 to 7	1. The number of traffic lanes and arrows, the widths of individual lanes and the lengths of horizontal bars may be varied as appropriate 2. The horizontal bar must be omitted where only one lane leads to a particular destination 3. The number of marks in the lane line symbols may be varied as appropriate; a

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	emDescription	Arrow and lane marking symbols	Permitted background (by reference to item number in the Part 2 sign table)	Variants
	right hand lanes lead to another (destinations placed above the arrows and horizontal bar)			shorter mark may be added at the top or bottom of the sign 4. The arrows, lane line symbols and horizontal bars must be white when placed on a blue, dark green, brown or black background and red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule
5	Indication of appropriate traffic lanes at a junction or at a junction ahead where the routes reached from both the left hand and right hand lanes can also be reached from the centre lane (destinations placed above the horizontal bars)	↑ ↑ ↑ 1	1 to 7	1. The number of traffic lanes and arrows, the widths of individual lanes, the lengths of horizontal bars and the arrangement of shared lanes may be varied as appropriate 2. The number of marks in the lane line symbols may be varied as appropriate; a shorter mark may be added where appropriate 3. The arrows, lane line symbols and horizontal bars must be white when placed on a blue, dark green, brown or black background, and red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ité	mDescription	Arrow and lane marking symbols	Permitted background (by reference to item number in the Part 2 sign table)	Variants
6	Indication of appropriate traffic lanes that diverge at a junction (destinations placed above the arrows and horizontal bar) (Alternative types)	A 1 1 W	1 to 7	1. The number of traffic lanes and arrows, the widths of individual lanes and the lengths of horizontal bars may be varied as appropriate; symbol "A" may be reversed in a mirror image 2. The horizontal bar must be omitted where only one lane leads to a particular destination 3. The vertical position of the chevron road marking symbol may be varied as appropriate and the broken lane line symbol adjusted as appropriate 4. The arrows, lane line symbols and horizontal bars must be white when placed on a blue, dark green, brown or black background and red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule
7	Indication of appropriate traffic lanes at a junction or at a junction ahead where the centre lane divides into two	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 to 7	1. The number of single curved arrows, the length of the arrows and the spacing between the arrows may be varied as appropriate 2. The horizontal bar must be omitted where only one lane leads to a particular destination 3. The arrows and horizontal bars must be white when

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Arrow and lane marking symbols	Permitted background (by reference to item number in the Part 2 sign table)	Variants
	directions (destinations placed above the horizontal bars)			placed on a blue, dark green, brown or black background and red when appearing on a background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2 of this Schedule
8	Indication on an overhead sign of a traffic lane at a junction or at a junction ahead (destinations placed above the horizontal bar) (Forms part of a sign assembly)	17	1 to 3	1. A downward pointing arrow must be added for each additional lane that leads to the same destination 2. The length of the horizontal bar may be varied 3. The arrow, without the horizontal bar, may be shown on a borderless rectangular supplementary plate placed below the sign with which it is associated; the plate must have the same background colour as that sign 4. The arrow and horizontal bar must be white when placed on a blue or dark green background part of the sign

Provisions applicable to Part 7

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 7 must be conveyed on a directional sign by a route symbol of the size, colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
- **2.** A route symbol must only be placed on a diagram A appropriate background and must not be placed on a background provided for at item 8 or 9 in the sign table in Part 2.
 - **3.** The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

 $\label{eq:partial} PART~7$ Route symbols, indicating the junction layout incorporated in diagram "A"

Sign table — Schedule 12, Part 7

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescriptio	onRoute symbol	Variants
1	Route symbol		1. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied
	indicating a road junction	-4	2. The shape of the symbol may be varied to indicate the junction layout
	ahead	4	3. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
			4. The width of the approach arm and of any exit route arm may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
			5. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
			6. The symbol must be—
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2
2	Route symbol	1 .	1. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied
	indicating a roundabou	4= - (*)	2. The shape, but not the width, of the roundabout symbol may be varied
	ahead		3. The route symbol may be varied to indicate two adjacent roundabouts
		4	4. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
			5. The width of the approach arm and of any exit route arm may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
			6. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
			7. The symbol must be—

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescriptio	nRoute symbol	Variants
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2.
3	Route symbol	₹5. 1	1. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied
	indicating a roundabou	4=	2. The shape, but not the widths, of the roundabout and dedicated lane symbols may be varied
	ahead with a	7	3. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
	dedicated lane to the first exit	 4	4. The width of the approach arm and of any exit route arm may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
			5. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
			6. The symbol must be—
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2.
4	Route symbol	~	41. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied
	indicating a mini- roundabou	A t 4	2. The route symbols may be varied to indicate two adjacent mini-roundabouts
	ahead (Alternativ		3. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
	types)	B 4	4. The width of the approach arm and of any exit route arm in the symbol shown by diagram A may be varied to 2.5 stroke widths
			5. The width of the approach arm and of any exit route arm in the symbol shown by diagram B may be varied provided that—
			(a) an arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route;
			(b) an arm is 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route; and

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	emDescriptio	onRoute symbol	Variants (c) one or more arms is of a stroke width of 6
			6. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
			7. The symbol must be—
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2.
5	Route symbol	L	1. The shape of the symbol may be varied to indicate the road layout
	indicating a through route through	2.5	2. The route arm, other than the curved route arm shown in the diagram, may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
	a town or village that has	1	3. The gap within the curved route may be varied to accommodate the associated legend, including any panel and any symbol
	been by- passed (name of by-		4. The width of the straight route arm shown in the diagram, may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
	passed town or village is		5. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
	placed in the gap		6. The symbol must be—
	within the curved		(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
	route arm)		(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2
6	Route symbol where no	2.5 =	1. The position and direction of the short square- ended route symbol may be varied and may be of any appropriate length
	destination is shown		2. The width of the route symbols may be varied provided that the symbol is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
			3. The end of the short square-ended route symbol may be curved to accommodate a symbol shown in

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	emDescriptio	onRoute symbol	Variants column 3 of the sign table in Part 20 of Schedule 11 at item 19, 21, 22, 23, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 or 43
			4. The symbol must be—
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2.
7	No- through road symbol	= 2.5	1. The no-through road symbol, with the red bar and white border, together with the narrow route arm may be applied to any route symbol with the width of the 6 stroke width route arm being varied as appropriate
	incorporate in diagram A of items 1, 2, 5 and	6	2. The background colour on which the symbol is placed must be blue on the sign provided for at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2, brown on the sign provided for at item 5 of the same table, and black on the sign provided for at item 7 of that table
	7 of the sign table in Part 2		3. The direction of the narrow route arm may varied and lengthened as necessary; the red no-through road symbol must always be perpendicular to the narrow route arm
8	No- through road symbol	= 2.5	1. The no-through road symbol, with the red bar, together with the narrow route arm may be applied to any route symbol with the width of the 4 stroke width arm being varied as appropriate.
	incorporate in diagram A in	4	2. The route symbol must be red when incorporated in the sign provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2
	respect of items 3, 4 and 6 of the sign table in Part 2		3. The direction of the narrow route arm may varied and lengthened as necessary; the red no-through road symbol must always be perpendicular to the narrow route arm
9	Route symbol indicating	5	1. The length, direction, position and shape of the exit route arm may be varied, but must always indicate an exit to the left
	a grade separated junction where the number of lanes remain	5	2. The forward route arm need not be associated with a destination, but where a destination is shown it must be extended upwards and where no destination is shown, the top of the forward route arm must generally be level with the top of the exit route arm except where

(1) (2)	(3)	(4)
<i>ItemDescripti</i>	onRoute symbol	Variants
the same through		the direction and shape of the exit route arm precludes this
the junction		3. A second route arm indicating an exit to the left may be added where there are two exits at the junction
		4. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20
		5. The symbol must be—
		(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and
		(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2
10 Route symbol	5	1. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied
indicating a roundabou approache from an	4	2. The shape, but not the width, of the roundabout symbol may be varied3. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved
exit slip road at a grade separated junction	5	4. The width of any exit route arm, excluding the square-ended route symbol, may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route
		5. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the table in Part 20
		6. The symbol must be—
		(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the table in Part 2; and
		(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the table in Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		
Ite	ItemDescriptionRoute symbol		Variants		
11	Route symbol	5 	1. The number and direction of the exit route arms may be varied		
	indicating a partial roundabou	5	2. The shape, but not the width, of the roundabout		
	approached from an	4	3. Route arms may be of any appropriate length and may be curved		
	exit slip road at a grade separated junction	5	4. The width of any exit route arm, excluding the square-ended route symbol and the 5 stroke width exit arm, may be varied provided that the arm is 6 stroke widths if indicating a motorway or primary route and 4 or 2.5 stroke widths if indicating a non-primary route		
		5. A gap may be provided within a route arm in order to accommodate a symbol shown in a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20			
			6. The symbol must be—		
			(a) white, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 1, 2, 5 or 7 of the sign table in Part 2; and		
			(b) red, when appearing on an appropriate background provided for at item 6 of the sign table in Part 2		

Provisions applicable to Part 9

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 9 must be conveyed on a directional sign by a destination panel which is of the colour and type, and complies with the requirements as to size, shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 5
- **2.** Subject to paragraph 3, the appropriate backgrounds on which a destination panel may be placed are—
 - (a) in the case of item 4—
 - (i) a diagram A background provided for at item 1, 2 or 3 of the sign table in Part 2; or
 - (ii) a diagram B background provided for at item 2 or 3 of that table; and
 - (b) in the case of each of the other items, a diagram A plate provided for in the sign table in Part 2 at the item number of that table specified in column 4 of the table in Part 9.
- **3.** A diagram A background at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2 is not an appropriate background plate for an item in the sign table in Part 9 unless the plate is placed on an exit slip road or indicates the termination of a motorway.
 - **4.** A white border must be added around the destination panel shown by the diagram—

- (a) for item 1, 7 or 8, where it appears on an appropriate background provided for at item 2 of the sign table in Part 2;
- (b) for item 2, where it appears on an appropriate background provided for at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2;
- (c) for item 4, 5 or 6, where it appears on an appropriate background provided for at item 1 or 2 of that table.
- **5.**—(1) This paragraph applies to a legend on a destination panel provided for at item 2, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 9 where the legend is the name of a place that is a city, town, village or tourist destination.
- (2) On a sign placed in Scotland, the name of the place may be written in Scottish Gaelic, in addition to English, provided the Scottish Gaelic version is shown above the English.
- (3) Where the name is the same in English and Scottish Gaelic, it may be written only once on the sign in a manner which complies with the requirements of these Regulations applicable to a name written in—
 - (a) English; or
 - (b) Scottish Gaelic.
 - **6.** The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

PART 9 Destination panels that may appear on plates in Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
1	Destination panel indicating a route leading directly onto a motorway showing the junction number on a black patch	Stoke 8 17 M 6	_	1. Destinations, motorway number and junction number may be varied in accordance with any appropriate entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 2. A motorway number indicating another motorway to which the motorway leads may be added provided that the number is in brackets 3. The junction number patch may be omitted 4. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
				5. The panel may incorporate any symbol shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at item 6 or 13 of the table as appropriate
2	Destination panel indicating a route	Lampton = 4	1, 3	1. The legend may be varied in accordance with any appropriate entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3
	leading directly onto a primary route			2. The route number may be positioned alongside and to right of the destination or below and on the right hand side of the destination
	Toute			3. The panel may incorporate any symbol shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at items 6 to 23
				4. Where the panel incorporates one or more symbol shown by a diagram in Part 5, the symbols shown in the diagrams in Part 20 may be added to the panel as appropriate
				5. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
3	Destination panel indicating a route	Endsbury B1077	1,2	1. The legend may be varied in accordance with any appropriate entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3
	leading directly onto a			2. The route number may positioned alongside and to right of the destination or below and on the right hand side of the destination
	non- primary route (shown on a primary route			3. The panel may incorporate any symbol shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at items 6 to 23 of the table as appropriate
	sign)			4. Where a panel incorporates one or more symbols shown by a diagram in column 3 in the sign table in Part 5, any of the symbols shown by a diagram in column 3 in the sign

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
				table in Part 20 may be added to the panel as appropriate
				5. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
4	Panel indicating tourist destination or leisure facility	4≡ Archer Castle	14	1. The symbol may be varied to any symbol shown in a diagram in Parts 14 to 18 and the name of the attraction or facility may be varied and may include the legends shown in the Part 3 sign table at item 3
	14011109			2. Either the symbol or the name may be omitted
				3. The direction in which the symbol faces and the relative positions of the symbol and name may be reversed as appropriate and the symbol may be placed centrally below the name
				4. The distance to the tourist destination or leisure facility may be shown in accordance with the entries 1 and 2 in column 3 at item 5 of the Part 3 sign table
				5. More than one tourist destination or leisure facility may be shown
				6. A phrase relating to the route to be followed may be shown in accordance with the entries in column 2 and 3 in the sign table in Part 3 at item 2, may be added
				7. The symbols shown in the diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at item 25 or 26 may be added
				8. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the Part 7 sign table

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
				9. Where a panel incorporates one or more symbols shown by a diagram in column 3 in the Part 5 sign table, any of the symbols shown by a diagram in column 3 in the Part 20 sign table may be added to the panel as appropriate
5	Panel indicating a route recommend for goods	Northway Industrial Est	tate _	1. The name of the destination may be omitted of varied in accordance with the entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 1 and more than one destination may be shown
	vehicles			2. The distance to the named destination may be shown in accordance with column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 5
				3. A phrase relating to the route to be followed, as detailed in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 2, may be added
				4. Identification numbers of routes to which the recommended route leads may be added in accordance with column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 4; route numbers for non-primary routes must be in white characters on the black background
				5. The lorry symbol may be reversed
				6. The lorry symbol may be placed alongside of the named destination
				7. The panel may be varied to the word "Truckstop" or a geographical name and "truckstop", with or without the lorry symbol
				8. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
6	Panel indicating a route to a Ministry of	St George's Barracks	1, 2, 3	1. The destination may be varied in accordance with the entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 1 and more than one destination may be shown

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	•	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
	Defence establishme	ent		 2. The distance to the destination may be shown in accordance with column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 5 3. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
7	Panel indicating a route recommend for pedal cyclists, together with a national cycle route number	Melborou town cent	gh³ = 8.4	1. The destination may be varied in accordance with the entry in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 1 and more than one destination may be shown 2. A symbol in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 representing a destination may be added 3. The distance to the destination may be shown in accordance with column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 5 4. The cycle route number may be varied in accordance with column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at item 3, or omitted 5. The cycle symbol may be reversed and placed to the right of any cycle route number 6. The cycle symbol and route number may be placed alongside the destination 7. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
8	Panel indicating a route to a motorway service area, access to which is	Services = 4	2, 3	 "Services" may be varied to a geographical name and "services" "Services" may be varied to "Rest area" or a geographical name and "rest area" Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescriptic	nDestination panels	Item number in Part 2 sign table	Variants
	reached from a primary or non- primary route			by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7
9	Panel indicating a route to services on a primary or non-primary route (Shown on a primary route sign)	Services	2, 3	1. "Services" may be varied to a geographical name and "services" 2. Where space permits, a rectangular recess may be provided in one of the corners of the panel to accommodate an exit route arm shown by a diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 7 3. If the legend appears on the background shown by diagram A at item 3 of the sign table in Part 2 the white panel must be omitted

Provisions applying to Parts 11 and 12

- 1. Information or a restriction of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 11 must be conveyed by the inclusion of the symbol of the size, colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 5, on a directional sign with an appropriate background.
- 2. In the case of items 10 and 36, the reference in paragraph 1 to a symbol shown in the diagram is to the description of the symbol in column 3, or, in the case of item 10, that description as varied in accordance with column 5.
- **3.** In the case of item 24, the description in column 2 is supplemented by the description in (a) to (d) in column 3.
- **4.** A sign which contains a symbol provided for at item 25 or 26 of the Part 11 sign table may additionally include a legend provided for at an item number in the sign table in Part 12.
- **5.**—(1) An appropriate background for a symbol provided for in the Part 11 sign table is one referred to in column 4 of the sign table in Part 11 by reference to an item number in the sign table in Part 2.

- (2) Unless otherwise stated at the entry in column 4, the reference to an appropriate background is to both backgrounds A and B at the item number in question in the Part 2 sign table.
- **6.** An appropriate background of the type provided for at item 4 of the Part 2 sign table must always incorporate at least one of the following symbols shown in the Part 11 sign table—
 - (a) a "Park and Ride" symbol provided for at item 24;
 - (b) the parking place symbol at item 25;
 - (c) a parking place symbol at item 26.
- 7. An appropriate background of the type provided for at item 7 of the Part 2 sign table must always incorporate the white lorry symbol at item 2 of the Part 11 sign table.
- **8.** An appropriate background of the type provided for at item 8 of the Part 2 sign table must always incorporate the white cycle symbol at item 3 of the Part 11 sign table.
 - **9.** The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

PART 11 General symbols that may be appear on plates in Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
1	Route leading directly to a motorway	16	1	
	(for use on signs indicating a motorway entry slip road)			
2	Route for goods vehicles	<u>12</u>	7	The symbol may be reversed
3	Route for pedal cycles with an indication of a national cycle route number	10 or 8.4 4 6	8.4	1. The cycle route numbers may be varied and may include capital letters and, where indicating another route to which the route leads, shown in brackets, or omitted. Additional route numbers in separate patches may be shown alongside the route number patch

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
	(Alternative types)			2. The background colour of the route number patch must be varied to blue when the route forms part of a regional cycle route network
				3. When indicating a route other than a national or regional cycle route network, the route number and background of the route number patch may be in any contrasting colours. Where the route number patch has a light background the white edge to the patch must be omitted
				4. The background may be varied to brown when the symbol is incorporated in a sign which shows only tourist destinations and leisure facilities
4	Route for pedestrians	14	8, 9	The symbol may be reversed The background may be varied to brown
				when the symbol is incorporated in a sign provided for at item 8 of the sign table in Part 2 and which shows only tourist destinations and leisure facilities
				3. The background and symbol may be of any contrasting colours when incorporated in the sign provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 2
5	Route for ridden horses (bridleway) with an indication of a route number	17.5 H2	8,9 25 8.4	1. The route numbers may be varied and, where indicating another route to which the route leads, shown in brackets, or omitted. Additional route numbers in separate patches may be shown alongside the route number patch
	(Alternative types)	8.4 H25	17.5	2. The route number and background of the route number patch may be in any contrasting colours. Where the route number patch has a light background the white edge to the patch must be omitted
			237	3. The background must be varied to blue or brown when the symbol is incorporated in a

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
				sign provided for at item 8 of the sign table in Part 2 4. The background and symbol may be of any contrasting colours when incorporated in the sign provided for at item 9 of the sign table in Part 2
6	Airport	<u>↑</u> 10	1 to 3	1. The direction in which the symbol points may be varied, but it must not point downwards 2. The symbol must be white when placed on a part of a sign having a blue or dark green background
7	National railway station	10	Diagram A plate: 1 to 5, 8, 9 Diagram B plate: 2 to 5, 8, 9	A white border may be added around the symbol to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
8	London Underground railway station	→ 10	2 to 5, 8, 9	The symbol may be placed on a white rectangular patch to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
9	London bus stop or bus station	→ 10	2 to 5, 8, 9	A bus stop code in white characters on a red circle may be shown with the symbol The symbol may be placed on a white rectangular patch and a white border added around the red circle of any bus stop code to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and bus stop code and the background of the sign
10	(a) A symbol or logo representing a stopping place for tramcars	May be of any appropriate design and colour with a height of 10 stroke widths	2 to 5, 8,	The symbol may be placed on a white rectangular patch, or a white border added, to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Iter	nDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
	or vehicles forming part of a light railway transit system, or boarding place for river services, each being operated by or on behalf of, or under agreement with, Transport for London (b) A symbol representing public transport services outside London operated by or on behalf of a Passenger Transport Executive or traffic authority			
11	Vehicular ferry		Diagram A plate: 1 to 5, 8, 9 Diagram B plate: 2 to 5, 8, 9	The symbol may be varied to show two cars or two lorries and may be reversed in a mirror image The symbol may be white with black vehicles to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
12	Pedestrian ferry	Pedestrian ferry	Diagram A plate:	The symbol may be white with black legend to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite.	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
			1 to 5, 8, 9	
			Diagram B plate:	
			2 to 5, 8, 9	
13	Indication of a diversionary route	7.5 5.5	1 to 3	
	(Alternative types)	7.5 5.5	O	
		7.5 5.5	Δ	
		7.5 5.5	\rightarrow	
		7.5 5.5		
14	Recycling centre	12	2 to 4, 8,	The symbol may be placed on a white rectangular patch to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
15	Public toilets	WC 14	2 to 5, 8,	1. The symbol may be white to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
				2. The symbol background must be the same colour as that part of the sign on which it is placed
				3. The legend "Ladies" or "Gents" may be added
16	Facilities for disabled	<u>ال</u> م	2 to 5, 8,	1. The symbol may be reversed
	persons			2. The black patch must be omitted when the symbol is placed on a dark background, in which case the size of the wheelchair

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
Ite	mDescription	ription Symbol		Variants		
				symbol must be increased proportionally to a height of 14 stroke widths		
17	Shopmobility	14	2 to 5, 8,	1. The word "Shopmobility" must always be used in combination with the symbol		
				2. The symbol may be reversed		
				3. The black patch must be omitted when the symbol is placed on a dark background, in which case the size of the wheelchair and basket symbol must be increased proportionally to a height of 14 stroke widths		
18	Public telephone		2 to 5, 8,	1. The symbol may be reversed		
	стерноне	3		2. The symbol may be white to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign		
				3. The legend "Payphone" or "Cardphone" may be added		
19	Road charging zone	16	2, 3	If the symbol is placed on a dark green background part of a sign a white border must be added around the symbol		
20	Police station	12	2 to 4, 8,	A white border may be added around the symbol to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign		
21	Hospital with accident and	14	Diagram A plate:	1. The "A & E" plate in each case may be placed to the right of the		
	emergency facilities	A&E	1 to 4,	"H" symbol		
	(Alternative types)	or	8, 9 Diagram B plate:	2. A white border may be added to the inside edge of the red		
		A & E not 24 hrs	2 to 4, 8, 9	"H" patch, with the letter "H" remaining the same size, and to the outside of the "A & E" plates to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
22	Hospital with no accident and emergency facilities	No A & E	2 to 4, 8, 9	1. The "No A & E" plate may be placed to the right of the "H" symbol 2. A white border may be added to the inside edge of the blue "H" patch, with the letter "H" remaining the same size, and to the outside of the "No A & E" plate to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
23	Hospital with facilities for treating minor injuries (Alternative types)	Minor injury unit or H 14 Minor injury unit not 24 hrs	2 to 4, 8, 9	1. The "Minor injury unit" plate in each case may be placed to the right of the "H" symbol or shown on its own 2. A white border may be added to the inside edge of the red "H" patch, with the letter "H" remaining the same size, and to the outside of the "Minor injury unit" plates to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
24	Park and Ride scheme providing onward travel by public transport (Alternative types)	or P+	y bus 20 y tramcar y nationa	the background of the sign
25	Parking place	14	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol and associated legend may be shown on a white panel to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign 2. Where the symbol is shown by itself a white border may be added to the inside edge of the blue patch, with the letter "P" remaining the same size, to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
26	Secure parking place approved by the police under the Park Mark safer parking scheme (Alternative types)	14 PARK MARK OF PARK	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol and associated legend may be shown on a white panel to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign 2. Where the symbol is shown by itself a white border may be added to the inside edge of the blue "P" patch, with the letter "P" remaining the same size, and to the outside of the "Park Mark" plate to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign
27	Parking place for solo motor cycles (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol at item 24 or 25)	12	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol may be reversed 2. The size of the motor cycle symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at item 28, 29, 30, 31 or 32
28	Parking place for motor cars (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol at item 24 or 25)	12	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol may be reversed 2. The size of the symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at item 27, 30, 31 or 32
29	Parking place for motorised caravans or caravans drawn by motor vehicles	14	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol may be reversed 2. The size of the symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at items 27, 30, 31 and 32
	(for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown		244	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
	in item 24 or 25)			
30	Parking place for buses (Alternative types) (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown in item 24 or 25)	or 1	2 to 5, 8, 39	1. The size of the symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at items 27, 28, 29, 31 and 32
31	Parking place for goods vehicles (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown in item 24 or 25)	12	2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol may be reversed 2. The size of the symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at items 27, 28, 29, 30 and 32
32	Parking place for pedal cycles (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown in item 24 or 25)		2 to 5, 8, 9	1. The symbol may be reversed 2. The size of the symbol may be varied proportionally when used in combination with a symbol shown at items 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31
33	Parking place with information point	14	2 to 5, 8,	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Symbol	Part 2 sign table item number	Variants
	(for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown in item 24 or 25)			
34	Parking place with facilities for recharging electric vehicles (for use only in combination with the parking place symbol shown in item 24 or 25)	14	2 to 5, 8, 9	
35	Parking place for pedal cycles	14 P 546	10	The cycle symbol may be reversed provided that it remains to the right of the "P" symbol
36	A logo or pictorial representation of a local landmark or historical feature	May be of any appropriate design and colour with a height not exceeding 14 stroke widths	9	

Legends for the parking symbols shown in items 25 and 26 of Part 11

Sign table — Schedule 12, Part 12

(1)	(2)		(1)	(2)		
Ite	mLegend		Ite	nLegend		
1	The following may be used in any appropriate combination— (a) Name or location of the parking place (b) "Free" or "Pay and Display" (c) "Shoppers" or "Commuters"		2	The total number of spaces in the parking place may be indicated on the "P" symbol at item 25 or 26 as shown below, with the numerals varied as appropriate— or or 1200		
	(d) "Long stay" or "Short stay"(e) "Multi-storey"(f) A time period					
3	The following may be displayed as variable legends in red or green characters on the white background of the sign— (a) "FULL";		4	The following, in any appropriate style, may be displayed as variable legends in white or yellow characters on a black background— (a) "FULL"		
	(b) "CLOSED" (c) "SPACES"			(b) "CLOSED"(c) "SPACES"(d) The number of available spaces at any one time		

PART 13

Provisions applying to Parts 14 to 18

- 1.—(1) The location of a tourist destination or leisure facility of a kind described in column 2 of an item in the sign tables in Parts 14 to 18 must be conveyed by the inclusion on a directional sign against an appropriate background of a symbol of the size, colour and type shown in—
 - (a) the diagram in column 3 of the item; or
 - (b) that diagram varied in accordance with column 4.
- (2) A symbol provided for in the sign tables in Parts 14 to 18 may be used with, or instead of, a legend giving the name, or a generic description, of the destination or facility as provided for in Part 3.

- 2. The signs in Part 14 are to be used for destinations or facilities in England, Scotland or Wales.
- **3.** The signs in Part 15 are to be used for destinations or facilities in England or Wales.
- **4.** The signs in Part 16 are to be used for destinations or facilities in England.
- **5.** The signs in Part 17 are to be used for destinations or facilities in Scotland.
- **6.** The signs in Part 18 are to be used for destinations or facilities in Wales.
- 7. An appropriate background for an item in a table in Parts 14 to 18 is—
 - (a) a diagram A or a diagram B background provided for at item 5, 8 or 9 of the sign table in Part 2; or
 - (b) a panel provided for at item 4 of the sign table in Part 9.
- 8. Where the background of the sign is not brown—
 - (a) the brown colour shown as part of the diagram for a symbol in column 3 of a sign table in Parts 14 to 18 must be varied to the background colour used; and
 - (b) the colour of the symbol may be varied to black to provide a contrast with the background.
- **9.** The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

Symbols indicating types of tourist destinations and leisure facilities in England, Scotland or Wales

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Variants	Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants
1	T 1 Tourist Information Centre or Point	14		2.	T 2 Castle of historic or architectura interest	14	- -
3	House of historic or architectura interest	14		4	T 4 Picnic area (Leisure facility)	14	
5	T 5 Youth Hostel		14	6.	T 6 Caravan site which has at least 20		14

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Descriptio (Leisure facility)	n Symbol	Variants	Iter	n Description pitches for casual overnight use	n Symbol	Permitted variants
					(where the site is both a caravan and a camping site, the reference to the number of pitches includes both pitches for caravans and for tents) (Leisure facility)		
7	T 7 Camping site which has at least 20 pitches for casual overnight use (where the site is both a caravan and a camping site, the reference to the number of pitches includes			8.	T 8 Woodland recreation area (Leisure facility)	14	- -

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol		Variants	Itei	n Descriptio	n Symbol	Permitted variants
	both pitches for caravans and for tents)							
9	facility) T 9			The	10.	T 10		
9	Viewpoint (Leisure facility)		14	symbol may be reversed	10.	Light refreshmen facilities (Leisure facility)	7.25	
11	T 11 Restaurant (Leisure facility)	X	12		12.	T 12 Hotel or other overnight accommod	ation	The—symbol may ¹⁴ be reversed
						(Leisure facility)		

Symbols indicating types of tourist destinations and leisure facilities in England or Wales

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)		(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	
Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol		Permitted variants	!	Iten	n Description	n Symbol		Permitted variants	
1	T 101 National Trust(98) property	No.	14			2	T 102 Flower garden or	**	14	The symbol may be reversed	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Itei	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Itei	n Description	•	Permitted variants
					horticultura exhibition		
3	T 103 Preserved railway, tourist railway or railway museum		The symbol may be reversed	4	T 104 Water sport activities (Leisure facility)	14	The symbol may be reversed
5	T105 Church of historic or architectura interest	14 14		6	Cathedral of historic or architectura interest	14	
7	T107 Wildlife park	14		8	Windmill of historic or architectura interest	14	
9	T109 Zoo	S 12	The symbol may be reversed	10	T110 Agricultural museum	$\bigcirc \otimes \otimes$	The— symbol may be reversed
11	T111 Equestrian centre	14		12	Country park (Leisure facility)		3
13	T113 Bird garden	14	The symbol may be reversed	14	T114 Pleasure or theme park	土 土	Both-trees may be of the same type, and either or both trees may be omitted

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Itei	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	! Itei	n Description	n Symbol	Permitted variants
15	T 115 Nature reserve	11	The symbol may be reversed	16	T 116 Historic dockyard or attraction of maritime interest	14	The symbol may be reversed
17	T 117 Air museum	14		18	T118 Beach (Leisure facility)	14	
19	T119 Farm park	12	The symbol may be reversed	20	T 120 Pottery or craft centre	14	
21	T121 Prehistoric site or monument	14		22	T122 Butterfly farm	1	1
23	T123 Canalside attraction		The symbol 8 may be reversed	24	T124 Industrial heritage museum or attraction	14	
25	T125 Watermill of historic or architectura interest	14		26	T126 Aquarium or oceanarium	11	The symbol may be reversed
27	T 127 Site with Roman remains	14	The symbol may be reversed	28	T 128 Heavy horse centre	12	-The symbol may be -reversed

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Itei	n Descriptic	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Itei	n Description	ı Symbol	Permitted variants
29	T 129 Motor museum		The symbol may be reversed	30	T 130 Craft centre or forge	9	The symbol may be reversed
31	T 131 Spa, spring or fountain of particular interest	14		32	T 132 Farm trail	14	
33	T 133 Vineyard	15		34	T 134 Golf course (Leisure facility)	14	The symbol may be reversed
35	T 135 Race course (Leisure facility)	1	The symbol 4may be reversed	36	T 136 Motor sport (Leisure facility)	14 	
37	T137 Cricket ground (Leisure facility)	14		38	T138 Football ground (Leisure facility)	14	
39	T139 Canoeing		The symbol 4may be reversed	40	T140 Fishing	14	The symbol may be reversed
41	T141 Boat hire		The symbol may be reversed	42	T142 Cycle hire	13	The symbol may be reversed

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Ite	n Description	n Symbol	Permitted variants
43	T 143 Woodland walk in a coniferous forest (Leisure facility)	14	The symbol may be reversed	44	Woodland walk in a deciduous or mixed forest (Leisure facility)	\$	The symbol may be reversed
45	T 145 Outdoor pursuits centre	14	The symbol may be reversed	46	T146 Roller skating	14	The symbol may be reversed
47	T147 Ice skating	14	The symbol may be reversed	48	T148 Ski slope	14	The symbol may be reversed
49	T 149 Ten pin bowling	14		50	T 150 Birds of prey centre		The symbol may be reversed
51	A bird reserve under the control of the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds(99)	rspb 14		52	Centre approved by the Rare Breeds Survival Trust(100)	11	
53	T 153 Safari park	M.W.	The symbol may be reversed	54	T154 Battlefield site	10	

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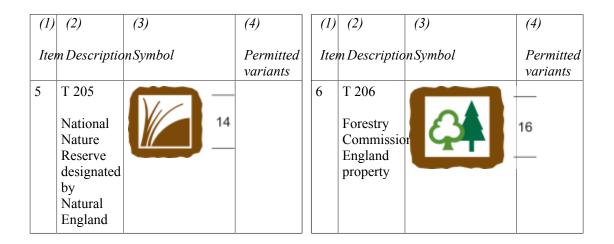
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Itei	n Description	n Symbol	Permitted variants
55	T 155 Brass rubbing centre	14		56	T 156 Tower or folly of historic or architectura interest	14	
57	T 157 Historic building	14		58	T 158 Lighthouse open to the public	16	
59	T 159 Pier		The—symbol may be reversed	60	T 160 Swimming pool or indoor water sports centre (Leisure facility)	14	The symbol may be reversed
61	T161 Tram museum		The—symbol may be reversed	62	T162 Bus museum	هست	The symbol may be reversed
63	T163 Cinema (Leisure facility)		The symbol may be reversed	64	T164 Theatre or concert hall (Leisure facility)	14	
65	Brewing museum or exhibition	14		66	T 166 Cider farm or museum		2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iter	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Ite	n Description	n Symbol	Permitted variants
67	T 167 Rugby ground (Leisure facility)	14		68	T 168 Military museum		The symbol may be reversed
69	T169 Antiques centre	16					

PART 16
Symbols indicating types of tourist destinations and leisure facilities in England

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	m Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants	Ite	n Descriptio	nSymbol	Permitted variants
1	T 201 Tourist destination recognised by the national promoter of tourism for England			2	T 202 Property in the care of English Heritage(10)	14	
3	T 203 Museum or art gallery	14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 1	- \$ -	4	T 204 Sports centre (Leisure facility)	14	

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PART 17
Symbols indicating types of tourist destinations and leisure facilities in Scotland

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iten	n Descriptio	onSymbol	Permitted variants		Itei	n Descripti	onSymbol	Permitted variants
1	T 301.1 Tourist destination recognised by the national promoter of tourism for Scotland		The thistle symbol may be shown in white on a brown sign indicating a National Tourist Route		2	T 302 Property in the care of Historic Scotland(1	02)	The legend "Historic Scotland" may be added
3	T 303.1 National Trust for Scotland(1 property (incorporat symbol T 301.1)	The National Trust	The thistle symbol may be placed 2 to the left of the "National Trust for Scotland"	24	_4	T 304.1 Forestry Commission Scotland property	CA A	16

⁽¹⁰²⁾ Registered as a charity in Scotland (reference: SC045925).

⁽¹⁰³⁾ Registered as a charity in Scotland (reference: SC007410).

(1) (2) (3)	(4)	(1) (2) (3) (4)
Item DescriptionSymbol	Permitted variants	Item DescriptionSymbol Permitted variants
	symbol and legend	

PART 18
Symbols indicating types of tourist destinations and leisure facilities in Wales

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescription	ı Symbol	Permitted variants	Itei	n Description	ı Symbol	Permitted variants
1	T 401 Tourist destination recognised by the national promoter of tourism for Wales		The symbol may be reduced proportionally to a height of 12 stroke widths	2	Museum or art gallery		14
3	T 403.1 Property in the care of the Welsh Ministers and managed by that part of the Welsh Governmen responsible for Wales' historic environmen			4	T 404 Sports centre (Leisure facility)	14	The symbol may be reversed

 $^{({\}bf 104}) The \ part \ of \ the \ Welsh \ Government \ currently \ with \ responsibility \ for \ Wales' \ historic \ environment \ is \ Cadw.$

Provisions applying to Part 20

- 1. Information or a warning, requirement, restriction or prohibition specified in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 20 must be conveyed by a directional sign that includes a symbol provided for in column 3 on an appropriate background.
- **2.** A symbol must be of the colour and type and comply with the requirements as to size, provided for in the diagram in column 3 or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
- **3.** The prohibition specified in column 2 at item 22 of the table must be conveyed by the inclusion of both the circular symbol and the symbol representing a plate and each must comply with paragraph 2.
- **4.** The prohibition specified in column 2 at item 33 of the table must be conveyed by the inclusion of both circular symbols and each must comply with paragraph 2.
 - 5. For the purpose of this Part and Part 20 an appropriate background is—
 - (a) that shown by either diagram A or diagram B at item 1 of the sign table in Part 2 where the sign is placed on an exit slip road or indicates the termination of a motorway;
 - (b) that shown by either diagram A or diagram B at item 2, 3, 4 or 5 of the sign table in Part 2;
 - (c) that shown by the diagram at item 2, 3 or 4 of the sign table in Part 9;
 - (d) that shown by the diagram at item 3, 5 or 6 of the sign table in Part 28.
- **6.** If two or more symbols from the sign table in Part 20 are included in a sign and there is any difference in the size of the symbols as provided for in the relevant diagrams, the size of all the symbols used on the sign must be that of the largest.
- 7. The symbol at item 22 must not be included on a sign with any other symbol provided for in the sign table in Part 20.
 - **8.** The dimensions in the diagrams in the sign table in Part 20 are in stroke widths.
- **9.** A symbol provided for in Part 20 may be varied when used on a directional sign by the addition of a white border around the symbol to ensure adequate contrast between the symbol and the background of the sign.
- **10.** A symbol provided for at item 20, 22, 23, 24 or 39 to 46 of the sign table in Part 20 may be used only on a sign which incorporates a route symbol shown by a diagram in the sign table in Part 7.

PART 20

Warning and regulatory symbols that may be incorporated on directional signs

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
1	Warning of a steep hill downwards	24	The numerals may be varied

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
2	Warning of a steep hill upwards	20% 24	The numerals may be varied
3	Warning of a hump bridge	20	
4	Warning of an opening or swing bridge	20	
5	Warning of a tunnel	20	
6	Maximum headroom available at hazard (Metric and imperial units)	30 14 ⁶ 6"	The numerals may be varied
7	Warning of a zebra crossing	20	
8	Warning of a cattle grid	Cattle grid	
9	Worded warning symbol (Gate)	Gate 24	
10	Worded warning symbol (Gates)	Gates 24	
11	Worded warning symbol (Ford)	Ford 24	
12	Warning of a water course alongside road	20	The symbol may be reversed

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
13	Warning of a road hump or series of road humps	20	
14	Warning of a level crossing with gate or barrier	20	
15	Warning of a railway level crossing without gate or barrier	20	
16	Warning of tramcars crossing	20	
17	Warning of an electrified overhead cable	20	
18	Warning of a cycle crossing	20	The symbol may be reversed
19	No right turn at all times	16	The symbol may be reversed
20	No U-turn at all times (only for use on the signs provided for at items 5 and 6 of the sign table in Part 28)	16	
21	No entry for vehicular traffic	16	
22	All vehicles prohibited except non-mechanically propelled vehicles pushed by pedestrians	16 No webislass = 22	 The distance may be varied The distance may be omitted
		No vehicles 12 mile	3. "No vehicles" may be on two lines

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
			4. "No vehicles" may be varied to "Play Street" with or without a time period and "except for access"
			5. When "No vehicles" is shown a time period may be added
			6. When "No vehicles" is shown, with or without a time period, the legend may include exceptions in accordance with paragraph 15 in Part 3 of Schedule 3
			7. The black border of the rectangular plate symbol may be omitted when the plate is placed on a blue, dark green or brown background part of the sign
23	Motor vehicles prohibited	20	The motor cycle symbol may be reversed
24	Goods vehicles exceeding the maximum gross weight indicated prohibited	30 7.51 30	The numerals may be varied
	(Alternative types)		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
25	Vehicles exceeding the maximum gross weight indicated prohibited (Structural weight limit)	18t 24	"18t" may be varied to "3t", "7.5t", "10t", "13t", "26t" or "33t"
26	Vehicles carrying explosives prohibited	24	
27	Vehicles carrying dangerous goods with the classification code indicated by the sign prohibited from proceeding through a tunnel ahead	24 B 10	1. The classification letter "B" may be varied to "C", "D" or "E" 2. The black border of the rectangular plate may be omitted when the plate is placed on a dark background
28	Buses prohibited (Alternative types)	20 20	
29	Motor vehicles except solo motor cycles prohibited	20	
30	Towed caravans prohibited	20	The symbol may be reversed
31	Solo motor cycles prohibited	20	The symbol may be reversed
32	Horse-drawn vehicles prohibited	20	The symbol may be reversed

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
33	Vehicles or combinations of vehicles exceeding the length indicated prohibited	32°6° 9.9 m	1. The numerals may be varied
	(Imperial and metric units)		2. The two lorry symbols may be reversed
34	Vehicles exceeding width indicated prohibited	2.0 m 30	The numerals may be varied
	(Metric and imperial units)	_	
35	Vehicles exceeding height indicated prohibited	4.4 m 14.6 m	The numerals may be varied
	(Metric and imperial units)	_	
36	Route for use by buses, pedal cycles and taxis only (Alternative types)	taxi taxi 20	The cycle symbol, the word "taxi" or both may be omitted
		taxi taxi 20	
37	Route for use by buses, pedal cycles and solo motor cycles only	20	
	(Alternative types)	local 20	
		ode ode	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
38	Route for use by buses, pedal cycles, solo motor cycles and taxis only (Alternative types)	taxi 24	
		cocal	
39	Route for use by tramcars only	20	
40	Route for use by tramcars and buses only (Alternative types)	20	
		20 elocal = 20	
41	Route for use by tramcars, buses and pedal cycles only (Alternative types)	24	
		24	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
42	Route for use by tramcars, buses, pedal cycles and taxis only (Alternative types)	Jocal 30	
		taxi 🖟	
43	Route for use by tramcars, buses, pedal cycles, solo motor cycles and taxis only (Alternative types)	30 taxi	The word "taxi" may be omitted
		clocal 30	
44	Optional symbol representing a supplementary plate for use with symbols at items 1 to 43, indicating the distance to a hazard or prohibition	2 miles = 3.2	1. The distance may be varied 2. The black border must be omitted when the symbol is placed on a blue, dark green or brown background part of the sign.
45	Optional symbol representing a supplementary plate for use with circular symbols from this table (except items 23, 37 and 38), indicating conditions relating to a prohibition	buses = 3.2	1. The legend may be varied in accordance with paragraphs 8 and 15, or a combination of both, in Part 3 of Schedule 3 2. The legend may be varied

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Symbol	Variants
			to "Except trams" when the symbol is used in combination with the symbol shown by the diagram at item 22
			3. The legend may be varied to "No explosives" or "No inflammables or explosives" when the symbol is used in combination with the symbol at item 27
			4. The legend may be varied to "and authorised vehicles" when the symbol is used in combination with a symbol at items 39 to 46
			5. The black border may be omitted when the symbol is placed on a blue, dark green or brown background part of the sign

Provisions applying to Part 22

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 22 must be conveyed by the sign shown by either diagram A or diagram B in column 3, including any appropriate symbol or legend that is required or permitted by virtue of column 4.
 - 2. A sign for conveying the description of information must be of—
 - (a) the colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3 of that table in respect of that item; and
 - (b) the size appropriate to accommodate a legend of a size specified in column 4 of the table in respect of the item.

PART 22
Sign background for signs indicating services

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	emDescription	Sign background	Legend height, requirements and variants
1	Sign indicating a motorway service area or motorway rest area where parking, toilets and, in the case of a service area, fuel and refreshments are available 24 hours a day throughout the year (Type A and B)	В	1. The x-height of the legend must be not less than 75 mm, nor more than 400 mm; 2. The legend "Services" must be included on the sign or it may be varied to "Rest area", or a geographical name and "services" or "rest area"; 3. Diagram A may incorporate an arrow as shown at item 1 of the sign table in Part 24 and where indicating the exit from a motorway the sign may also incorporate the number of the route to which the exit leads; 4. Diagram A may incorporate a distance in accordance with paragraph 7 of Part 3 of Schedule 18; 5. Diagram B may be reversed to point right; 6. Where diagram A does not incorporate an arrow, it may incorporate the symbols shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 24 at items 2 to 11 except that no more than six symbols, excluding that at item 9, may be shown; 7. Diagram A may incorporate either a panel shown at item 14 or 15 of the sign table in Part 24, except that the panel shown at item 14 must not be incorporated where the sign incorporates a symbol shown at item 11 of that table

(1) (2	2)	(3)	(4)
Item _D	Description	Sign background	Legend height, requirements and variants
indicates a process of the second sec	gn dicating rvices on primary or on-primary ute, other an a otorway rvice area, here fuel, urking, freshments id toilets e available least etween 8 in and 8 in on every ay except irristmas ay, Boxing ay ad New	В	1. The x-height of the legend must be not less than 75 mm, nor more than 300 mm; 2. The legend "Services" must be included on the sign or it may be varied to a geographical name and "services"; 3. Diagram A may incorporate the arrows and symbols shown in Part 24 of this Schedule as appropriate except that no more than six symbols, excluding that at item 12 of the sign table in that Part, may be shown; 4. Diagram A may incorporate a distance in accordance with paragraph 7 of Part 3 of Schedule 18; 5. Diagram A may incorporate either a panel provided for at item 16 or 17 of the sign table in Part 24 of this Schedule; 6. Diagram B may be reversed to point right
(T B)	ear's Day Type A and gn		The reheight of the legend must be not less than 75 mm,
ine eit me tru wl	dicating ther a otorway uckstop here urking,	Α	nor more than 400 mm; 2. The legend "Truckstop" must be included on the sign or it may be varied to a geographical name and "truckstop"; 3. Diagram A may incorporate an arrow shown at item 1 of
to: to: fu- av ho thi the or	freshments, ilets and el are vailable 24 ours a day roughout e year, a non- otorway	в	the sign table in Part 24; 4. Where diagram A indicates a motorway truckstop and does not incorporate an arrow, the sign may incorporate the symbols shown at items 2 to 8 and 11 in the sign table in Part 24 except that no more than six of these symbols may be shown; 5. Where diagram A indicates a non-motorway truckstop
wl pa	ackstop here arking, freshments		it may incorporate the symbols shown at items 2 to 8 in column 3 of the sign table in Part 24 except that no more than six of these symbols may be shown;

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescription	Sign background	Legend height, requirements and variants
	and toilets are available, and fuel may be available, at least between		6. Diagram A, when indicating a motorway truckstop, may incorporate a panel provided for at item 14 or 15 of the sign table in Part 24, except that the panel at item 14 must not be incorporated where the sign incorporates a symbol provided for at item 11 in that table;
	8 am and 8 pm on every day except Christmas		7. Diagram A when indicating a non-motorway truckstop, may incorporate a panel provided for at item 16 or 17 of the sign table in Part 24;
	Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day		8. Diagram A may incorporate a distance in accordance with paragraph 7 of Part 3 of Schedule 18;
	(Type A and B)		9. Diagram B may be reversed to point right

Provisions applying to Part 24

- 1. Information of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 24 must be conveyed on a sign provided for in the sign table in Part 22 by an arrow, symbol or panel (as the case may be) shown in the diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 24, or that diagram as varied or supplemented in accordance with column 5.
- **2.** An arrow, symbol or panel may only be placed on an appropriate diagram A sign (this is subject to paragraph 4).
- **3.** For the purposes of this Part, an appropriate diagram A sign is a sign shown in diagram A in column 2 of the sign table in Part 22 for an item of that table, the number of which is specified in column 4 of the sign table in Part 24.
- **4.** The truck symbol provided for at item 13 of the sign table in Part 24 may be placed on a sign shown in diagram B at item 3 of the sign table in Part 22.
- **5.** The symbol or panel shown by the diagram in column 3 of the sign table in Part 24 at item 9, 11, 14 or 15 may only be incorporated in an appropriate diagram A sign which is placed on the main carriageway of a motorway.
- **6.** The arrows, symbols or panels shown on a sign for conveying a description of information in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 24 must be of the size, colour and type shown in the diagram in column 3.
 - 7. The sizes in the diagram are stroke widths.

PART 24
Arrows, symbols and panels that may be placed on a services sign

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(3)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Part 22 diagram A item number	Variants and supplementary information
1	Directional arrow (Alternative types)	↑ 16 ↑	1, 2, 3 14 —	1. The direction in which the arrow shown by diagram A points may be varied;
		А В		2. The arrow must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
2	Symbol: Restaurant	12	1, 2, 3	The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
3	Symbol: Light refreshment facilities	7.25	1, 2, 3	The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
4	Symbol: Picnic area with a minimum of ten tables, each with seating for six persons	14 14	1, 2, 3	The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
5	Symbol: Overnight accommodation	14	1, 2, 3	The symbol must be reversed when incorporated on a sign with a right pointing arrow; The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
6	Symbol: Tourist Information Centre or Point	14	1, 2, 3	The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign; The background colour of the symbol must be the same as the background of the sign on which it is incorporated

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Part 22 diagram A item number	Variants and supplementary information
7	Symbol: LPG fuel	LPG 14	1, 2, 3	 The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign; The background colour of the symbol must be the same as the background of the sign on which it is incorporated
8	Symbol: Fuel	10	1, 2, 3	The symbol must not be used in combination with the unleaded petrol symbol shown in item 9; The symbol must be white when placed on a blue or black background part of the sign
9	Symbol: Unleaded petrol	10	1	1. The word "Petrol" must always be used in combination with and placed to the left of the symbol; 2. The price of unleaded petrol in pence must be shown to the right of the symbol, followed by the letter "p"; 3. The figures indicating the price of unleaded petrol may be displayed, in any appropriate style, as variable legends in white characters on the blue background of the sign or displayed as variable legends in white or yellow characters on a black background; 4. The symbol must not be used in combination with the fuel symbol shown in item 8
10	Symbol: Facilities for recharging electric vehicles	14	1, 2	The black patch must be omitted when the symbol is placed on a blue background, in which case the size of the car and plug symbol must be increased proportionally to a height of 14 stroke widths

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Part 22 diagram A item number	Variants and supplementary information
11	Symbol: Corporate identifier (more than one identifier may be shown on a sign)	14	1, 3	 The corporate identifier must be a logo of appropriate colours and design, contained within the white border of the square symbol; The background of the symbol within the border may be of any colour appropriate to the logo; The background colour on which the symbol is placed must be black on the sign provided for at item 3 of the sign table in Part 22
12	Symbol: Facilities provided only for vehicles other than heavy goods vehicles	16	2	The symbol must be reversed when incorporated on a sign with a right pointing arrow
13	Symbol: Facilities provided only for heavy goods vehicles (truckstop)		3 12	The symbol may be reversed; "Lorries only" may be added below the lorry symbol
14	Panel: Name of operator (at the top of the sign)	GOOD FOO	DD m	To The name of the operator may be varied, may be in any style of lettering and may include a logo; 2. The legend, logo, background and border may be in any contrasting colours; 3. The border may be omitted
15	Panel: Name of operator (at the top of the	GOODE EGG	1, 3— 16.8 ma	1. The name of the operator may be varied, may be in any style of lettering and may include a logo; 2. The legend, logo and
	sign)			background may be in any contrasting colours;

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Part 22 diagram A item number	Variants and supplementary information
				3. A white border may be added to the inside edge of the panel, to ensure adequate contrast between the panel and the background of the sign
16	Panel: Services not open for 24 hours (within the sign)	not 24 hrs	2-3 = 4	The panel must have white letters on a black background with a white border when incorporated in diagram A at item 3 of the sign table in Part 22
17	Panel: Fuel only available 24 hours a day (at the bottom of the sign)	Fuel only 24	hrs =	The panel must have white letters on a black background with a white border when incorporated in diagram A at item 3 of the sign table in Part 22

Provisions applying to Part 26

- 1. A description of information in column 2 at an item of the sign table in Part 26 must be conveyed by a sign which is of the colour and type, and complies with the requirements as to size, shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
- **2.**—(1) This paragraph applies to a legend on a sign provided for at item 6 or 7 of the sign table in Part 26 where the legend is the name of a place that is a city, town, or village.
- (2) On a sign placed in Scotland, the name of the place may be written in Scottish Gaelic, in addition to English, provided the Scottish Gaelic version is shown above the English.
- (3) Where the name is the same in English and Scottish Gaelic, it may be written only once on the sign in a manner which complies with the requirements of these Regulations applicable to a name written in—
 - (a) English; or
 - (b) Scottish Gaelic.

PART 26
Miscellaneous signs indicating services and local facilities

Sign table — Schedule 12, Part 26

(1)	(2)	(3)			(4)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram			Permitted variants
1	Diagram 2917.1 Availability of motorway service areas ahead, including services for lorries only (truckstop), with distances in miles and geographical names	250 min	M 4 M 5 (N) M 5 (S)	Westville Woodhouse	1. The geographical names of the service areas and the words "NO SERVICES" may be varied or omitted as appropriate; 2 m 2. The lorry symbol and "only" may be omitted to max 10 m 3. The numerals expressing distance may be varied with the only permitted distance that is less than a mile being "2/3 m" with distances greater than 1 mile being expressed to the nearest mile; 4. Motorway numbers, with or without compass points, may be varied or omitted as appropriate; 5. The number of service areas indicated may be varied;
2	Diagram 2917				1. The names of the service area
	Availability of motorway service areas ahead with distances in miles and	175 min 280 max	M 4 M 5 (N) M 5 (S)	STEAKADE ROADCOOK WOODHOU FIFTY	operators and the words "NO SERVICES" may be varied or omitted as appropriate:
	names of operators		14 0 (0)		with distances greater than 1 mile being expressed to the nearest mile; 3. Motorway numbers, with or without compass points, may be varied or omitted as appropriate 4. The number of service areas indicated may be varied;

(1,	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescription	Diagram	Permitted variants
3	Diagram 2918 Distance to next motorway service area	Services — 250 min — 400 max	The numeral may be varied with the distance expressed in miles to the nearest mile
4	Diagram 2918.1 Sign placed on or near a motorway indicating that services are not available	No services on motorway — 250 min 400 max	
5	Sign placed on or near a primary or non- primary route indicating that services are not available on motorway ahead	No services on M 41 = 75 min 300 max	 The motorway number may be varied and include a compass point as appropriate; The motorway number may be varied to "motorway"
6	Diagram 2308.1 Junction ahead on a primary or non-primary route leading to a small town or village not on a main through route, which provides parking, public toilets, refreshments and fuel during normal shop opening hours at least	Thorpe St Michael local facilities Thorpe St Michael local facilities WC St Michael local facilities WC St Michael local facilities	The place name may be varied of omitted; 50 min 300 max 2. "local" must be varied to "Local" when the place name is omitted; 3. "local facilities" may be omitted; 4. A distance in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18 may be added except that the distance must not be expressed in yards; 5. The direction in which the arrow points may be varied and where the arrow points ahead and there is a single line of legend, the arrow shown by diagram B at item 1 of the table in Part 24 of this Schedule must be used;

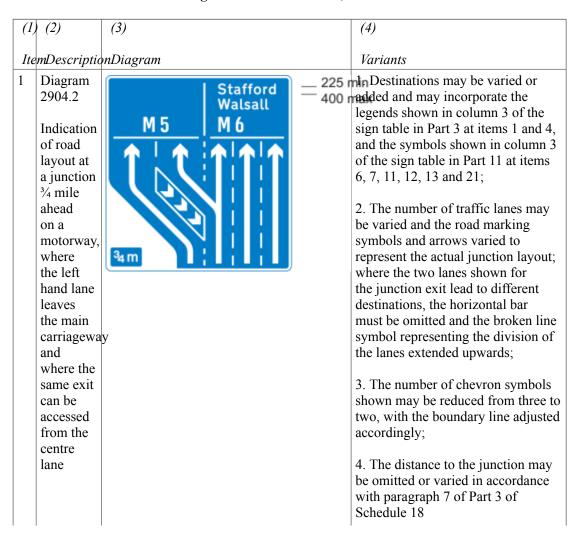
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescription (Alternative types)	Diagram	Permitted variants 6. Symbols other than the "WC", petrol pump and cup (denoting light refreshments) may be omitted as appropriate; the wheelchair symbol (denoting facilities for disabled people), when shown, must always be placed to the right of the "WC" symbol; the "i", spoon and fork, and bed symbols represent tourist information, restaurant and overnight accommodation respectively and symbols may be shown on a single line
7	Diagram 2309.1 Direction and distance in miles to a small town or village offering facilities indicated on the sign shown in item 5 of this table		2. "local" must be varied to "Local" when the place name is omitted; 3. The direction in which the sign points may be reversed; 4. The distance may be varied to another in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18 except that the distance must not be expressed in yards

Provisions applying to Part 28

- 1. Information or a warning of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 28 must be conveyed by a sign which is of the colour and type, and complies with the requirements as to size, shown in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
 - 2. A sign provided for at item 17 must be internally lit.
- **3.**—(1) This paragraph applies to a legend that is used on a sign provided for at item 2, 3 (other than when placed on a motorway), 7, 8, 9 or 10 of the table in Part 28 where the legend is the name of a place that is a city, town, village or tourist destination.
- (2) On a sign placed in Scotland, the name of the place may be written in Scottish Gaelic, in addition to English, provided the Scottish Gaelic version is shown above the English.
- (3) Where the name is the same in English and Scottish Gaelic, it may be written only once on the sign in a manner which complies with the requirements of these Regulations applicable to a name written in—

- (a) English; or
- (b) Scottish Gaelic.
- **4.** Paragraph 2 of the Schedule 12 General Directions, applies to the sign provided for at item 21 of the sign table in Part 28.
 - **5.**—(1) The signs mentioned in sub-paragraph (2) need not be illuminated.
 - (2) The signs are those provided for at items 7, 8, 9, 14, 19, 20 and 21 of the Part 28 sign table.
 - (3) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign provided for at item 8 when placed on a motorway.

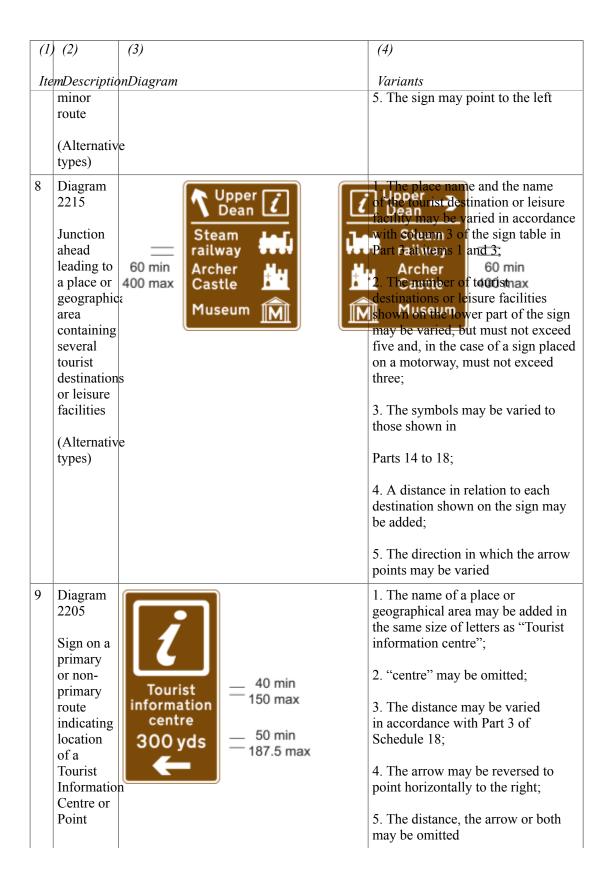
Other directional signs



(1) (2)(3) (4) *ItemDescriptionDiagram* Variants Diagram 1. Destinations may be varied or The SOUTH 2017.1 150 added and may incorporate the Lampton London 300 legends shown in column 3 of the Indication sign table in Part 3 at items 1 and 4, of road the panels shown in column 3 of the layout at sign table in Part 9 at items 1 and 3, a junction and the symbols shown in Part 11 3/4 mile (other than items 1 to 5); ahead on a primary 2. The number of traffic lanes may route, be varied and the road marking 3₄ m where symbols and arrows varied to the left represent the actual junction layout. hand lane Where the two lanes shown for leaves the junction exit lead to different the main destinations, the horizontal bar must be omitted and the broken line carriageway symbol representing the division of and where the the lanes extended upwards; same exit can be 3. The number of chevron symbols accessed shown may be reduced from three to from the two, with the boundary line adjusted centre accordingly; lane 4. The distance to the junction may omitted or varied in accordance with paragraph 7 of Part 3 of Schedule 18 3 Diagram 1. Destinations may be varied or The SOUTH 2019.1 60 min added and may incorporate the London .ampton 300 maxlegends shown in column 3 of the Indication sign table in Part 3 at items 1, 2 and of 4, the panels shown in Part 9 and appropriate the symbols shown in column 3 of traffic the sign table in Parts 11 (other than lanes at a items 1 to 5) and 20; junction 2. The number of traffic lanes and or at a junction arrows, the widths of individual lanes and the lengths of horizontal ahead where bars, may be varied and may the right indicate an arrangement of shared hand lane lanes in a similar manner to column divides 3 of the sign table in Part 5 at item into two, the 3. The route numbers must be white additional and the background blue when the lane on sign is placed on a motorway exit

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ItemD	escriptio)	nDiagram		Variants
the least to diff des (di she col ap) to a p	e right ading			slip road or the main carriageway of a motorway where it terminates at a junction ahead; 4. The legend, traffic lane symbols, arrows and sign border must be black and the background white when the sign is placed on a non-primary route
Jui aho on mo wii ano	otorway	M 25/M 26 Junction 2 miles	250 min 	1. Route numbers may be varied in accordance with the entries in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 4; 2. The junction number in white numerals on the blue background may be added after the word "Junction"; 3. Numerals indicating the distance in miles may be varied with the distance being expressed in miles to the nearest mile
20 and 20 Promo ahd a promo wi	ohibited ovement ead on orimary ute ith an dication	300 min 1200 max	300 yards Northtown 2010.1	3. The "no right turn" symbol may
ave	a route oiding at ohibition	75 min 300 max	Bell Green B 2110	be reversed to indicate a prohibited left turn or, in diagram 2010.1, varied to the "no U-turn" symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20 at item 20; 1200 max Destinations may be varied or added and may incorporate the legends shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 of this Schedule at items 1 and 4, the panels shown

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDiagram	in Part 9 and the symbols shown in Part 11 (other than items 1 to 5); 5. The names of destinations and route numbers may be placed directly on the green background, with the white background omitted, provided destinations are in white lettering and the route numbers are
6	Diagrams 2123 and 2124 Prohibited movement ahead on a non-primary route with an indication of a route avoiding that prohibition	75 min	in yellow. 1. Numerals in the upper panel of diagram 2h23 indicating the distance to the prohibited turn may be varied; 2. The route symbols and representation of the road layout may be varied as appropriate, except that the width of the route symbols must not be varied; 3. The "no right turn" symbol may be reversed to indicate a prohibited left turn or, in diagram 2123, varied to the "no U-turn" symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20 at item 20; 4. Destinations may be varied or added and may incorporate the legends shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at items 1 and 4, the panels shown in Part 11 (other than items 1 to 5)
7	Diagram 2141 Direction for traffic on a minor	NEWTON LONGVILLE - 40 r	
	route to a destination reached along another	60 r	MaxThe shape of the end of the sign may be varied; 4. A thin black border may be added or omitted as appropriate;



(1) (2)	(3)	(4)
<i>ItemDescription</i>	nDiagram	Variants
Sign on a primary or non-primary route indicating distance ahead to a parking place with public toilets that has facilities for disabled persons, Tourist Informatio Centre or Point, public telephone, picnic area and	Scottsville PWC 3 400 yards = 60 min 250 max	1. The name of the place may be varied (including to a geographical area) or omitted; 2. The recycling symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at item 14 may be added; 3. Any of the symbols may be omitted but there must be at least two symbols on the sign including the "P" and either the "i", picnic area or viewpoint symbol. The wheelchair symbol, when used, must be placed to the right of the "WC" symbol; it must not be included without the "WC" symbol; 4. The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18; 5. An arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right may be added; 6. The wheelchair and viewpoint symbols must be reversed when an arrow pointing to the right is added;
viewpoint		7. The distance may be omitted when an arrow is added
Diagram 2301.1 Sign on a primary or non-primary route indicating distance and direction to a caravan site which has at least 20 pitches	Rose Bay 200 yds — 50 min 250 max	 The name of the caravan site may be varied or omitted; The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18; The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right; The distance or the arrow, but not both, may be omitted

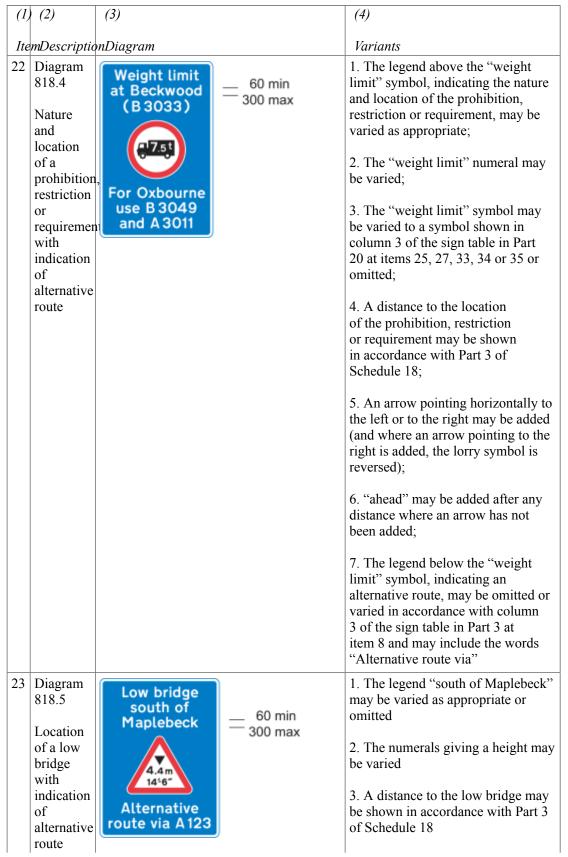
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ItemDescription	onDiagram	Variants
(where the site is both a caravan and a camping site, the reference to the number of pitches includes both pitches for caravans and for tents)		
Sign on a primary or non-primary route indicating distance and direction to a camping site which has at least 20 pitches (where the site is both a caravan and a camping site, the reference to the number of pitches includes	Long Hill 100 yds 250 min 250 max	 The name of the camping site may be varied or omitted; The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18; The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right; The distance or the arrow, but not both, may be omitted

(1) (2)	(3)	(4)
ItemDescripti	onDiagram	Variants
both pitches for caravans and for tents)		
13 Diagram 2303 Sign on a primary or non-primary route indicating distance and direction to a hostel	Youth Hostel 200 yds = 50 min 250 max	 "Youth Hostel" may be varied to "Tourist hostel" in which case the symbol must be omitted; The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18; The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right; The distance or the arrow, but not both, may be omitted
14 Diagram 2305 Sign on a primary or non-primary route indicating distance and direction to a picnic area	Carlton Glen 200 yds = 50 min 250 max	1. The name of the picnic area may be varied or omitted; 2. The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18; 3. The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right; 4. The distance or the arrow, but not both, may be omitted
15 Diagram 2703.1 Permanent mounted sign indicating a diversion route (Type A and B)	- 120 min _ 500 max B - 125 min _ 625 max	1. The symbol may be varied to one shown in column 3 of the table in Part 11 at item 13; more than one symbol may be shown; 2. Where a symbol is placed above another, the size and proportions of the chevron in diagram B must be varied as appropriate; 3. The direction in which the arrow points in diagram A may be varied; when pointing to the left the arrow

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Ite	mDescriptio	nDiagram	wariants must be placed to the left of the symbol;
			4. When the arrow in diagram A is pointing ahead it may be placed either to the left or to the right of the symbol and diagram B, shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 5 at item 1, must be used where there is one symbol or a single row of symbols;
			5. The arrow in diagram A may be varied to the arrow shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 5 at item 2;
			6. The sign shown by diagram B may be reversed to point left
16	Diagrams 2709 and 2710		1. The name of the incident point may be varied or omitted; Ash Tunnel 1. The direction in which the arrow
	Permanent mounted sign indicating a route		points in diagram 2709 may be varied; 2710 3. The arrow in diagram 2709 may be omitted and
	for emergency vehicles to a named emergency		the U-turn arrow, in white, shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 5 at item 2, placed to the right of the legend;
	services incident point		4. The sign shown by diagram 2710 may be reversed to point right
17	Diagram 2711.1	<i>A</i>	1. The symbols and arrows may be reversed to indicate an exit to the left;
	Direction and distance to emergency exit for	$ \begin{array}{c c} $	2. The arrow inidiagram B may point vertically apwards with the symbol facing either to the left or to the right;
	pedestrians from a tunnel	286	3. The distance may be varied or omitted;

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	(Alternativ types)	e	4. Where emergency exits are more than 880
	31 /		yards apart, distances must be expressed in miles, denoted by "miles" or "mile" as appropriate, and must be to the nearest ¼ mile with the fractions ¾, ½ and ¼ being used
18	Diagram 2922	Works unit only = 250 min 400 max	
	Exit from a motorway for works traffic only		
19	Diagram 2801 and 2802		1. The word "Goods" may be romitted or varied as appropriate to rindicate the type or types of vehicle
	Sign on a primary or non-primary	2801 AA Goods Vehicle	tested; 2. The testing station symbol may be omitted;
	route	Testing Station = 50 1	3.A distance may be added;
	or direction to a testing station for goods	2802	4. The direction in which the arrow points in diagram 2801 may be varied; when pointing to the right it must be placed on the right hand side of the sign with the symbol, if shown, placed to the left of the legend;
	vehicles		5. When the arrow in diagram 2801 is pointing ahead it may be placed either on the left hand or right hand side of the sign, with the symbol, if shown, placed at the opposite end of the sign;
			6. The arrow in diagram 2801 may be omitted and the U-turn arrow shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 5 at item 2, placed on the right hand side of the sign, with the

(1) (2)	(3)	(4)
ItemDescription	onDiagram	 Variants symbol, if shown, placed to the left of the legend; 7. The sign shown by diagram 2802 may point to the left, with the symbol, if shown, placed to the righ of the legend
Diagram 2601.2 Indication of a route for cyclists through a road junction ahead (Alternative types)	Town centre = 25 min 100 max	1. Destinations may be omitted, varied or added and may incorporat the legends shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 1; 2. A distance may be added; 3. The symbols indicating the road layout and the route for cyclists may be varied as appropriate except the individual symbol widths
Diagram 2610.2 Direction along a public right of way, concession path or permissive path indicated by waymarks		1. The direction in which the arrow points may be varied, the shaft may be extended and curved; 2. The colour of the arrow may be varied to indicate the type of route, with the background in any colour; 3. "Public Footpath", "Footpath", "Bridleway", "Byway", "Restricted Byway", "Concessionary Path", "Permissive Path" (or other appropriate description for conveying the direction of a public right of way, concessionary path or permissive path) may be added on, or adjacent to, the arrow; 4. The name of a destination, a route and an identifying symbol of a route, in any combination, may be added on or adjacent to the arrow; 5. A distance may be added; 6. A legend may be in any style, siz and contrasting colour



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Ite	mDescriptio	onDiagram	Variants
	1	J	4. An arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right may be added
			5. "ahead" may be added after any distance where an arrow has not been added
			6. The legend below the "height limit" symbol, indicating an alternative route, may be omitted or varied and may include the legends shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 3 at item 8
24	2502	Pwc >	1. The lorry, "WC" and telephone symbol may be omitted as appropriate
	Sign on a primary or non-primary	1 mile 60 min 250 max	2. The recycling symbol shown in column 3 of the table in Part 11 at item 14 may be added
	route indicating distance to a goods vehicles parking		3. The "i" symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 at item 33 may be added where the parking place includes a general information point not associated with tourist destinations
	place ahead with public toilets		4. The distance may be varied in accordance with Part 3 of Schedule 18
	and telephones		5. An arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right may be added
			6. An arrow pointing horizontally to the right may be added provided that the lorry symbol, if shown, is reversed
			7. The distance may be omitted when an arrow is added

PART 29

The Schedule 12 General Directions

1. Paragraph 2 applies to a sign provided for—

- (a) in this Schedule which has a diagram B background as shown at an item in the sign table in Part 2 or 22.;
- (b) at item 7 in Part 26; or
- (c) at item 7, 15 (type B), 16 (diagram 2710) or 19 (diagram 2802) of Part 28.
- 2. The sign may only be placed at a junction.
- 3. Paragraph 4 applies to a sign—
 - (a) which has a background provided for at item 9 of the Part 2 sign table (routes for pedestrians); or
 - (b) provided for at item 21 of the sign table in Part 28 (direction along a public right of way etc.).
- **4.** The back of the sign may be of any colour.

SCHEDULE 13

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs only for use in temporary situations

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

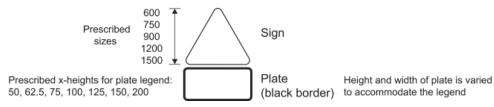
- 1. A warning of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a triangular sign that is of—
 - (a) the colour and type provided for in the diagram in column 3; and
 - (b) the size shown in the diagram above the table.
 - 2. A plate containing a legend provided for in column 4 ("a first associated plate") must—
 - (a) be of the colour and type; and
 - (b) comply with the requirements as to size,

provided for in the diagram above the table.

- **3.** If there is a number in column 5, the equivalent item number in the table in Part 4 is a supplementary associated plate for the triangular sign in question.
- **4.** The number in column 6 indicates that the equivalent numbered Schedule 13 General Direction applies to the triangular sign in question.

PART 2

Signs for use in temporary situations



Sign table — Schedule 13, Part 2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplement associated plate by reference to item number in the Part 4 sign table	asschedule 13 General Directions
1	Diagram 551.1 Migratory toad crossing ahead		"For" and a distance		
2	Diagram 554A Worded warning sign (Flood)	Flood	 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 		
3	Diagram 554D Worded warning sign (No Smoking)	No smoking	2. A distance with or without an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; or2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right		
4	Diagram 554.2 Risk of ice or packed snow ahead	*	 "Ice"; "Ice for" and a distance; "Snowdrifts"; or "Snowdrifts for" and a distance 		1
5	Diagram 556 Uneven road ahead		"For" and a distance	1	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplement associated plate by reference to item number in the Part 4 sign table	aSchedule 13 General Directions
6	Diagram 557 Slippery road ahead		"For" and a distance		
7	Diagram 562 Other danger ahead		1. A word or phrase at paragraph 4; 2. A word or phrase at paragraph 4 followed by a distance; or 3. The legend at 1 or 2 with an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 4. The words and phrases are— (a) Accident; (b) Census; (c) Dust cloud; (d) Fallen tree; (e) Frost damage; (f) Overhead cable repairs; (g) Runners in road; (g) Smoke; (h) Walkers in road	1, 2 or 3	1, 2
8	Diagram 950 Cycle race or test ahead		A phrase at paragraph 4; A phrase at paragraph 4 followed by a distance; or		1

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	-	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplement associated plate by reference to item number in the Part 4 sign table	tat S chedule 13 General Directions
	(Alternative types)		 3. The legend at 1 or 2 with an arrow pointing to the left or to the right; 4. The phrases are— (a) Child cycle tests; (b) Child cycle tests; (c) Child cycle training; (d) Cycle event; 		
9	Diagram 7001 Road works or temporary obstruction of carriageway ahead		 A distance; "For" and a distance; A word or phrase at paragraph 8 (where "End" indicates the end of all restrictions or prohibitions associated with road works); A word or phrase at paragraph 8 (other than "End") followed by a distance; An arrow pointing to the left or to the right on its own or with the legend at 1, 3 or 4; "On" and a route number, with or without a direction of travel; or A route number with or without a direction of travel; The words and phrases are— (a) Line painting; (b) At level crossing; 		4, 6(1)

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(d) Ditching; (e) Grass cutting; (f) Gritting; (g) Gully emptying; (h) Hedge cutting; (i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;	Item	Description	Diagram		associated plate by reference to item number in the Part 4	ta s chedule l General Directions
(e) Grass cutting; (f) Gritting; (g) Gully emptying; (h) Hedge cutting; (i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(c) Blasting;		
(f) Gritting; (g) Gully emptying; (h) Hedge cutting; (i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(d) Ditching;		
(g) Gully emptying; (h) Hedge cutting; (i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(e) Grass cutting;		
(h) Hedge cutting; (i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(f) Gritting;		
(i) Lighting maintenance; (j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(g) Gully emptying;		
(j) Mobile road works; (k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(h) Hedge cutting;		
(k) On hard shoulder; (l) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(i) Lighting maintenance;		
(I) On slip road; (m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(j) Mobile road works;		
(m) Overhead works; (n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(k) On hard shoulder;		
(n) Road sweeping; (o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(l) On slip road;		
(o) Salting; (p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(m) Overhead works;		
(p) Sign erection; (q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(n) Road sweeping;		
(q) Sign maintenance; (r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(o) Salting;		
(r) Snow ploughing; (s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(p) Sign erection;		
(s) Surveying; (t) Tree cutting;				(q) Sign maintenance;		
(t) Tree cutting;				(r) Snow ploughing;		
				(s) Surveying;		
(u) Weed spraying;				(t) Tree cutting;		
				(u) Weed spraying;		
(v) End				(v) End		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	First associated plate legend	Supplemen. associated plate by reference to item number in the Part 4 sign table	ta S chedule 1 General Directions
10	Diagram 7009 Loose chippings on road ahead		 A distance; "For" and a distance; or An arrow pointing to the left or to the right on its own or with the legend at 1 or 2 	2 or 3	3

PART 3

Provisions applying to plates in Part 4

- 1. A warning of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 4 must be conveyed by a plate that—
 - (a) is of the colour and type; and
 - (b) complies with the requirements as to size,

provided for in the diagram in column 3.

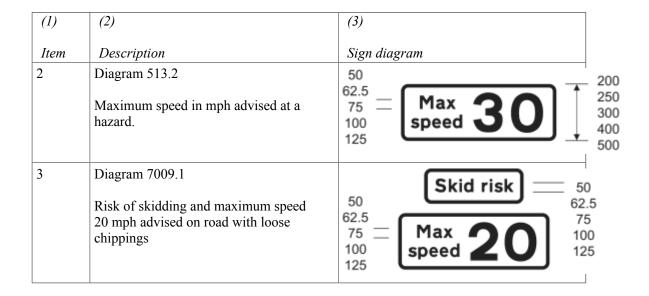
- **2.** In relation to item 3, the warning is conveyed by both of the plates and paragraph 1 applies to each of those plates.
 - **3.** The plate provided for at item 2 may have a different numeral to that shown in the diagram.

PART 4

Optional supplementary plates used only in combination with signs shown in Part 2

Sign table — Schedule 13, Part 4

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Description	Sign diagram
1	Diagram 511	62.5
	Reduction in speed necessary at a hazard ahead	REDUCE 575 100 125 150 200



PART 5

Provisions applying to signs in Part 6

- 1. A warning, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 6 must be conveyed by a sign that is of the colour and type, and complies with the requirements as to size, provided for in the diagram in column 3, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4.
- **2.** In respect of items 9 and 10, each lamp incorporated into the sign must show an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute, and in such a manner that the lights of one horizontal pair are always shown when the lights of the other horizontal pair are not shown.
- **3.** If a number appears in column 5, the equivalent paragraph number in Part 7 applies to the sign in question.
 - **4.** The provisions of Part 8 apply to cones (item 4), delineators (item 5) and cylinders (item 6).
- **5.** A number in column 6 indicates that the equivalent numbered Schedule 13 General Direction applies to the sign in question.
- **6.** Where provision is made in column 4 for a different logo to that shown in the diagram to be included, the logo may incorporate any image and lettering in any style and colour.
- **7.** Where provision is made in column 4 for the name of an organisation to be used instead of a logo, that is a reference to the name being used other than as part of a logo and is not to be taken as preventing the name of the organisation from being incorporated into a logo.

PART 6
Additional Temporary Signs

Sign table — Schedule 13, Part 6

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
1	Diagram 7006.1 Information on telephone number to be used for enquiries about road works	\$\frac{\mathbb{highways}{\mathbb{england}}}{0300}\$ 123 5000	on The Highways England ogo may be varied to another logo used by Highways England or eplaced by "Highways England"; 2. The logo may be varied to "Scottish Government", "Welsh Government" or a logo of the Scottish or Welsh Government; 3. The logo may be varied to the name or logo of that part of the Scottish or Welsh Government that is, by virtue of the organisation of the government, responsible for the maintenance or improvement of the road; 4. The logo may be varied to the name or logo of another traffic authority; 5. The telephone number may be varied	9	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
2	Diagram 7007.1 Relevant particulars of major construction or improvement scheme being carried out on road ahead	Goodier's Improve	ransport logo may be varied to another logo used by the Department or replaced by "Department	min max	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants		e Schedule I ntGeneral Directions
			for the maintenance or improvement of the road; (d) the name or logo of another traffic authority; 5. The particulars of the construction or improvement scheme may be varied	,	
3	Diagram 7008 Nature of street works, giving names of undertaker and contractor, emergency telephone number, and apology for in- convenience (Sign for pedestrians)	WATER MAIN REN Completion expe September 20: Contractor - N E Sam Emergency Telep	1. The name of the undertaker (and logo) and contractor, the nature of the works, the completion date and telephone number may be varied; 2. Each line of lettering may have a different x-height which must be smaller than the telephone number;	10	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule I ntGeneral Directions
4	Diagram 7101.1 Edge of a route for vehicle traffic through or past a temporary obstruction (Traffic cone)	0.25 H H 450 min 0.4 H 1000 max 0.1 H min	The colour of the base may be varied in accordance with Part 8, paragraph 2 7.5° min 45° max base 70 max	12	4
5	Diagram 7102 Edge of a route for vehicular traffic through or past a temporary obstruction on a motorway or dual carriageway road (Flat traffic	H 750 min 1000 max Optional white		2, 12	4
	delineator)	100 mm wide d	0.75 H min		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iter	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule ntGeneral Direction
6	Diagram 7103 Line of division of traffic flows on one carriageway, or to indicate the edge of a route for vehicular traffic through or past a temporary obstruction, or to mark a boundary between two carriageways of a dual carriageway road which may not be crossed except for fire and rescue authority, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, ambulance or police purposes (Traffic cylinder)	75 min 125 max dia H 450 min 1000 max	0.25 H		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
7	Diagram 7104 Sharp deviation of route at or near road works or other temporary obstructions	900, 18 200 400 600 800 45°	The sign may be reverset to show a deviation to the right mum length	200, 400	4, 8
8	Diagram 7105 Position of barrier to mark length of road closed to traffic or to guide traffic past an obstruction	150 150 250 250	1250 ninimum length		4, 8

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants		e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
9	Diagram 7402 Lanes closed to traffic ahead by vehicles carrying out mobile road works (Alternative types)	_	1. The number of arrows and symbols indicating the number of lanes and those which are open or closed to traffic may be varied; 2. '500 yds may be varied to an alternative distance to the nearest 50 yards, to Ahead' or, on the lower shage, to "On slip road" on two lines; 3. The distance plate may be omitted 1350 1300	9	4, 6(3)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule ntGeneral Directions
110	Diagram 7403 Other traffic to keep to the right of vehicles carrying out mobile road works (Alternative types)	2500	The arrow may point downwards to the left 1500 1500 1500 300	1, 9	4, 6(3)
11	Diagram 610 Sign— (a) attached to the front or back of a road maintenance vehicle to indicate the side on which traffic should pass; or (b) placed in relation	1500	1. Arrow may point downwards to the left; 2. When attached to a vehicle, the diameter of the sign may be reduced to 1200 or 900 mm where it is not practicable to mount the 1500 millimetre diameter sign on the vehicle; 3. When placed in relation to an emergency or breakdown vehicle, the diameter may be reduced to 1200 or 900 mm	1, 11	6(1), 6(2)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule 13 nt&eneral Directions
	to an emergency or breakdown vehicle which is temporarily obstructing the road to warn other traffic of the obstruction and to indicate the way past the vehicle				
12	Diagram 7404 Nature of work being done by vehicle working on the highway (Sign attached to a road maintenance vehicle)	HIGHW	1. "HIGHWAY" may be manifed to "MOTORWAY5" min or "ROAD"; 150 max 2. The legend may be on one line	9, 10	4, 6(3)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requirement in Part	e Schedule I ntGeneral Directions
13	Diagram 7202.1 Temporary lane availability (Alternative types)	200, 250, 300, 350 900 1125 1350 1575 100 125 150 175 200 y	1. The number of arrows and symbols indicating the number of lanes and those which are open or closed to traffic may be varied; 2. Where the sign has a dotton panel, the legend may be varied to another distance or to "On slip road", provided the legend appears on no more than three lines	9	4
14	Diagram 7243	160, 200, 240 arrow	1. In the top panel the legend may be—	9	4, 5
	Temporary road layout with lane restrictions	100 125 = SHOU 150 65 85 100 = Max speed	(a) varied to "REJOIN MAIN CARR AGEWAY" or "NARROW LANES"; (b) on one line; 2. The top-panel may be omitted; 3. In the midd e panel— (a) the arrows and symbols may be varied to indicate the layout of the traffic tancs provided that the stape of an arrow head is not varied;		
			(b) an individual arrow may include more than one arrow head;		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	
			(c) the numerals on the width limit symbol may be varied;		
			(d) the width limit symbol may be omitted or varied to a symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 20 of Schedule 12 at items 24, 25, 28, 30, 33, and 35;		
			(e) the size of a symbol referred to in paragraph (d) may be varied from that shown for the symbol in Part 20 of Schedule 12;		
			(f) route numbers may be added with the x-height being 100, 125 or 150 mm;		
			(g) the route numbers referred to in paragraph (f) may be followed by "only" at the same x-height;		
			(h) a motorway junction number in white characters on a black patch may be added in a manner similar to the patch shown in the diagram at item 15, the x- height being 80, 100 or 120 mm;		
			(i) a horizontal bar may be added in the manner shown in the diagram at item 15 where two or more lanes are associated with the same route number;		
			(j) a white downward pointing arrow, as shown in the upper diagram at item 13, may be added to		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule ntGeneral Direction
			indicate a contraflow traffic lane 4. In the bottom panel— (a) the numerals indicating the maximum speed advised may be varied; (b) the legend may be varied to a distance with an x-height of 100 mm, 125 mm or 150 mm; (c) the distance referred to in paragraph (b) may be preceded by "For"; 5. The bottom panel may be omitted		
5	Diagram 7244 Temporary road layout, with an indication of destinations and route numbers, where the sign is placed on a motorway	CAPITAL LETTER HEIGHT 200 min 300 max 80 min 120 max 800 1	Hegend "USE HARD SHOULDER", "REJOIN MAIN CARRIAGEWAY", "NARROW LANES", "EVENT RAFFICAX or other appropriate legend, may be added above the top panel in a manner similar to the top panel shown in the diagram at item 14 with an x-he ght of not less than 100 mm, nor more than 150	9	4, 5

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants		e Schedule 1. ntGeneral Directions
			item 13, may be added to indicate a contraflow traffic lane;	/	
			(c) the symbol indicating a closed lane, as shown in the diagrams at item 13, may be added;		
			(d) where the sign is placed other than on a motorway, any route number must have characters of the form shown in Part 2 of Schedule 17 with an x-height of not less than 100 mm, nor more than 150 mm;		
			(e) a symbol shown in a diagram in Part 11 or 20 of Schedule 12 may be added and the size of the symbol may be varied from that shown;		
			(f) a destination or route number may be varied or omitted, and additional destinations and route numbers added;		
			(g) the junction number may be varied or omitted;		
			3. In the bottom panel the distance may be varied;		
			4. The bottom panel may be omitted		

(1	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
It	em Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requirement in Part	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
	Diagram 7245 Temporary road layout	200, 100 125 150 175 60 75 90 105 Max speed 3	a) varied to "USE HARD SHOULDER" or "NARROW LANES"; (b) on one line; 2 the top panel may be omitted; 220 275 In the middle panel— 440 (a) the arrows and symbols may be varied to indicate the layout of the traffic lanes provided the shape of an arrow head is not be varied; (b) an individual arrow may include more than one arrow head; (c) black symbols representing the division of traffic lanes may be added in a manner similar to that shown at item 14 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 11 or at item 1 of the sign table in Part 28 of Schedule 12; (d) a white downward pointing arrow as shown in the upper diagram at item 13 may be added to indicate a contraflow traffic lane; (e) destinations and route numbers may be added with an x-height of 100, 125, 150 or 175 mm;	9	4, 5

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	
			(f) a junction number panel may be added in a manner similar to that shown in the diagram at item 15, the x-height being 80, 100, 120 or 140 mm;	,	
			(g) symbols provided for in Parts 11, 12, 14, 15, 17 and 18 of Schedule 12 may be added;		
			4. In the bottom panel—		
			(a) the numerals indicating the maximum speed advised may be varied;		
			(b) the legend may be varied to a distance with an x-height of 100, 125, 150 or 175 mm;		
			(c) the distance may be preceded by "For";		
			5. The bottom panel may be omitted		
	Diagram 633 Vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the sign where displayed by a constable in uniform or by a traffic warden	STOP POLICE	A red or transparent protective strip, with a visible width not exceeding 6 mm, may be applied to the perimeter of the sign		10

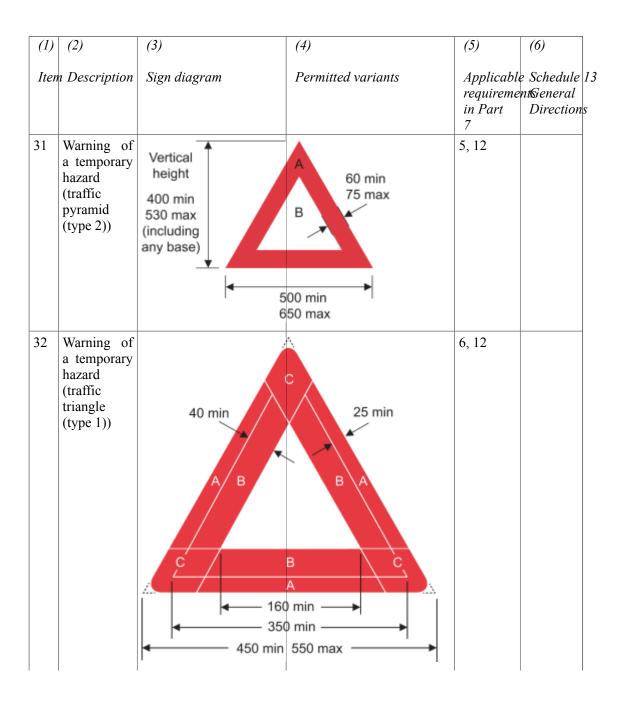
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requirement in Part	e Schedule . ntGeneral Directions
18	Diagram 633.1 Vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the sign	450 540 600 900	A red or transparent protective strip, with a visible width not exceeding 6 mm, may be applied to the perimeter of the sign	1, 9	9
19	Diagram 636 Temporary prohibition of waiting except for loading and unloading	200 275 1	1. The name of the police force or traffic authority, or the word "Police" or "POLICE" may be added above or below the roundel; 2. An arrow pointing to the left or to the right may be added	10	5, 10
20	Diagram 636.1 Temporary prohibition of loading and unloading	No loading	The legend may be on one line max	10	5
21	Diagram 636.2 Temporary prohibition on stopping during the periods indicated	20 = METROPOLITAN POLICE No stopping 7 - 10 am 4 - 7 pm	the appropriate force, "POLICE" or "Police", the name of a traffic authority, or omitted; 2. "No stopping" may be on	10	5, 10

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule ntGeneral Direction
22	Diagram 640.1 Waiting, loading and unloading prohibited at a parking place where parking is temporarily suspended	No loading	1. "during meter control" may be added; 200 2. "No loading" may be omitted; 201 3. The sign may have more than one side and may be placed on a parking meter or ticket machine cover; 4. The symbol and legend may be repeated	10	5
23	Diagram 829.1 Potential danger temporarily ahead and consequent need to proceed with caution	POLICE SLOW	575		7, 10
24	Diagram 829.2 Accident ahead and consequent need to proceed with caution	POLICE ACCIDEN	600		7, 10
25	Diagram 829.3 Traffic should use the hard shoulder in an emergency	POLICE USE HARI SHOULDE			7, 10

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
26	Diagram 829.4 End of temporary permission for traffic to use the hard shoulder	POLICE REJOIN MAIN CARRIAGEWA			7, 10
27	Diagram 832.7 Goods vehicles or public service vehicles (PSV) should get into the left hand lane of a carriageway on the approach to a goods vehicle or PSV check point ahead	100 min 160 max GET I Any Vehicle Goods v Check	1. "GET IN LANE" may be varied in "STAY IN 150 min 240 may 240 may 240 may position of lanes may be varied; 3. The bus symbol shown in the sign table at item 4 of Part 3 of Schedule-5, with a red diagonal bars min through it, may be added may below, or substituted for, the lorry symbol (ignoring the requirements as to size at item 4); 4. The legend "Any vehicle" may be varied to "Other vehicles" with the lorry and bus symbols shown without the red bar; 5. "Goods vehicle" may be varied to "Goods vehicle and PSV" or "PSV"; 6. The distance may be varied to "1 m", "2/3 m" or "1/3 m"		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 nt&eneral Directions
28	Diagrams 2701 and 2701.1 Direction and junction ahead to a new housing development	2701 1 Oak	I. The sign shown by diagram 2701 may point to the left with the symbol placed to the right of the legend; 2. The director in which the arrow points in diagram 2701.1 may be varied; 3. When the arrow in diagram 2701.1 points to the left it must be placed on the left hand side of the sign with the symbol placed to the right of the legend; 4. When the arrow in diagram 2701.1 points ahead it may be placed on the left or right hand side of the sign with the symbol placed at the opposite end of the sign; 5. The arrow in diagram 2701.1 may be omitted and the U-turn arrow shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 5 of Schedule 12 at item 2, placed to the right of the legend; 6. The name of the housing development may be varied or omitted; 7. A distance to the destination may be shown (and the sign treated for the purposes of Part 3 of Schedule 18 as if it were in Schedule 12); 8. The lorry symbol shown at item 5 of the sign table	10	11

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule I nt&eneral Directions
			in Part 1 of Schedule 5 may be added (ignoring the requirements as to size at item 5) and reversed where appropriate		
29	Temporary obstruction in road caused by stationary vehicle (road vehicle sign)	645 min B	90 min	3, 12	6(5)
30	Warning of a temporary hazard (traffic pyramid (type 1))	H 450 min 1000 max (including any base) Base 0.75H i 1.0H m	min	4, 12	



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule I nt&eneral Directions
33	Warning of a temporary hazard (traffic triangle (type 2))	r = 10 min 20 max 5 max 5 max 25 min 50 max 50 min	r = 20 max		
34	Diagram 7025 Vehicles to be escorted in through road works ahead	CONVOY SYSTEM IN OPERATION AHEAD	75 min 150 max		4
35	Diagram 7026 Explanation of reason for escorting vehicles in convoys through road works	CONVOY SYSTEM TO PROTECT WORKFORCE	50		4
36	Diagram 7029 Vehicular traffic must not overtake the vehicle used to escort other	CONVOY VEHICLE NO OVERTAKING	 "NO OVERTAKING" may be omitted; "CONVOY VEHICLE" may be on one line 62.5 	1 (except if varied in accordance with entry 1 in column 4)	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 1. MGeneral Directions
	vehicles through road works				
37	Diagram 7014 Permanent change in road layout ahead	NEW ROUNDABOUT AHEAD	(a) "CHANGED PRIORITIES"; (b) "GAP CLOSED"; (c) "NEW ONE WAY SYSTEM"; (d) "NEW ROAD LAYOUT"; (e) "NEW TRAFFIC ISLANDS"; (f) "NEW TRAFFIC SIGNALS"; (g) "NEW ZEBRA CROSSING"; (h) "SIGNAL PRIORITIES CHANGED"; or (i) "SIGNAL TIMING CHANGED"; 2. A distance in yards to the nearest 10 yards may be substituted for, or added before, the word "AHEAD", on a separate line where necessary, and must be expressed as	8	12
38	Diagram 7032 Commencem point of a newly imposed 30	NEW 30 MPH SPEED LIMIT IN FORCE	"yards" or "yds" 50 min 75 max	8	13

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part	e Schedule 13 nt&eneral Directions
	mph speed limit which is contiguous to an existing 30 mph speed limit				
39	Diagram 7014.1 Temporary or permanent reduction in bridge headroom ahead	BRIDGE HEADROOM REDUCED TO 12'9" (3.8 m)	The numerals may be varied. 50 min 200 max	8	14
40	Diagram 7291 Information on breakdown recovery services during road works		"Await rescue" may be varied to "End". 50 min 50 max	9	4
41	Diagram 7294 Temporary maximum speed in mph advised	50 62.5 — Max 75 100 200	The numerals may be varied to the appropriate 2 dvised and aximum speed 300 400 500	9	4

(1)	(2)	(3)		(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram		Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 nt&eneral Directions
42	Diagram 7003.1 Starting date and duration of road works	600 min 1500 max	De	T. The Highways England logo may be writed to another logo used by Highways England or replaced by 'Highways England'; here 2. The Highways England logo may be varied to the name or logo of another traffic authority; 3. The date and duration of	100 min 250 max	4
				the work may be varied; 4. "until" and a date may be substituted for " for 3 weeks"; 5. The top or bottom panel, or both, may be omitted; 6. The triangular road works symbol may be omitted		
43	Diagram 7005 Information for drivers in respect of road works	600 min 1500 max 80 min 200 max	1 mi	1. The date may be varied; Delays 2. "until" and the date may—	100 min 250 max	4

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants		e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
44	Diagram 7006 End of road works and any associated temporary statutory restrictions	600 min 1500 max 80 min	I. The Highways England logo may be varied to another logo used by Highways England or replaced by Highways England", highways 2. The Highways England logo may be varied to the name or logo of another traffic authority; 3. The Highways England panel and the horizontal line below "delay" may be omitted	100 min 250 max	4
45	Diagram 2708 Junction ahead leading to route for emergency vehicles to a temporary incident control point	EMERGENCY VEHICLES	1. "EMERGENCY VEHICLES" may be varied to "INCIDENT CONTROL"; 2. The direction in which the arrow or arrows point may be varied		
46	Diagram 830.1 Signs indicating that a traffic survey is being undertaken	CENSUS STOP if directed 750	1. "CENSUS" may be varied to "CYCLISTS", "WEIGHT CHECK" or "VEHICLE CHECK; 2. The entire legend may be varied to "STOP AT CENSUS POINT", "SLOW CENSUS POINT" or "CENSUS POINT"; 3. For the purposes of entry 2, "CENSUS POINT" may be varied to "WEIGHT CHECK" or "CHECK POINT"		15

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	Applicable requireme in Part 7	e Schedule 13 ntGeneral Directions
47	Diagram 830.2 Goods vehicles may be directed to stop ahead by a constable in uniform for the purposes of sections 67,68, or 78 of the Road Traffic Act 1988(105)	GOODS VEHICLES STOP if directed	_ 75 min 250 max		
48	Diagram 830.3 Vehicles should stay in lane for the purposes of a traffic survey, or a weight or vehicle check ahead	STAY IN LANE	"STAY" may be varied to "GET"		15
49	Diagram 831.2 Checks being made in relation to vehicle excise licences (or emissions) ahead	VEHICLE EXCISE LICENCE CHECK	"EXCISE LICENCE" may be varied to "EMISSIONS"		

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Sign diagram	Permitted variants	requireme in Part	e Schedule nt&eneral Directions
50	Diagram 832.1B Check point ahead	CHECK POINT AHEAD	1. "DVSA" may be varied to "GOODS VEHICLE" or the name of a successor organisation to the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency (in respect of its function of carrying out examinations in relation to goods vehicles or public service vehicles at check points) or an acronym for that successor organisation; 2. "CHECK POINT AHEAD" may be varied to "VEHICLE CONDITION INSPECTION"	7	
51	Diagram 832.4 Instructions in relation to goods vehicles for a check point ahead	Enter Check Point if directed	1. The legend may be varied to "Enter Check Point", "Keep to left lane" or "Leave m'way if directed"; 2. The bus symbol shown at item 4 of the sign table in Part 3 of Schedule 5 may be added below or substituted for the symbol (ignoring the requirements as to size at item 4)		
52	Diagram 7020 Variable message sign ahead not in use or being tested	SIGN NOT IN USE	1 "SIGN" may be varied to "SIGNAL"; 2. "NOT IN USE" may be varied to "UNDER TEST"; 3. The legend may be on three lines		

Provisions applying to signs in Part 6

- 1. Section 36 of the 1988 Act applies to the sign.
- 2. The sign must be of the size, colour and type shown in the two parts of the diagram in column 3.

- **3.**—(1) The sign must be a flexible sheet on which a triangle appears and the total area of the sheet, including the red triangle, must be not less than 0.8 square metres.
 - (2) The triangle must be equilateral.
 - (3) The area marked A must be reflectorised.
 - (4) Where the area marked B is coloured white (as shown in the diagram) it must be reflectorised.
 - (5) The area marked B may be coloured yellow;
 - (6) Any part of the sign coloured yellow must be fluorescent and may be reflectorised.
- **4.**—(1) The pyramid must consist of three visible sides, each of which is as specified in the diagram.
 - (2) It must be made of rubber or flexible plastic material.
 - (3) It must be constructed so that it can stand upright firmly on the surface of a road.
 - (4) The surface coloured red (marked A and C) may be reflectorised.
 - (5) The surface coloured white (marked B) must be reflectorised.
 - (6) Up to 50% of the surface marked C may be obscured by constructional components.
 - (7) The pyramid must not be illuminated through internal or external illumination.
 - (8) The base may be of any colour, or omitted.
- **5.**—(1) The pyramid must consist of three visible sides, each of which is as specified in the diagram.
 - (2) It must be made of rubber or flexible plastic material.
 - (3) It must be constructed so that it can stand upright firmly on the surface of a road.
 - (4) The surface coloured red (marked A) may be reflectorised.
 - (5) The surface coloured white (marked B) must be reflectorised.
 - (6) Each outer edge of the triangular face must be the same length.
 - (7) The pyramid must not be illuminated through internal or external illumination.
- **6.**—(1) The triangle must be legibly and permanently marked with the specification number of the British Standard for an Advance Warning Triangle to indicate a temporary obstruction, namely BS AU47: 1965(**106**) or the specification number of a corresponding EEA standard.
 - (2) The surface coloured red and marked A must be reflectorised.
- (3) Not more than 15 square centimetre of the surface marked A may be obscured by constructional components.
 - (4) The surface coloured red and marked B must be fluorescent.
 - (5) The surface marked C must be either—
 - (a) entirely reflectorised; or
 - (b) a combination of reflectorised and fluorescent.
- (6) Not more than 10 square centimetre of the surface marked A may be obscured by constructional components.
 - (7) Corners of a triangle must be radiused.
 - (8) All sides of a triangle must be of the same length.

- (9) The reflectorised areas of the surface may be internally illuminated provided that such illumination is steady, presents a uniform appearance throughout that area and does not impair the retroreflecting properties of that area of the surface.
 - (10) The triangle must not be illuminated through external illumination.
- 7.—(1) The triangle must be legibly and permanently marked with the marking designated as an approval mark by regulation 4 of the Motor Vehicles (Designation of Approval Marks) Regulations 1979(107) and shown in item 27 of Schedule 2 to those Regulations.
 - (2) The surface coloured red and marked A must be reflectorised;
- (3) Not more than 15 square centimetre of the surface marked A may be obscured by constructional components;
 - (4) The surface coloured red and marked B must be fluorescent;
 - (5) The surface marked C must be either—
 - (a) entirely reflectorised; or
 - (b) a combination of reflectorised and fluorescent;
- (6) Not more than 10 square centimetre of the surface marked A may be obscured by constructional components;
 - (7) In the case of the triangle provided for at item 33—
 - (a) the surface coloured red and marked A must be reflectorised;
 - (b) the surface coloured red and marked B must be fluorescent and have an area of not less than 315 square centimetres;
 - (c) the edging coloured red and marked C may be omitted.
 - (8) Corners of a triangle must be radiused.
 - (9) All sides of a triangle must be of the same length.
- (10) The reflectorised areas of the surface may be internally illuminated provided that such illumination is steady, presents a uniform appearance throughout that area and does not impair the retroreflecting properties of that area of the surface.
 - (11) The triangle must not be illuminated through external illumination.
- **8.** The sign must have, on its reverse, a date by which the person placing the sign reasonably believes the sign will have been removed.
 - **9.** The yellow may be fluorescent.
 - **10.** The sign need not be illuminated.
- 11. A person who is in charge of, or accompanies, an emergency or a breakdown vehicle which is temporarily obstructing a road is authorised to place the sign for the purpose of warning vehicular traffic of the obstruction created by the vehicle and to indicate the way past the vehicle
- **12.** A person that, but for this paragraph, is not authorised to place the sign is authorised to do so for the purpose of warning traffic of a temporary obstruction in the road, other than one caused by the carrying out of works.

Requirements applying to cones, cylinders and delineators

- 1. A cone is to consist of a conically shaped device—
 - (a) the base of which is—
 - (i) of any single colour; and
 - (ii) a polygon having not more than eight sides, which would be contained wholly within a circle with a diameter of three quarters of the height of the cone; and
 - (b) which conforms to the provisions of British Standard BS EN 13422:2004+A1:2009(108) set out in paragraph 8.
- **2.** A cylinder is to consist of a cylindrically shaped device which conforms to the provisions of British Standard BS EN 13422:2004+A1:2009 set out in paragraph 8.
 - 3. A delineator is to consist of a flat device—
 - (a) of which the side intended to be exposed to traffic is coloured as shown in the diagram at item 4 of the table in Part 6 and the reverse side is either so coloured or coloured only grey or only red;
 - (b) which conforms to the provisions of British Standard BS 8442:2015(109); and
 - (c) of which the base is of any single colour, except that a reflectorised white line 100 mm wide at an angle of not more than 60 degrees to the road surface may be marked on one side of the base at right angles to the face of the delineator.
- **4.** The part of a cone, cylinder or delineator coloured white must, subject to paragraph 7, be illuminated with white retroreflecting material and the part coloured red (except, in the case of a delineator, on the reverse side when that side is coloured only red) may be illuminated with red retroreflecting material.
 - 5. Information about the ownership of a cone, cylinder or delineator may—
 - (a) in the case of a cone, be moulded—
 - (i) into the base in characters not more than 80 mm high in the same colour as the base;
 - (ii) into the conical body in characters not more than 40 mm high in the same colour as that body; or
 - (iii) as mentioned in both paragraphs (i) and (ii);
 - (b) in the case of a cylinder, be moulded into the lower of the two red parts of the cylinder in red characters not more than 40 mm high; and
 - (c) in the case of a delineator, be moulded into the base in characters not more than 80 mm high and in the same colour as the base.
- **6.** Information about the manufacture of a cone, cylinder or delineator required in order to comply with British Standard BS EN 13422:2004+A1:2009 or British Standard BS 8442:2015 (or, in either case, a corresponding EEA standard) and occupying an area not exceeding 30 square centimetres, may be indicated on the part coloured white in characters not exceeding 5 mm in height, leaving at least 90% of the remaining area of white colour illuminated with white retroreflecting material.
 - 7. There may be mounted on top of a cone a rotating device that—
 - (a) is red and not reflectorised; and

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- (b) displays a sign provided for at item 2 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 2 which must be coloured amber, intermittently whilst rotating and constantly whilst static.
- **8.** In relation to each aspect of performance specified in column 2 of an item in the table below, a cone or cylinder must comply with the requirement or test specification of British Standard BS EN 13422:2004+A1:2009 specified in column 3.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Aspect of performance	Requirement or test specification and class
1	Daylight chromaticity co-ordinates and luminance factors	Retroreflective material: Class LB in Table 2
		Non-retroreflective exterior surfaces: Table 3.A
		Non-retroreflective interior surfaces : Table 3.B
2	Coefficient of retroreflection	Dry conditioned : Class R1B or R2B in Table 4.B
		Wet conditions: Class WT1 in Table 6
3	Height and minimum weight (cones)	Class W3 in Table 1

Other temporary signs

- 1. A sign that is not otherwise provided for by these Regulations may be placed to—
 - (a) convey a civil emergency warning or information;
 - (b) convey a temporary hazard warning;
 - (c) convey temporary information; or
 - (d) indicate the entrance to, or exit from, road works for vehicles involved in the carrying out of those works.
- **2.** A sign referred to in paragraph 1 must be of a size, colour and type which complies with this Part.
 - 3. The sign must be—
 - (a) rectangular but with the corners rounded; or
 - (b) as in sub-paragraph (a), but with a rounded point at one end.
 - **4.** The sign must be of a size appropriate to the circumstances in which it is placed.
 - **5.**—(1) The sign may incorporate—
 - (a) letters;
 - (b) numerals;
 - (c) other characters;
 - (d) borders (either on the outside edge of the sign or as part of the division of the sign into panels);

- (e) chevrons;
- (f) any symbol that by virtue of a provision elsewhere in these Regulations may be included in a sign; and
- (g) the arms, badge or other device of—
 - (i) a traffic authority;
 - (ii) a police force;
 - (iii) the National Crime Agency; or
 - (iv) an organisation representative of road users.
- (2) The arms, badge or other device referred to in sub-paragraph (g) may be of any colour and design and consequently its components need not comply with requirements elsewhere in this Part as to size, colour or type that would otherwise be applicable.
 - 6. Letters, numerals or other characters must not have an x-height of—
 - (a) less than 35 mm, or
 - (b) more than 400 mm.
 - 7.—(1) The background of the sign must be yellow, white or blue.
 - (2) Letters, numerals, other characters, chevrons and borders must be—
 - (a) black when placed on a yellow background;
 - (b) black or blue when placed on a white background; or
 - (c) white when placed on a blue background.
 - (3) This paragraph is subject to paragraphs 8 to 11.
 - **8.**—(1) This paragraph applies if the sign—
 - (a) conveys a temporary hazard warning;
 - (b) conveys only temporary information for pedestrians, cyclists or pedestrians; or
 - (c) indicates the entrance to, or exit from, road works for vehicles involved in the carrying out of those works.
- (2) The background must be red and any letters, numerals, other characters, chevrons or borders must be white.
 - (3) This paragraph is subject to paragraphs 10 and 11.
 - **9.**—(1) This paragraph applies if the sign conveys—
 - (a) temporary information (other than for pedestrians, cyclists or equestrians) in connection with road works; or
 - (b) information about check points at which goods vehicles or public service vehicles may be required to stop.
- (2) The background must be yellow and any letters, numerals, other characters, chevrons or borders must be black.
 - (3) This paragraph is subject to paragraphs 10 and 11.
- **10.** A variable message sign may have a black background and, if it does, any letters, numerals, other characters or chevrons must be white or yellow.
- 11. A variable message sign may have a yellow background and if it does, any letters, numerals, other characters or chevrons must be black.

- **12.** If a route symbol provided for in the sign table in Part 7 of Schedule 12 is incorporated in the sign, the requirements as to size that would otherwise apply to that symbol, do not apply.
 - **13.**—(1) A sign provided for in this Part need not be illuminated.
 - (2) Paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign conveying—
 - (a) the route of a diversion (except routes exclusively for pedestrians, cyclists or equestrians);
 - (b) information about future or ongoing road works;
 - (c) information about check points at which goods vehicles or public service vehicles may be required to stop;
 - (d) a temporary hazard warning in connection with the execution of works, or a temporary obstruction; or
 - (e) temporary information for drivers of wide loads about action to be taken in respect of road works ahead.
 - **14.** Schedule 13 General Direction 16 applies to a sign provided for in this Part.

Amber and blue light beacons

- 1. An amber or blue light beacon conveys the warning that special care is to be taken.
- **2.** The beacon must comply with the requirements of paragraphs 3 to 5.
- 3. The peak intensity of light emitted by the lens or lenses of each beacon must be—
 - (a) if the period between individual flashes does not exceed ½ of a second, not less than 100 candela on the principal axis of the relevant lens;
 - (b) if the period between individual flashes exceeds ¼ of a second, not less than 2000 candela on the principal axis; or
 - (c) if the period between the cessation of a double flash and the start of the succeeding double flash exceeds ¼ of a second, not less than 1000 candela on the principal axis.
- **4.** Each lens must be of such a shape and size that the perimeter of its area projected horizontally onto a vertical plane is capable of lying wholly inside a square having sides of 200 mm in length and wholly outside a square having sides of 100 mm in length.
- **5.** The rate of flashing must not be less than 55 nor more than 150 individual or double flashes per minute.
- **6.** General Directions 17 and 19 of the Schedule 13 General Directions apply to an amber light beacon.
- **7.** General Directions 18 and 19 of the Schedule 13 General Directions apply to a blue light beacon.

PART 11

Warning lights

1. A lamp for conveying to traffic the limits of a temporary obstruction of the road ("a warning light") must comply with the requirements in paragraphs 2 to 6.

- **2.** The height of the centre of each lens of the warning light from the surface of the road in the immediate vicinity of the lamp must not exceed—
 - (a) 1500 mm where the speed limit on the road is 40 mph or less; or
 - (b) 1200 mm where the speed limit on the road is more than 40 mph.
 - 3. The warning light must—
 - (a) be powered separately from any other object or device; and
 - (b) show a steady or intermittent amber light.
- **4.** Subject to paragraphs 5 and 6, the whole of the warning light must conform to British Standard BS EN 12352:2006(**110**).
- **5.** In relation to each aspect of performance specified in column (2) of an item in the Table below, the warning light must comply the requirement or test specification of British Standard BS EN 12352:2006 specified in column (3).

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Aspect of performance	Requirement or test specification and class
1	Area, angle and luminous intensity	Class L1 or L3 in Table 1
2	Light emitting surface	For class L1 lights: paragraph 4.1.2.1
		For class L3 lights: class P1
3	Colorimetric performance of light emitted	Class C yellow 1 in Table 2
4	Retro-reflective device	Class R2
5	Automatic photosensitive switching	Class A1
6	Continuity of emitted light	Class F1 (steady) or class F2 (but see NOTE)
7	On-time (flashing lights)	Class O2
8	Mechanical strength	Class M4

NOTE: A light flashing at a rate of 900 flashes per minute or more is deemed to comply with class F1.

- **6.** The external surface of the parts of the warning light which are not the lenses and are visible to road users must be of a colour having the colorimetric values of reference 355 Lemon, or reference 356 Golden yellow, in Table 1 (standard colours) of British Standard BS 381C:1996(111).
- 7. A person that, but for this paragraph, is not authorised to place a warning light is authorised to do so for the purpose of warning traffic of a temporary obstruction in the road, other than one caused by the carrying out of works.
 - **8.** General Direction 15 of the Schedule 13 General Directions applies to a warning light.

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The Schedule 13 General Directions

- 1. The sign must not be placed unless in combination with its first associated plate.
- **2.** The sign may only be retained in place for so long as the hazard indicated by the sign continues to exist or is expected to recur in the near future.
- **3.** The sign may remain in place after the completion of the works for so long as the traffic authority thinks fit.
- **4.** The sign may only be placed in connection with the execution of works on or near a road, or a temporary obstruction.
- **5.**—(1) The sign may only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
- (2) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign provided for at item 14, 15 or 16 in the Part 6 sign table if it only conveys the warning that lanes are closed or narrow.
- **6.**—(1) The sign may be attached to the front or rear of a road maintenance vehicle when the vehicle is being used on a road which is subject to maximum speed limit of 30 mph or under.
- (2) The sign may be attached to the rear of a road maintenance vehicle immediately ahead of a vehicle displaying the sign provided for at item 10 of the table in Part 6 when the vehicle is being used on a road which is subject to a maximum speed limit of more than 30 mph.
 - (3) The sign may be attached to the rear of a road maintenance vehicle.
- (4) The sign may only be attached to the rear of a vehicle used to escort traffic through road works to indicate that the vehicle should not be overtaken.
 - (5) The sign may be attached to a vehicle.
 - 7. The sign may be attached on the front or rear of a police vehicle if travelling at 70 mph or under.
 - **8.**—(1) The back of a sign must be coloured grey, red, white, black or yellow, except that—
 - (a) information about sites for placing and the ownership of the sign may be indicated on the back of the sign in characters not exceeding—
 - (i) 50 mm in height, where they are shown in a contrasting colour; or
 - (ii) 80 mm in height, where they are embossed in the same colour; and
 - (b) information about the manufacture of the sign required in order to comply with—
 - (i) British Standard BS EN 12899-1:2007(112); or
 - (ii) a corresponding EEA Standard,

occupying an area not exceeding 30 square centimetres, may be indicated on the back of the sign in characters not exceeding 5 mm in height.

- (2) The sign may be mounted on an object of the size, colour and type of the sign provided for at item 4 of the sign table in Part 6.
 - **9.**—(1) The sign may only be placed—
 - (a) in connection with a cycle race approved by or under regulations made under section 31 of the 1988 Act (regulation of cycle racing on public ways);

- (b) by an accredited marshal acting under the instructions of the chief officer of police; and
- (c) on a road which is subject to a speed limit of 60mph or less.
- (2) In sub-paragraph (1), "accredited marshal" means a person accredited to be a marshal by the British Cycling Federation (113).
- 10. The sign may only be placed by a constable in uniform or a person acting under the instructions or authority of the chief officer of police (unless, in the case of a sign provided for at item 19 or 21 in the Part 6 sign table, the sign refers to the traffic authority rather than the police).
- 11. The sign must not remain in place after the end of the period of six months that begins with the day the housing development to which the sign refers is complete.

12. The sign—

- (a) may only be placed in connection with works involving—
 - (i) an alteration in the layout of the carriageway of a road; or
 - (ii) the placing, removal or alteration of signs on or near a road; and
- (b) may be retained in place not later than the end of the period of three months beginning with the day of the completion of those works.
- 13. The sign may only be placed—
 - (a) to indicate the point at which a recently imposed speed limit of 30 mph begins on a road—
 - (i) on which there is a system of carriageway lighting furnished by lamps lit by electricity and placed not more than 183 metres apart in England and Wales or not more than 185 metres apart in Scotland; and
 - (ii) which had previously been subject to a higher speed limit;
 - (b) as near as practicable to the point the recently imposed speed limit begins;
 - (c) if that point could not otherwise be indicated by virtue of Schedule 10; and
 - (d) during the period of six months beginning with the day on which the 30 mph speed limit comes into force.
- **14.**—(1) The sign may only be placed in connection with works involving a temporary or permanent reduction in the maximum height of vehicles able to pass under a bridge.
- (2) Where the reduction is permanent, the sign may be retained in place for a period of six months beginning with the day on which the works are completed.
- **15.**—(1) The sign may only be placed in connection with a traffic census, if the taking of that census has been approved by—
 - (a) the traffic authority;
 - (b) the chief officer of police; and
 - (c) the relevant national authority.
 - (2) In this general direction, the "relevant national authority" means—
 - (a) the Secretary of State in relation to a road in England;
 - (b) Scottish Ministers in relation to a road in Scotland; and
 - (c) Welsh Ministers in relation to a road in Wales.

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- **16.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) to (4), the sign may remain in place for a period of six months beginning with the day the sign is placed.
 - (2) The period may be extended with the approval of—
 - (a) the Secretary of State in relation to a road in England;
 - (b) Scottish Ministers in relation to a road in Scotland; or
 - (c) Welsh Ministers in relation to a road in Wales.
- (3) In the case of a sign conveying a change in route number, the period is two years, not six months
 - (4) Sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to a sign—
 - (a) placed only in connection with the execution of works on or near a road, or a temporary obstruction;
 - (b) conveying information about check points at which goods vehicles or public service vehicles may be required to stop; or
 - (c) indicating diversions.
 - 17. An amber light beacon may only be placed in combination with—
 - (a) another sign provided for in this Schedule; or
 - (b) a sign provided for elsewhere in the Regulations where the sign is placed to convey to traffic a civil emergency warning or information, temporary hazard warning or temporary information.
 - **18.** A blue light beacon may only be placed—
 - (a) in combination with a sign provided for at item 4, 5, 7, 8 or 9 of the sign table in Part 6; and
 - (b) by a police constable or a person acting under the instructions (whether general or specific) of the chief officer of police.
- **19.** Where an amber or blue light beacon or a warning light is mounted on a structure specially provided for the purpose, the structure must be coloured—
 - (a) grey, red, white, or yellow; or
 - (b) have alternate bands of—
 - (i) red and white; or
 - (ii) black and white.

SCHEDULE 14

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Signs for traffic control by light signals, signs for crossings, and signs for lane control

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Parts 2 and 3

General provision about signs provided for in this Schedule

1.—(1) A warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in an item in column 2 of the sign table in Part 2 must be conveyed by a sign which—

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

provided for in the diagram in column 3 of that item, or that diagram as varied in accordance with column 4 (see paragraph 2 for further permitted variations applicable to items 1 and 3 in the table).

- (2) In the case of the description at—
 - (a) item 8 (another train or tramcar may be about to pass over the crossing);
 - (b) item 25 (cattle crossing ahead); and
 - (c) item 41 (supervised cattle crossing ahead),

the warning is to be conveyed by both signs shown in the diagram and sub-paragraph (1) applies to each of those signs.

- (3) Where the significance of a sign, or elements of a sign, is given in this Part, the significance is to be treated as forming part of the description for that sign.
- (4) Where operating requirements for a light signal which forms part of a sign provided for in this Schedule are given in this Part, those requirements are an aspect of the type of the sign.
- (5) Where in respect of a sign provided for in the Part 2 sign table there is a number in column 5, the corresponding paragraph number in Part 4 applies to the sign in question.
- (6) Part 5 makes provision about the precedence of vehicles and pedestrians respectively, and generally with respect to the movement of traffic (including pedestrians), at and in the vicinity of section 25 crossings.
- (7) A number appearing in column 6 of an item in the Part 2 sign table means that the Schedule 14 General Direction so numbered applies to the sign to which the item relates (with Schedule 14 General Direction 1 being an interpretive provision).

Application of the Part 3 table to certain traffic light signs provided for in the Part 2 table

- 2.—(1) The diagram at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table may be varied to show a light signal provided for in an item in the sign table in Part 3 (the green arrow signal, signals to control tramcars and the green pedal cycle symbol) in a position specified in column 4 of the Part 3 sign table for that light signal.
- (2) The diagram at item 3 of the Part 2 sign table may be varied to show a light signal provided for at items 1 to 7 of the Part 3 sign table (the green arrow signal and signals to control tramcars) in a position specified in column 4 of the Part 3 sign table for that light signal.
- (3) The reference to diagrams A to D in column 4 of the Part 3 sign table is to the diagrams above that table.
- (4) A signal provided for in the Part 3 sign table must be of the colour and type, and comply with the requirements as to size, provided for in the diagram in column 3 of the Part 3 sign table for that signal.
- (5) The green arrow may point to the left, the right, straight on or at any other angle that is appropriate for indicating the direction to be taken by vehicular traffic.
- (6) When placed at position 3 of diagram C or position 2 of diagram D, the green arrow signal replaces the green signal shown in the diagram at item 1 or 3 of the Part 2 sign table.

Light signals to be ES compliant

3.—(1) A light signal that forms part of a sign provided for in the Part 2 sign table that is mentioned in sub-paragraph (2) must be ES compliant (including, subject to sub-paragraph (3), those light signals that form part of such a sign by virtue of paragraph 2).

- (2) The signs are those provided for at items 1 to 3, 5, 8 (shown in the diagram marked as "776"), 9, 15, 19 and 25.
- (3) The requirement in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to light signals for the control of tramcars (items 2 to 7 of the Part 3 sign table).
- (4) A light signal is ES compliant if the signal head, in relation to each aspect of performance in column 2 of the table below, satisfies the requirement or test specification of British Standard BS EN12368: 2015(114) specified in column 3 (but see sub-paragraph (5) for an exception).

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Aspect of performance	Requirement or test specification and class
1	Protection rating	Class IV: IP 55
2	Operating temperature range	Class A
3	Luminous intensity	Performance level 3, class 2
4	Distribution of luminous intensity	Type M
5	Maximum signal phantom	Class 5
6	Signal lights incorporating symbols	Class S1
7	Background screen	the requirement in paragraph 6.9 of the British Standard
8	Impact resistance	Class IR2

(5) A light signal that forms part of the traffic light signals provided for at item 4 of the Part 2 sign table is ES compliant if the signal head, in relation to each aspect of performance in column 2 of the table below, satisfies the requirement or test specification of British Standard BS EN12368: 2015 in column 3.

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	Aspect of performance	Requirement or test specification and class
1	Protection rating	Class IV: IP 55
2	Operating temperature range	Class A
3	Luminous intensity	Performance level 1, class 1
4	Distribution of luminous intensity	Type W
5	Maximum signal phantom	Class 1
6	Signal lights incorporating symbols	Class S1
7	Impact resistance	Class IR2 or IR3

Traffic light signals

4.—(1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies to the red, amber and green light signals shown in the diagram in column 3 of the Part 2 sign table at each of items 1 to 4 (types of traffic light signals), including, for items 1 and 3, when, as described in paragraph 2(6), the green signal is a green arrow.

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- (2) The order of illumination for the light signals must be as follows—
 - (a) red;
 - (b) red and amber together;
 - (c) green;
 - (d) amber.
- (3) The duration of the period when the red and amber light signals are illuminated together must be 2 seconds.
- (4) The duration of the period when the amber light signal is illuminated on its own must be 3 seconds.
- (5) The requirement in sub-paragraph (3) or (4) is to be treated as having been met if the duration is 0.25 seconds more, or less, than that specified.
 - **5.**—(1) This paragraph applies to traffic light signals.
- (2) The significance of the light signals to which paragraph 4(2) applies, when illuminated, is that specified in sub-paragraphs (3) to (9).
- (3) Subject to sub-paragraphs (4) to (6), the red signal conveys the prohibition that vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the stop line.
- (4) Sub-paragraph (5) applies on an occasion where a vehicle is being used for at least one of the purposes set out in sub-paragraph (6) and the observance of the prohibition in sub-paragraph (3) would be likely to hinder the use of the vehicle for that purpose.
- (5) The prohibition conveyed is that the vehicle must not proceed beyond the stop line in such a manner or at such a time as to be likely to endanger any person or to cause the driver of another vehicle to change its speed or course in order to avoid an accident.
 - (6) The purposes are—
 - (a) fire and rescue authority;
 - (b) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service:
 - (c) ambulance;
 - (d) blood service;
 - (e) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (f) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (g) special forces
 - (h) police; and
 - (i) National Crime Agency.
- (7) Red and amber signals illuminated together denote an impending change to green but conveys the same prohibition as the red signal.
 - (8) A green signal indicates—
 - (a) subject to paragraphs (b) and (c), that vehicular traffic may proceed beyond the stop line and proceed straight on or to the left or to the right;
 - (b) where the signal is an arrow, vehicles may only proceed in the direction indicated by the arrow;
 - (c) where the signal is a pedal cycle symbol, only vehicles which are pedal cycles may proceed.
- (9) An amber signal, when shown alone, conveys the same prohibition as red, except that, as respects any vehicle which is so close to the stop line that it cannot safely be stopped without

proceeding beyond the stop line, it conveys the same indication as the green signal which was shown immediately before it.

- (10) Sub-paragraph (11) gives the significance, when illuminated, of the green arrow signal when, by virtue of the variation permitted in paragraph 2, it is included in the traffic light signals provided for at—
 - (a) item 1 of the Part 2 sign table; or
 - (b) item 3 of the Part 2 sign table,

at a position other than position 3 of diagram C or position 2 of diagram D.

- (11) The significance is that vehicular traffic may proceed beyond the stop line in the direction indicated by the arrow irrespective of which other light signals forming part of the sign are illuminated.
- (12) Sub-paragraph (13) gives the significance, when illuminated, of the pedal cycle symbol when, by virtue of the variation permitted in paragraph 2, it is included in the traffic light signals provided for at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table.
- (13) The significance is that pedal cycles may proceed beyond the stop line and proceed straight on or to the left or to the right irrespective of which other light signals forming part of the sign are illuminated.
- (14) Vehicular traffic proceeding beyond a stop line must proceed with due regard to the safety of other road users and subject to any direction given by a constable in uniform, a traffic officer in uniform or a traffic warden or to any other applicable prohibition or restriction.
 - (15) This paragraph does not apply to tramcars.

Tramcars

- **6.**—(1) This paragraph applies where, by virtue of the variation permitted in paragraph 2, the traffic light signals provided for at item 1 or 3 of the Part 2 sign table includes a light signal provided for at items 2 to 7 of the Part 3 sign table (which relate to light signals for controlling tramcars).
 - (2) The order of illumination for the light signal must be as follows—
 - (a) the horizontal line (item 3);
 - (b) the vertical or a diagonal line (items 4 to 6);
 - (c) the central circle (item 7).
 - 7. The significance of the light signal is that—
 - (a) the horizontal line conveys the prohibition that a tramcar must not proceed beyond the stop line;
 - (b) the vertical line indicates that a tramcar may proceed beyond the stop line and proceed straight ahead;
 - (c) the diagonal line shown in the diagram at item 5 indicates that a tramcar may proceed beyond the stop line and proceed to the left;
 - (d) the diagonal line shown in the diagram at item 6 indicates that a tramcar may proceed beyond the stop line and proceed to the right; and
 - (e) the central circle conveys the prohibition that a tramcar must not proceed beyond the stop line except that, as respects a tramcar which is so close to the stop line that it cannot safely be stopped without proceeding beyond the stop line, it conveys the same indication as the aspect which was shown immediately before it.

Light signals at level crossings, swing or lifting bridges, airfields and premises used by emergency vehicles

- **8.**—(1) The light signals included in the sign provided for at item 5 of the Part 2 sign table must be illuminated in accordance with sub-paragraph (2).
- (2) The sequence for the illumination of the light signals must be the amber light, followed by the red lights as follows—
 - (a) the amber light must illuminate and remain illuminated (in a steady state) for the period provided for in sub-paragraph (3) (subject to sub-paragraph (4));
 - (b) the red lights must then illuminate in an intermittent nature such that the lights flash at a rate of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute, and in such a manner that one light is always shown when the other light is not shown.
 - (3) Subject to sub-paragraph (4), the duration the amber light must remain illuminated is—
 - (a) in the case of light signals at level crossings, 3 seconds.
 - (b) otherwise, 5 seconds.
- (4) The requirement in sub-paragraph (3) is considered to have been met if the duration is 0.25 seconds more, or less, than that specified.
 - (5) The significance of the light signals is that specified in sub-paragraphs (6) and (7).
- (6) The amber signal conveys the prohibition that traffic must not proceed beyond the stop line or the road marking provided for at item 68 in the Part 2 sign table, except that a vehicle which is so close to the stop line that it cannot safely be stopped without proceeding beyond the stop line may proceed.
- (7) The intermittent red signals convey the prohibition that traffic must not proceed beyond the stop line or the marking provided for at item 68.

Red and green pedestrian, equestrian and cyclist symbols

- 9.—(1) This paragraph applies to a sign provided for at item 9, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 21 or 22 in the Part 2 sign table.
 - (2) The requirements in relation to the light signals incorporated into the sign are—
 - (a) the red and green symbols, when illuminated, show a steady light;
 - (b) no green symbol is illuminated when any red symbol is illuminated;
 - (c) a green symbol is illuminated only when there is, at the same time, conveyed to vehicular traffic a prohibition against entering the crossing and the prohibition is indicated by—
 - (i) traffic light signals; or
 - (ii) a sign provided for at item 42, 43 or 44 placed with those signals.
- (3) The significance of a red symbol when illuminated is that, in the interests of safety, pedestrian, equestrian or cyclist traffic (as the case may be) should not use the crossing.
- (4) The significance of a green symbol when illuminated is that pedestrian, equestrian or cyclist traffic (as the case may be) may use the crossing.
- (5) For conveying the same significance as a green symbol, a device may, in conjunction with the illumination of that symbol, emit an audible, or give a tactile, signal.
- (6) Where the countdown sign provided for at item 10 is used in combination with the sign provided for at item 9, 15 or 19, it must only be illuminated when no red or green symbols included in those signs are illuminated.

(7) A sign provided for at item 13, 17 or 21 must include a push button, or other switching device, that in some way indicates to those intending to use the crossing that the nearside light signals have been activated.

Illumination of "WAIT"

- **10.**—(1) The significance of "WAIT", when illuminated, in a sign provided for at item 11, 16 or 20 of the Part 2 sign table is that, in the interests of safety, pedestrian, equestrian or cyclist traffic (as the case may be) should not use the crossing.
 - (2) An indication given by the sign provided for at item 12 that—
 - (a) the button or pressure pad included in the sign has been activated; or
 - (b) a button or pressure pad having the same purpose on another sign at the same crossing has been activated,

has the same significance as "WAIT" has when illuminated.

School crossing places

11. Each light signal forming part of the sign to warn of a school crossing place provided for at item 23 of the Part 2 sign table must, when in operation, show an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute with the sign operating such that one light is always shown when the other light is not shown.

Cattle crossings

12. Each light signal forming part of the sign for warning of cattle crossing provided for at item 25 of the Part 2 sign table and shown in the upper part of the diagram at that item must, when in operation, show an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute with the sign operating such that one light is always shown when the other light is not shown.

Pedestrians crossing at level crossings

- 13. The red figure in the sign provided for at item 26 of the Part 2 sign table (light signals for pedestrians at level crossings) must when the sign is in operation—
 - (a) flash at a rate of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute; and
 - (b) be illuminated only when the red light signals in the sign provided for at item 5 are illuminated.

Zig-zag lines in a signal-controlled crossing facility controlled area

- 14.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), and without prejudice to paragraph 15, a zig-zag line marked in a signal-controlled crossing facility controlled area conveys the prohibition that the driver of a vehicle must not cause the vehicle or any part of that vehicle to stop in the controlled area.
 - (2) The prohibition in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to—
 - (a) a pedal cycle; or
 - (b) a driver who stops a vehicle in the controlled area in any of the circumstances specified in sub-paragraph (3).
 - (3) The circumstances are—

- (a) the driver has stopped the vehicle for the purpose of complying with an indication given by a light signal for the control of vehicular traffic or the direction of a constable in uniform, a traffic officer in uniform or a traffic warden;
- (b) the driver is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or it is necessary to stop to avoid injury or damage to persons or property;
- (c) the vehicle is being used for at least one of the following purposes—
 - (i) fire and rescue authority;
 - (ii) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (iii) ambulance;
 - (iv) blood service;
 - (v) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (vi) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (vii) special forces
 - (viii) police;
 - (ix) National Crime Agency.
- (d) the vehicle is stopped for no longer than is necessary for it to be used for the purposes of—
 - (i) an operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road; or
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning in or near the controlled area of any sewer, or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any electronic communications apparatus kept installed for the purposes of an electronic communications code system or of any other electronic communications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position,

but only if the vehicle cannot be used for those purposes without stopping in the controlled area;

- (e) the vehicle is a public service vehicle being used—
 - (i) in the provision of a local service; or
 - (ii) to carry passengers for hire or reward at separate fares,

where the vehicle is waiting in the controlled area in order to take up or set down passengers having proceeded past the crossing or the light signals to which the controlled area relates; or

- (f) the vehicle is stopped for the purpose of making a left or right turn.
- 15.—(1) Without prejudice to paragraph 14, a zig-zag line in a signal-controlled crossing facility controlled area conveys the requirement that, whilst any motor vehicle ("the approaching vehicle"), or any part of it, is within the limits of the controlled area and is proceeding towards the signal-controlled crossing facility to which the controlled area relates, the driver of the vehicle must not cause it or any part of it to pass ahead of the foremost part of—
 - (a) any other motor vehicle proceeding in the same direction
 - (b) a vehicle which is stationary for the purpose of complying with a traffic light signal for controlling vehicular traffic.
 - (2) In sub-paragraph (1)—

- (a) the reference to a motor vehicle in paragraph (a) is, in a case where more than one motor vehicle is proceeding in the same direction as the approaching vehicle in a controlled area, a reference to the motor vehicle nearest to the signal-controlled crossing facility crossing to which the controlled area relates; and
- (b) the reference to a stationary vehicle is, in a case where more than one vehicle is stationary in a controlled area for the purpose of complying with the indication given by a traffic light signal for controlling vehicular traffic, a reference to the stationary vehicle nearest the signal-controlled crossing facility to which the controlled area relates.

Light signals above the carriageway

- **16.**—(1) The height of the centre of each light signal incorporated into a sign provided for at item 32, 33 or 34 of the sign table in Part 2 (a downward green arrow, a red cross and a diagonal white arrow, respectively) must be not less than 5.5 metres nor more than 9 metres from the surface of the carriageway in the immediate vicinity.
- (2) The signals must be designed so that only one symbol is illuminated over the traffic lane in question at any one time and the arrow or cross shows a steady light.
 - (3) The significance of the light signals is that—
 - (a) except when placed above an actively managed hard shoulder, the red cross conveys to vehicular traffic proceeding in the traffic lane above which it is displayed the prohibition that such traffic must not proceed beyond the red cross in that traffic lane until that prohibition is cancelled by a display—
 - (i) over that traffic lane, of the downward green arrow or the diagonal white arrow; or
 - (ii) over that traffic lane or beside the carriageway, of the "End of lane control" sign provided for at item 40 of the Part 2 sign table;
 - (b) when placed over an actively managed hard shoulder the red cross conveys to vehicular traffic that the restrictions on the use of the hard shoulder imposed by regulation 9 of the Motorways Traffic (England and Wales) Regulations 1982(115) or regulation 8 of the Motorways Traffic (Scotland) Regulations 1995(116) for the time being apply to the hard shoulder, until those restrictions are—
 - (i) cancelled by the display over the actively managed hard shoulder of the maximum speed limit sign; or
 - (ii) superseded by the display over the actively managed hard shoulder of the red cross sign provided for at item 14 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 15;
 - (c) the downward green arrow conveys to vehicular traffic proceeding in the traffic lane above which it is displayed the information that such traffic may proceed or continue to do so in the lane beneath the arrow; and
 - (d) the diagonal white arrow conveys to vehicular traffic proceeding in the traffic lane above which it is displayed the warning that such traffic should move into the adjacent traffic lane in the direction indicated by the arrow as soon as traffic conditions permit.

Beacons displayed with upright signs relating to the operation of light signals

17.—(1) For conveying the additional warning that drivers should take special care, a beacon which shows an intermittent amber light placed may be placed in combination with an upright sign provided for at item 61, 62 or 63 of the Part 2 sign table (upright signs giving information about the operation of traffic light signals).

⁽¹¹⁵⁾ S.I. 1982/1163, amended by S.I. 2015/392; there are other amendments but none is relevant.

 $^{(116)\,\}mathrm{S.I.}\,\,1995/2507;$ to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.

- (2) The operating requirements for a beacon mentioned in sub-paragraph (1) are—
 - (a) the peak intensity of light emitted by the lens or lenses of each such beacon must be—
 - (i) if the period between individual flashes does not exceed ¼ of a second, not less than 100 candela on the principal axis of the relevant lens;
 - (ii) if the period between individual flashes exceeds ¼ of a second, not less than 2000 candela on the principal axis; or
 - (iii) if the period between the cessation of a double flash and the start of the succeeding double flash exceeds ¼ of a second, not less than 1000 candela on the principal axis;
 - (b) each lens must be of such a shape and size that the perimeter of its area projected horizontally onto a vertical plane is capable of lying wholly inside a square having sides of 200 mm in length and wholly outside a square having sides of 100 mm in length;
 - (c) the height of the centre of the lenses from the surface of the carriageway in the immediate vicinity must be not less than 800 nor more than 1500 mm; and
 - (d) the rate of flashing must be not less than 55 nor more than 150 individual or double flashes per minute.

Stripes at Zebra and Parallel crossings

- **18.**—(1) This paragraph imposes requirements about the stripes in Zebra and Parallel crossings shown in the diagrams at items 52 (Zebra crossings) and 53 (Parallel crossings).
- (2) Each black and white stripe must be of the same size and of a width, as measured across the carriageway, of not more than 715 mm or less than 500 mm save that, where considered appropriate in relation to a particular crossing, and having regard to the nature and character of the road—
 - (a) the first stripe at each end of the crossing may be of a width of not more than 1300 mm; and
 - (b) the other stripes may be of a width of not more than 840 mm and not less than 380 mm.
- (3) The colour of the surface of the carriageway may be used in place of the black stripes if the surface provides a reasonable contrast with the white stripes.

Significance of give-way markings at Zebra crossings

19. The give-way line marking provided for at item 54 of the Part 2 sign table (and shown in the diagram at item 52) conveys to vehicular traffic proceeding towards a Zebra crossing the position at or before which a vehicle must be stopped for the purpose of complying with paragraph 7 of Part 5.

Significance of zig-zag lines at Zebra crossings

20. The zig-zag lines provided for at item 52 of the Part 2 sign table convey to vehicular traffic, for the purpose of complying with paragraphs 3 and 6 of Part 5 (movement of traffic at section 25 crossings), the limits of a Zebra controlled area.

Significance of stripes and other road markings at Parallel crossings and in Parallel controlled areas

- 21.—(1) The stripes and other signs that comprise a Parallel crossing convey the prohibition—
 - (a) to the driver of a vehicle proceeding along the carriageway, that the driver must not cause the vehicle or any part of it to stop within the limits of the crossing unless the driver is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or it is necessary for the driver to stop to avoid injury or damage to persons or property; and

- (b) to a pedestrian or cyclist crossing the carriageway within the part of the crossing intended for (as the case may be) pedestrians or cyclists, that that they must not remain on the carriageway longer than is reasonably necessary to pass over the crossing with reasonable despatch.
- **22.**—(1) The give-way line marking provided for at item 54 of the Part 2 sign table (and shown in the diagram at item 53) conveys to vehicular traffic proceeding along the carriageway towards a Parallel crossing—
 - (a) the position at or before which a vehicle must be stopped ("the stop position"), and
 - (b) a requirement to stop at, or before, the stop position,

if a pedestrian or cyclist is on the carriageway, for the purposes of using the crossing, within the part of the crossing intended for (as the case may be) pedestrians or cyclists.

- (2) Where there is a refuge for pedestrians or cyclists, or central reservation, on a Parallel crossing, the parts of the crossing situated on each side of the refuge or central reservation are to be treated, for the purposes of this paragraph, as separate crossings.
- **23.**—(1) Without prejudice to paragraph 24, the zig-zag lines provided for at item 53 of the Part 2 sign table convey the requirement that the driver of a vehicle proceeding along the carriageway must not cause any part of it to stop in the Parallel controlled area in which they are marked.
 - (2) The prohibition in sub-paragraph (1) does not apply to—
 - (a) a pedal cycle; or
 - (b) a driver who stops a vehicle in the controlled area in any of the circumstances specified in sub-paragraph (3).
 - (3) The circumstances are—
 - (a) the driver has stopped the vehicle for the purpose of complying with paragraph 22(1)(b);
 - (b) the driver has stopped the vehicle for the purpose of complying with an indication given by a light signal for the control of vehicular traffic or the direction of a constable in uniform, a traffic officer in uniform or a traffic warden;
 - (c) the driver is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or it is necessary to stop to avoid injury or damage to persons or property;
 - (d) the vehicle is being used for at least one of the following purposes—
 - (i) fire and rescue authority;
 - (ii) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (iii) ambulance;
 - (iv) blood service;
 - (v) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (vi) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (vii) special forces
 - (viii) police;
 - (ix) National Crime Agency.
 - (e) the vehicle is stopped for no longer than is necessary for it to be used for the purposes of—
 - (i) an operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road; or

(iv) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning in or near the controlled area of any sewer, or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any electronic communications apparatus kept installed for the purposes of an electronic communications code system or of any other electronic communications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position,

but only if the vehicle cannot be used for those purposes without stopping in the controlled area;

- (f) the vehicle is a public service vehicle being used—
 - (i) in the provision of a local service; or
 - (ii) to carry passengers for hire or reward at separate fares,

where the vehicle is waiting in the controlled area in order to take up or set down passengers having proceeded past the crossing or the light signals to which the controlled area relates; or

- (g) the vehicle is stopped for the purpose of making a left or right turn.
- **24.**—(1) A zig-zag line also conveys the requirement that whilst any motor vehicle ("the approaching vehicle"), or any part of it, is within the limits of a Parallel controlled area and is proceeding towards the Parallel crossing to which the controlled area relates, the driver of the vehicle must not cause it or any part of it to pass ahead of the foremost part of—
 - (a) any other motor vehicle proceeding in the same direction;
 - (b) a vehicle which is stationary for the purpose of complying with the requirement in paragraph 22(1)(b).
 - (2) In sub-paragraph (1)—
 - (a) the reference to a motor vehicle in paragraph (a) is, in a case where more than one motor vehicle is proceeding in the same direction as the approaching vehicle in a controlled area, a reference to the motor vehicle nearest to the crossing to which the controlled area relates; and
 - (b) the reference to a stationary vehicle is, in a case where more than one vehicle is stationary in a controlled area for the purpose of complying with the requirement in paragraph 22(1) (b), a reference to the stationary vehicle nearest the crossing to which the controlled area relates.

General provision about crossings placed across cycle tracks

- **25.**—(1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where, but for this paragraph, these Regulations impose a requirement for there to be a controlled area.
- (2) Where the crossing is placed across a cycle track, no controlled area in that part of the carriageway that is a cycle track is required.
- (3) In relation to a Zebra or Parallel crossing which only crosses a cycle track, a yellow globe (provided for at item 27 of the Part 2 sign table) is not required.

School crossing patrol signs

- **26.**—(1) A school crossing patrol sign provided for at item 24 of the Part 2 sign table—
 - (a) may be varied in accordance with sub-paragraph (2); and
 - (b) must be mounted on a pole in accordance with sub-paragraph (3).
- (2) A protective strip may be applied to the perimeter if—

- (a) the strip—
 - (i) is not retroreflecting;
 - (ii) is not more than 15 mm wide; and
 - (iii) is coloured red or is uncoloured and transparent;
- (b) the part of the red border of the roundel not covered by the perimeter strip is at least 35 mm wide; and
- (c) the diameter of the part of the roundel coloured black and yellow is not less than 360 mm, nor more than 370 mm.
- (3) The sign is mounted on a pole in accordance with this sub-paragraph if—
 - (a) where a section of the pole at the bottom of the roundel extends over the face of the roundel for the purpose of securing the roundel to the pole, it does not obscure any part of the black symbol;
 - (b) subject to paragraphs (c) and (d), the pole is coloured with alternating black and yellow bands not less than 280 nor more than 320 mm deep, beginning with a black band immediately below the roundel;
 - (c) any part of the pole which extends over the face of the roundel is coloured red or yellow in accordance with the colour of the part of the roundel covered by it;
 - (d) where the pole is separable into two pieces when the sign is not in use, any unpainted metallic finish does not extend beyond the joint between the two pieces or more than 5 mm of each piece of the pole on either side of the joint;
 - (e) any fastenings used to attach the roundel to the pole are coloured red or yellow in accordance with the colour of the part of the sign on which they are placed or of an unpainted metallic finish;
 - (f) the pole is not separable into more than two pieces;
 - (g) where a handgrip is fitted to the pole, it is black and fitted within the black band immediately below the roundel; and
 - (h) the yellow bands on the pole are not illuminated other than by means of retroreflecting material.

Mirror at traffic signals warning of the presence of cyclists

- **27.**—(1) A sign to convey the description of warning in sub-paragraph (2) must consist of a circular convex mirror of a diameter not less than 300 mm and not more than 500 mm.
- (2) The warning to which sub-paragraph (1) refers is of the presence at traffic signals of cyclists who may not otherwise be visible to other traffic.

Automatic bollards

- **28.**—(1) An indicator for conveying to vehicular traffic the information, warning, restriction or prohibition in sub-paragraph (2) must be of the same size, colour and type as the traffic light signals provided for at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table except that—
 - (a) an amber aspect must not be included;
 - (b) the diameter of the red signal and the green signal must be not less than 100 mm;
 - (c) the mounting height to the centre of the green signal must be not less 1000 mm; and
 - (d) the indicator may not incorporate a signal provided for in the sign table in Part 3.
 - (2) The significance, when illuminated, of the—

- (a) red signal is that it indicates the period during which an automatic bollard is in the raised position and that vehicular traffic must not proceed; and
- (b) green signal is that it indicates the period during which an automatic bollard is in the lowered position and that vehicular traffic may proceed.
- (3) Schedule 14 General Directions 44 and 46 apply to the indicator.

Refuge indicator lamps

- **29.**—(1) A lamp in the form of an illuminated spherical globe for conveying the warning that drivers of vehicles are approaching a street refuge may be placed subject to the following conditions—
 - (a) the globe is white;
 - (b) the globe has a diameter of not less than 275 mm nor more than 335 mm; and
 - (c) the height of the centre of the globe above the surface of the carriageway in the immediate vicinity is not less than 3800 mm nor more than 5000 mm.
 - (2) Schedule 14 General Direction 45 applies to the lamp provided for in sub-paragraph (1).

Meaning of "stop line"

- **30.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), "stop line" in this Part means—
 - (a) in relation to any vehicle except a tramcar, the road marking provided for at item 46 of the Part 2 sign table; and
 - (b) in relation to a tramcar—
 - (i) the road marking provided for at item 47 of that table; or
 - (ii) where that marking has not been placed, the road marking provided for at item 46.
- (2) Where the road marking provided for at item 48, 49 or 50 of the sign table in Part 2 has been placed, "stop line" means—
 - (a) unless (b) applies, the first stop line; or
 - (b) in the case of—
 - (i) a pedal cycle; or
 - (ii) a vehicle which has proceeded beyond the first stop line,

the second stop line.

- (3) Where there is no stop line or the stop line is not visible, references to "stop line" are—
 - (a) in a case where a sign provided for at item 58, 59 or 60 of the Part 2 sign table is placed, to be treated as references to that sign; and
 - (b) in any other case, to be treated as references to the post or other structure on which the primary signals (within the meaning of paragraph 31) are mounted.
- (4) In sub-paragraph (2)—
 - (a) "the first stop line" means the transverse white line or lines appearing below the pedal cycle symbol in the road markings shown in the diagram at item 49, in the diagram at item 50 or in either version of the diagram at item 48; and
 - (b) "the second stop line" means the transverse white line appearing above the pedal cycle symbol in the road markings shown in the diagram at item 49 or 50, or in either version of the diagram at item 48.

Primary and secondary signals

- **31.**—(1) In this Part a reference to traffic light signals, or to a signal of a particular colour forming part of traffic light signals, is, where secondary signals as well as primary signals have been placed, a reference to the light signals displayed by both the primary and secondary signals or, as the case may be, by the primary signals operating without the secondary signals or by the secondary signals operating without the primary signals.
- (2) "Primary signals" means traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 2, 3 or 4 of the Part 2 sign table and—
 - (a) where a stop line is also placed, sited beyond that line and near one end or both ends of the line; or
 - (b) where there is no stop line, sited at either edge or both edges of the carriageway or part of the carriageway which is in use by traffic approaching and controlled by the sign; and
- (3) "Secondary signals" means traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 2, 3 or 4 of the Part 2 sign table which are sited facing traffic approaching from the direction of the primary signals but sited beyond those signals as viewed from the direction of travel of such traffic.

PART 2
Light signals, signs and road markings for the control of traffic

Sign table — Schedule 14, Part 2

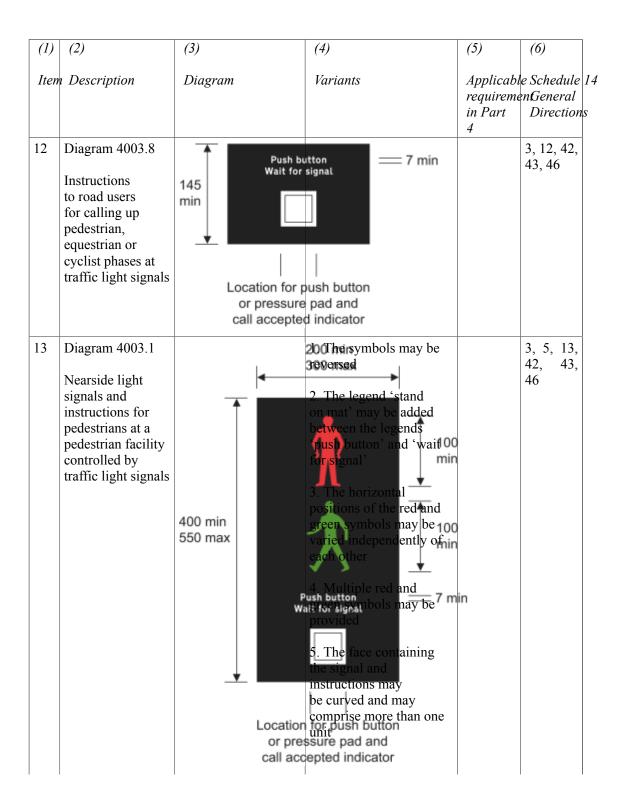
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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 1 enGeneral Directions
1	Diagram 3000 Traffic light signals for the control of vehicular traffic at road junctions, places where the headroom or the width of the road is permanently restricted, signal controlled crossing facilities, tunnels, or in conjunction with the road marking provided for at item 15 of the table in part 6 of schedule 9	305 min 360 max 305 min 360 max 2100 min	350 mWhere the layout or 450 rebaracter of the road restricts the visibility of the signals shown in the diagram, the maximum height of 4000 mm may be increased as appropriate to a maximum of 6100 mm 4000 max (6100 min 9000 max when signals are place above carriageway)		2, 3, 4, 5, 43, 46

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)		(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants			le Schedule I enGeneral Directions
2	Diagram 3000.1 Portable traffic light signals for the control of vehicular traffic	260 min 360 max 260 min 360 max 4	1500 min 3500 max	_	1, 2, 3	5, 6, 42, 43
3	Diagram 3000.2 Traffic light signals for the control of vehicular traffic consisting solely of pedal cycles (Alternative types)	350 min 450 max 305 min 360 max 305 min 360 max 2100 min	200 1 4000 max		1, 2, 3	2, 3, 5, 43, 46
4	Diagram 3000.2A Traffic light signals for the control of vehicular traffic consisting solely of pedal cycles (Alternative types)	110 min 160 max 110 min 160 max 110 min 160 max	90 min 110 max 110 max 12000 12000 12000 12000		1, 2	2, 3, 5, 43, 46

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 1 enGeneral Directions
5	Diagram 3014 Light signals for the control of road traffic at level crossings, swing or lifting bridges, airfields or in the vicinity of premises used regularly by fire and rescue authority, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, police or ambulance vehicles	235 min 345 max	1365 125 585 min 665 max 2100 min	200 915	2, 4, 5, 46
6	Diagram 773 The light signals provided for at item 5 are ahead (where those light signals are at level crossing, swing or lifting bridge, or airfields)	62.5 75 = who 100 125	400		7
7	Diagram 563.1 The light signals provided for at item 5 are ahead (where those light signals are in the vicinity of premises used regularly by fire and rescue authority, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, police or ambulance vehicles)	62.5 wh			8

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Item	Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule I enGeneral Directions
			2. A distance may be added3. An arrow pointing horizontally to the left or to the right may be added		
8	Diagrams 776 and 777 Another train or tramcar may be about to pass over the crossing. Level crossing ahead is crossed by more than one railway or tramway track, and more than one train or tramcar may pass over it in quick succession	776 ANOTHER TRAIN COMING 777 ANOTHI COI if li continue	210	14 (in respect of the sign shown by the diagram numbered 776 only)	9
9	Diagram 4002.1 Farside light signals for pedestrians	305 min 440 max 2100 min 2600 max	170 170 Lower edge of container	3	3, 5, 10, 41, 42, 43, 46

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 nGeneral Directions
10	Diagram 4002.1A Pedestrian countdown unit indicating to pedestrians the time remaining to cross the road (shown in combination with the signal provided for at item 19)		1. Numerals may be varied 2. The positions of the countdown unit and green cycle aspect may be reversed 3. The cycle aspect may be omitted 5 min 305 min 440 max		3, 5, 10, 42, 43
11	Diagram 4003 Instructions to pedestrians above the push button control for calling up pedestrian phases at traffic light signals	300 min 375 max	DESTRIANS button and wait signal opposite wait with care ation for push or pressure pad		3, 5, 11 ,42, 43, 46



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Item	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule enGeneral Directions
14	Diagram 4003.1A Supplementary nearside light signals for pedestrians a pedestrian facility controlled by traffic light signals	152 min 420 max	1. The symbols may be reversed 2. The horizontal positions of the red and green symbols may be varied independently of each other 3. The face containing the signal may be curved		3, 5, 14, 43, 46
15	Diagram 4003.2 Farside light signals for equestrian traffic	305 min 440 max	The symbols may be reversed 140	3	3, 5, 15, 41, 43, 46

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Ite	em Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule InGeneral Directions	
16	Diagram 4003.3 Instructions to horse riders above the push button control for calling up equestrian traffic phases at traffic light signals	300 min 375 max	EQUESTRIANS push button and wait for signal opposite White cross with care white are wait wait wrotes with care button for push button or pressure pad		3, 5, 16, 43, 46	

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 nGeneral Directions
17	Diagram 4003.4 Nearside light signals and instructions for horse riders at an equestrian traffic crossing facility controlled by traffic light signals	400 min 550 max	200Thersymbols may be 3eversed 2. The horizontal positions of the red and green ridden horse symbols may be varied 85 independently of each min other 3. Multiple red and green ridden horse symbols may be provided. 4. The face containing the signal and was be surved and may comprise more than one unit Location for push button or pressure pad and call accepted indicator		3, 5, 17, 41, 43, 46
18	Diagram 4003.4A Supplementary nearside light signals for horse riders at an equestrian traffic crossing facility controlled by traffic light signals	152 min 420 max	103 min. The symbols may abe reversed where appropriate 2. The horizontal positions of the red and green ridden horse symbols may be varied independently of each other min 3. The face containing the signal may be curved		3, 5, 18, 43, 46

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule enGeneral Directions
19	Diagram 4003.5 Farside light signals for pedestrians and cyclists at a Toucan crossing	170 305 min 440 max 170 305 m 440 m 2100 min 2600 max	The cycle aspect may be positioned to the left of the green pedestrian aspect 200 Lower edge of container	3	3, 5, 19, 41, 43, 46
20	Diagram 4003.6 (a) instructions to pedestrians and cyclists above the push button control for calling up pedestrian and cycle phases at a Toucan crossing; or (b) instructions to cyclists above the push button control for calling up cycle phases at a crossing controlled by the traffic light signals provided for at item 3 or 4	300 min 375 max	button and wait signal opposite //A ation for push or pressure pad		3, 5, 20, 43, 46

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 nGeneral Directions
21	Diagram 4003.7 Nearside light signals and instructions for pedestrians and cyclists at a Toucan crossing	400 min 50 min 50 min 1	1. The combined cycle and pedestriansymbols may be reversed in a mirror image 2. The face containing the signal and instructions may be curved and may comprise more than one unit Push button Wait for signal Location for push button or pressure pad and call accepted indicator	100 min 100 min 7 min	3, 5, 21, 41, 43, 46
22	Diagram 4003.7A Supplementary nearside signals for pedestrians and cyclists at a Toucan crossing	152 min 420 max 35 min	1. The combined cycle and pedestrian symbols may be reversed in a mirror image The face containing the signal may be curved 70 min		3, 5, 22, 43, 46

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Item	Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 1 enGeneral Directions
23	Diagram 4004 Signals placed at or near a school crossing place where children likely to be crossing the road on their way to or from school ahead (Alternative types)	135 min 155 max	coloured grey 405 min 465 max		5, 23
24	Diagram 605.3 School crossing patrol sign	STOP	450 min 470 max	1, 2, 12	
25	Diagram 4005 A cattle crossing lies ahead and may be in use	550 min 615 max 610 min 720 max	305 min 360 max 200 2400 min 4000 max	3	5, 24
26	Diagram 4006 Light signal at level crossing for pedestrians conveying the prohibition that pedestrians must	200	160 min 175 max	3	5, 25, 46

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
	not proceed beyond the marking provided for at item 68				
27	Diagram 4007 Yellow or fluorescent yellow globe to indicate presence of a Parallel, or Zebra crossing		2100 min 3100 max	13	
28	Diagram 543 Traffic signals ahead	600 750 900 1200 1500			
29	Diagram 543.1 Traffic signals in the direction indicated which only operate at certain times (Supplementary plate)	Part time signals 400 yds	1. "Part time signals" may be varied to "Peak hour signals" or "Traffic control" or omitted 100 2! The sign may show a different distance or the distance may be omitted 3. The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right or omitted 4. When "Part time signals" is omitted, the x- height of the legend may be varied to 200 mm		26

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
30	Diagram 544 Zebra crossing or Parallel crossing ahead	600 750 900			
31	Diagram 547.8 Zebra crossing, Parallel crossing, or signal- controlled crossing on a road hump, in the direction indicated (Supplementary plate)	Humped crossing 400 yds	1. "Humped crossing" May be varied to "Zebra Prossing" or "Parallel Prossing" or omitted 100 12.5 The sign may show a different distance or the distance may be omitted 3. The arrow may be reversed to point horizontally to the right or omitted 4. When "Humped crossing" is omitted, the x-height of the legend may be varied to 150 mm or 200 mm		27
32	Diagrams 5001.1 and 5001.2 Lane open to vehicular traffic (Alternative types)	50 min 100 max → ← 250 min 350 max 200 min 400 max 5001.1	35 min 70 max 200 min 700 max 170 min 370 max 5001.2	non max	5, 28, 46

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Item	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 1- enGeneral Directions
33	Diagrams 5003 and 5003.1 Lane closed to vehicular traffic (Alternative types)	250 min 350 max 250 min 350 max 250 min 350 max 5003	225 min 550 max 	riff hat	5, 28, 46
34	Diagrams 5005 and 5005.1 Lane closed ahead and vehicular traffic should move to the next lane on the left (Alternative types)		30 min 60 max 0 min max 240 min 700 max 5005.1	Total of the state	5, 28, 46
35	Diagram 5010 The lane control light signals provided for at items 32, 33 and 34 ahead	signals ahea ↓ lane open	are not used imithe lane control systemmax	8	

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants	Applicabl requireme in Part 4	e Schedule 1 nGeneral Directions
36	Diagram 5011 The lane control light signals provided for at items 32, 33 and 34 ahead on a road extending from a junction		The diagonal white arrow symbol and the words move to left anay be omitted where the signals provided for at item 34 are not used in the lane control system move to left	8	
37	Diagram 5012 System of lane control light signals ahead	Lane control ahead	75 min 150 max		
38	Diagram 5013 Direction of a system of lane control light signals	Lane control	The direction of the arrow may be varied with the arrow or chevron pointing horizontally to the left		
39	Diagram 5014 Distance to and direction of a system of lane control light signals (alternative types)	50 yards	ditterent dictance	5 min 0 max	
40	Diagram 5015 End of a system of lane control light signals	End of lane control	75 min 150 max		

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Item	Description	Diagram	Variants		ble Schedule nenGeneral Directions
41	Diagram 548.1A Supervised cattle crossing ahead	600 750 900 1200 1500	1. The sign shown in lower part of the dia may show a different distance 2. An arrow pointing the left of to the right of the lower of the diagram 125 150	gram gt to nt sign	
42	Diagram 606 Vehicular traffic may proceed only in the direction indicated by the arrow (Alternative types)		The diameter may be less than 95 mm not more than 110 if the sign is place conjunction with the provided for at item	and mm300 ed in e sign	28, 29
43	Diagrams 612, 613 and 614 No right, left, or u-turn for vehicular traffic (Alternative types)	612	The diameter may be less than 95 mm not more than 110 if the sign is place conjunction with the provided for at item	and mm00 ed in e sign	28, 29
44	Diagram 616 No entry for vehicular traffic		300	10	28, 30
45	Diagrams 954.5, 954.6 and 954.7 Classes of vehicle excluded from restriction or prohibition conveyed by associated sign	Except buses		cles",	28
	(Alternative types)		365		

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants	Applicabl requireme in Part 4	e Schedule enGeneral Directions
46	Diagram 1001 Vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the line when required to stop by light signals, by a constable in uniform or by a traffic warden		= ²⁰⁰ ₃₀₀	4, 5	31, 42, 43
47	Diagram 1001.1 Tramcars must not proceed beyond the line when required to stop by light signals	130 + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +	180	4	32
48	Alternatives to the stop line provided for at item 46 showing separate stop lines for pedal cycles proceeding in the cycle lane	1700 = 200 300 2750 2750 Cycle lane	2. The nearside cycle lane may be bounded by the continuous white line provided for at item 7 of the sign table in Part 6 of Schedule 9 3. The right hand longitudinal line may be omitted where that part of the carriageway is delineated by a raised kerb	4, 5	33

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Item	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
49	Diagram 1001.2B Alternative to the stop line provided for at item 46 showing separate stop lines for pedal cycles.	4000 min 7500 max	1. The number of traffic lanes may be varied 2. The right hand 300 longitudinal line may be omitted where that part of the carriageway is delineated by a raised kerb 300	4, 5	33
50	Alternatives to the stop line provided for at item 46 showing a separate stop line at a junction for pedal cycles proceeding through the cycle entry	4000 min 7500 max 45°	1. The number of traffic lanes may be varied 200 2. The right hand 300 longitudinal line may be omitted where that part of the carriageway is delineated by a raised kerb 300 3. The number of marks in the diagonal line may be varied	4, 5	33

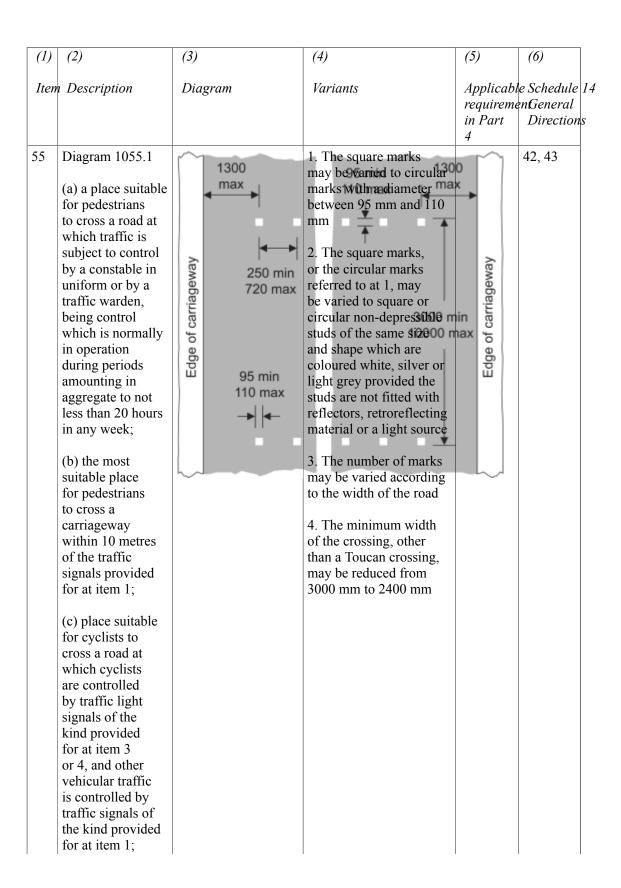
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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
51	Diagram 1001.3 Zig-zag lines to indicate requirements or prohibitions relating to stopping or overtaking at a Puffin crossing, signal-controlled crossing facility or portable signal-controlled pedestrian facility (shown in combination with the markings provided for at items 46 and 55)	500 — 500 —	1. Subject to entry 4 max each zig-zag line may contain more than 8 marks but not more than 18 marks 1700 min 3000 max 2. The central zig-zag line may be reversed, or where the road is not more than 6 metres wide, may be omitted 150 3. Each zig-zag line need not contain the same number of marks as 0 any other line, provided each mark is of the same length as the others 4. Where the traffic authority is satisfied that the layout or character of the road means it is not practical to lay 8 marks, the number of marks can be reduced to not less than 2 5. Where there is a central refuge or reservation in the carriageway the zig-zag lines may be marked on each side of the refuge or reservation provided that the markings on each side are indicated as separate crossings 6. Where a central refuge or reservation is provided, the markings provided for at item 23 of Part 4 of Schedule 11 (and shown in the second diagram of that item)	1, 2, 5	34, 42, 43

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 1 nGeneral Directions
			may be placed between the zig-zag lines on the approaches		
			7. The zig-zag lines may to be placed up to 2 metres from the edge of the carriageway to allow cyclists to ride on the nearside of the lines		
52	Diagram 1001.4: Zig-zag lines to indicate the requirements or prohibitions relating to stopping or overtaking at a Zebra crossing (shown in combination with the marking provided for at item 54, the stripes provided for at paragraph 18 of Part 1 and the marking provided for at item 55)	200 tilax	4. Wherethe traffic authority is satisfied that the layout or character of the road means it is not	1, 2	

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Item	Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 1 enGeneral Directions
			marking on each side are indicated as separate		
			crossings		
			6. Where a central refuge or reservation is provided, the markings provided for at item 23 of the table in Part 4 of Schedule 11 and shown in the bottom diagram at that item (vehicular traffic not to enter part of the carriageway) may be placed between the zig-zag lines on the approaches.		
			7. The zig-zag lines may to be placed up to 2 metres from the edge of the carriageway to allow cyclists to ride on the nearside of the lines		
			8. The marking provided for at item 55 may be omitted		
			9. The maximum distance of 3 metres between the give-way line and the limits of the crossing may, if the traffic authority thinks fit, be increased to not more than 10 metres		

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
53	Zig-zag lines to indicate the requirements or prohibitions relating to stopping or overtaking at a Parallel pedestrian and cyclist crossing (shown in combination with markings provided for at items 54 and 57 and the stripes provided for at paragraph 18 of Part 1)	Limits of crossing was a solution of transfer of trans	any other line, provided	00 max 0 00 min 00 max	

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			in the bottom diagram at that item (vehicular traffic not to enter part of the carriageway) may be placed between the zig-zag lines on the approaches		
			7. The zig-zag lines may to be placed up to 2 metres from the edge of the carriageway to allow cyclists to ride on the nearside of the lines		
			8. The cycle symbols may be omitted or reversed as appropriate		
54	Diagram 1001.5 Give-way marking for use at Zebra crossings, and Parallel pedestrian and cyclist crossings	500 ∢ ▶	500 	0	



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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants	Applicable Sch requiremenGen in Part Dire 4	
	(d) place suitable for pedestrians to cross at a signal (including portable) controlled pedestrian facility; (e) place suitable for pedestrians and cyclists to cross at a Toucan crossing;				
	(f) place suitable for crossing at an equestrian only crossing; or (h) place suitable for pedestrians to cross forming				
	part of a Zebra crossing				

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 1- enGeneral Directions
56	Diagram 1055.2 As for the description in this column of item 55, paragraph (c) (d) or (e), with an additional crossing point for equestrians	1300 max	2. The square marks, or the circular marks referred to at 1, may be varied to square or circular non-depressible studs of the same size and shape which are coloured white, silver or light grey provided the studs are not fitted with		43
57	Diagram 1055.3 (a) route for vehicular traffic consisting solely of pedal cyclists across a signal controlled junction (b) route for vehicular traffic consisting solely of pedal cyclists across a Parallel crossing	Edge of carriageway	The marking may be varied to include the symbol shown in the diagram at item 28 of the sign table in Part 4 Schedule 11 (cycle symbol) max		35

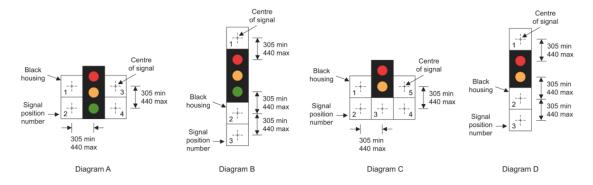
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Iten	Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule enGeneral Directions
58	Diagram 7011 Point beyond which vehicular traffic must not proceed when required to stop (in accordance with the provisions of Part 1) at portable light signals provided for at item 2 when the road marking provided for at item 46 is not placed on the carriageway	750 LIGHT SH	varied as follows— (a) "WHEN STOP SIGN SHOWS WAIT HERE"; lows (b) "WHEN RED LIGHT SHOWS WAIT HERE FOR CONVOY VEHICLE"; (c) "WHEN STOP SIGN SHOWS WAIT HERE FOR CONVOY VEHICLE"; (d) "WHEN GREEN LIGHT SHOWS FOLLOW CONVOY VEHICLE"; or (e) "AT TRAFFIC CONTROL FOLLOW CONVOY VEHICLE"	8	
59	Diagram 7011.1 As for item 58 where there is a road junction	750 WAIT HI UNTIL GR LIGHT SH	to '4-WAY' NTROL ERE REEN	8	
60	Diagram 7011.2 Instruction to vehicular traffic at a portable signal-controlled pedestrian facility	PEDESTR CROSSI WHEN F LIGHT SH WAIT H	NG RED IOWS	8	42, 43

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule I enGeneral Directions
61	Diagram 7019 Traffic light signals not in use	420, 525, 630 700 875 1050			
62	Diagram 7021 Traffic on road ahead is being controlled by portable light signals (indication to traffic joining that road)	TRAFF UNDE SIGNA CONTR	R AL	8	
63	Diagram 7022 Traffic joining a length of road being controlled by portable light signals is not controlled by such signals	JOININ TRAFF NOT SIG	IC SNAL		
64	Diagram 7023 Vehicular traffic must not proceed into a length of road where one-way working is temporarily necessary (manually operated sign)	600 900 STOR		1, 6, 9	36

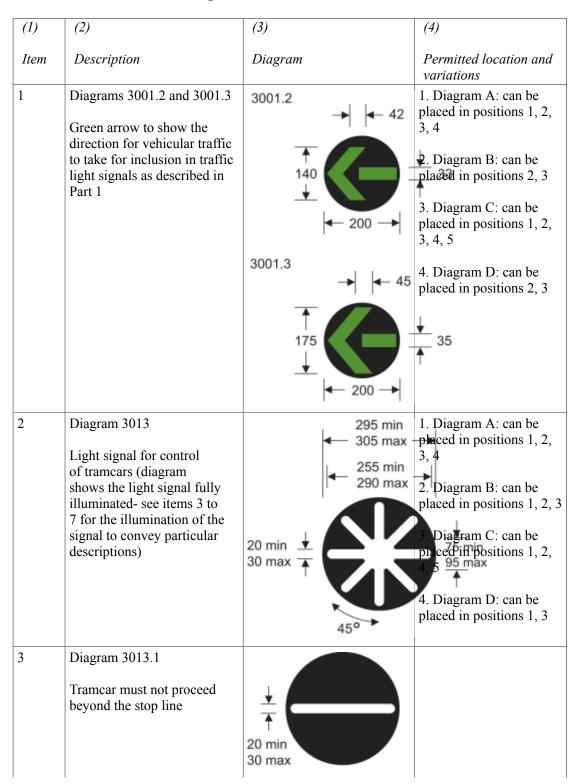
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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		e Schedule 14 enGeneral Directions
65	Diagram 7024 Vehicular traffic may proceed into a length of road where one-way working is temporarily necessary (manually operated sign)	600 900 Q		6, 9	36
66	Diagram 7031 Vehicular traffic must not proceed beyond the sign when displayed for a short period during works on or near an all-purpose road (Double sided sign)	STOP WORKS	A red or transparent protective strip, with a visible width not exceeding 6 mm, may be applied to the perimeter of the sign	1, 7, 11	37, 38
67	Diagram 790 New method of controlling traffic at a railway or tramway level crossing ahead – temporary sign	750 NEV LEVE CROSS CONTI	ROL		39
68	Pedestrians approaching a level crossing must wait behind the line when the barriers are closed or when the red figure in the sign provided	250	500 4 = 20	0	

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Iten	n Description	Diagram	Variants		le Schedule 2nGeneral Directions
	for at item 26 or the light signals provided for at item 5 are showing or, if there are neither barriers nor light signals, until satisfied that it is safe to proceed				
69	Diagram 545.1 Part-time advisory 20 mph speed limit at or near a school	School 20 mhen lights show	<u>00</u> 50		40

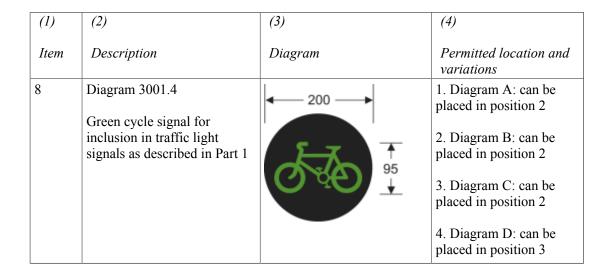
PART 3
Green arrow, tram and cycle signals



Sign table – Schedule 14, Part 3



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Description	Diagram	Permitted location and variations
4	Diagram 3013.2 Tramcar may proceed beyond the stopline and proceed straight ahead	→ ← 20 min 30 max	
5	Diagram 3013.3 Tramcar may proceed beyond the stopline and proceed to the left	20 min 30 max	
6	Diagram 3013.4 Tramcar may proceed beyond the stopline and proceed to the right	20 min 30 max	
7	Diagram 3013.5 Tramcar must not proceed beyond the stop line except that, as respects a tramcar which is so close to the stop line that it cannot safely be stopped without proceeding beyond the stop line, it conveys the same indication as the aspect which was shown immediately before it	75 min 95 max	



PART 4

Requirements applying to signs in Parts 2 and 3

- 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(117) relating to offences under section 36 of the 1988 Act.
 - 3. The dimension of 200 mm referred to in the diagram for the sign may be varied by—
 - (a) up to 10% where the varied dimension is greater than 200 mm, or
 - (b) up to 2.5% where the varied dimension is less than 200 mm, provided that, where the dimensions of a signal which displays an arrow or symbol are varied in accordance with this paragraph, the dimensions chosen for the arrow or symbol are such as to maintain the shape and proportions shown in the diagram in which the signal is shown.
 - **4.** The stop line must be reflectorised unless paragraph 5 applies.
 - **5.** If the stop line is placed with zig-zag lines the stop line may be reflectorised.
- **6.** The sign comprises the stop (item 64) and go (item 65) symbols on opposite sides of the same sign.
- 7. No retroreflecting material must be applied to that part of the sign which is coloured fluorescent yellow, unless the retroreflecting material is applied to that part in horizontal strips with a gap between each strip, or unless the retroreflecting material is itself also fluorescent.
- **8.** Where the sign is erected on a road subject to a speed limit greater than 20 mph and is 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.
- **9.** The sign must be illuminated throughout the hours of darkness by internal or external lighting and may also be reflectorised.
- 10. The sign must be illuminated by means of internal lighting at all times except when the light signals to which it is fixed are being maintained or repaired.
- 11.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3), the parts of the sign not coloured black must be reflectorised.
- (2) The part of the sign coloured yellow must be fluorescent, unless the retroreflecting material is applied to that part in horizontal strips with a gap between each strip or the retroreflecting material is itself also fluorescent.
 - (3) The part of the sign coloured red may be fluorescent.
 - **12.**—(1) The illumination of the roundel must be in accordance with this paragraph.
- (2) The parts of the roundel coloured black must not be illuminated by means of retroreflecting material.
- (3) Subject to sub-paragraph (4), the parts of the roundel coloured yellow must be either fluorescent or illuminated by means of internal lighting.
- (4) Subject to sub-paragraph (5) with the exception of the parts of the roundel coloured black and any protective strip applied to the perimeter of the roundel, the roundel must be illuminated by means of retroreflecting material and any such material applied to the parts coloured yellow must, if not fluorescent, be applied in horizontal strips with gaps between the strips.
- (5) The parts of the roundel coloured red may be fluorescent or illuminated by means of internal lighting.
- **13.**—(1) A globe must be internally illuminated by a flashing light except that, where subparagraph (2) applies, it may be a steady light.
 - (2) This sub-paragraph applies where—
 - (a) in relation to a globe placed in England and Wales, the Secretary of State; or
 - (b) in relation to a globe placed in Scotland, Scottish Ministers,

has or have given authorisation in writing for the light to be steady.

- (3) Where a globe is mounted on or attached to or mounted on a post, whether or not specially provided for the purpose—
 - (a) the post must be coloured in alternate black and white bands with the lowest band being coloured black;
 - (b) the width of the bands must be not less than 275 mm, nor more than 335 mm, save that the lowest band may be of a width of not more than 1 metre; and
 - (c) the post may be internally illuminated.
 - (4) A globe, or the post on which it is mounted, may be fitted with all or any of the following—
 - (a) a backing board or other device designed to improve the conspicuousness of the globe;
 - (b) a shield or other device designed to prevent or reduce light shining into adjacent premises;
 or

- (c) a light to illuminate the crossing.
- **14.** The sign must only be illuminated when the warning conveyed by the sign applies.

PART 5

Movement at section 25 crossings

- 1. The driver of a vehicle must not cause the vehicle or any part of it to stop within the limits of a section 25 crossing unless prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or it is necessary to stop to avoid injury or damage to persons or property.
- **2.** A pedestrian must not remain on the carriageway within the limits of a section 25 crossing longer than is reasonably necessary for that pedestrian to pass over the crossing with reasonable despatch.
- **3.** Subject to paragraph 4, the driver of a vehicle must not cause it, or any part of it, to stop in a section 25 crossing controlled area.
 - **4.**—(1) The prohibition in paragraph 3 does not apply to—
 - (a) a pedal cycle; or
 - (b) a driver who stops a vehicle in a controlled area in any of the circumstances specified in sub-paragraph (2).
 - (2) The circumstances are—
 - (a) the driver has stopped the vehicle for the purpose of complying with paragraph 7(1);
 - (b) the driver has stopped the vehicle for the purpose of complying with an indication given by a light signal for the control of vehicular traffic or the direction of a constable in uniform, a traffic officer in uniform or a traffic warden;
 - (c) the driver is prevented from proceeding by circumstances beyond the driver's control or it is necessary to stop to avoid injury or damage to persons or property;
 - (d) the vehicle is being used for at least one of the following purposes—
 - (i) fire and rescue authority;
 - (ii) Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
 - (iii) ambulance;
 - (iv) blood service;
 - (v) providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service;
 - (vi) bomb or explosive disposal;
 - (vii) special forces;
 - (viii) police;
 - (ix) National Crime Agency.
 - (e) the vehicle is stopped for no longer than is necessary for it to be used for the purposes of—
 - (i) an operation involving building, demolition or excavation;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of a road; or
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration, repair or cleaning in or near the controlled area of any sewer, or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity, or of any electronic communications apparatus kept installed for the purposes of an

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electronic communications code system or of any other electronic communications apparatus lawfully kept installed in any position,

but only if the vehicle cannot be used for those purposes without stopping in the controlled area:

- (f) the vehicle is a public service vehicle being used—
 - (i) in the provision of a local service; or
 - (ii) to carry passengers for hire or reward at separate fares,

where the vehicle is waiting in the controlled area in order to take up or set down passengers having proceeded past the crossing or the light signals to which the controlled area relates; or

- (g) the vehicle is stopped for the purpose of making a left or right turn.
- **5.** When vehicular light signals at a Puffin crossing are displaying a light signal which conveys a prohibition described at paragraph 5(2) of Part 1, the driver of a vehicle must not cause it to contravene that prohibition.
- **6.**—(1) Whilst any motor vehicle ("the approaching vehicle") or any part of it is within the limits of a section 25 crossing controlled area and is proceeding towards the crossing to which the controlled area relates, the driver of the vehicle must not cause it or any part of it to pass ahead of the foremost part of—
 - (a) any other motor vehicle proceeding in the same direction
 - (b) a vehicle which is stationary for the purpose of complying with paragraph 5 or 7.
 - (2) In sub-paragraph (1)—
 - (a) the reference to a motor vehicle in paragraph (a) is, in a case where more than one motor vehicle is proceeding in the same direction as the approaching vehicle in a section 25 crossing controlled area, a reference to the motor vehicle nearest to the crossing to which the controlled area relates; and
 - (b) the reference to a stationary vehicle is, in a case where more than one vehicle is stationary in a controlled area for the purpose of complying with paragraph 5 or 7, a reference to the stationary vehicle nearest the crossing to which the controlled area relates.
- 7.—(1) Every pedestrian who is on the carriageway within the limits of a Zebra crossing, which is not for the time being controlled by a constable in uniform or traffic warden, before any part of a vehicle has entered those limits has precedence within those limits over that vehicle and the driver must accord such precedence to any such pedestrian.
- (2) Where there is a refuge for pedestrians or central reservation on a Zebra crossing, the parts of the crossing situated on each side of the refuge or central reservation are, for the purposes of this paragraph, to be treated as separate crossings.

PART 6

The Schedule 14 General Directions

- 1. In these General Directions a reference to an item is to an item in the Part 2 sign table (except where a contrary intention is expressed).
- **2.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), the traffic light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4 may only be placed in conjunction with the road marking provided for at item 46, 47, 48, 49 or 50 (the reference to item 47 is to be ignored in relation to item 4).

- (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3), the light signals provided for at item 5 may only be placed in conjunction with the road marking provided for at item 46.
- (3) Sub-paragraphs (1) and (2) do not apply to light signals while works which necessitate the temporary removal of a road marking are being executed on a road near the light signals.
 - **3.**—(1) This paragraph applies where—
 - (a) one or more of the signs provided for at item 1, 3 or 4;
 - (b) one or more of the signs provided for at items 9 to 22; or
 - (c) a combination of the signs mentioned at (a) and (b),

are mounted on a post or other support specially provided for the purpose.

- (2) No other signs may be mounted on, or fixed to, that post or support.
- (3) Sub-paragraph (2) is subject to sub-paragraphs (4) to (6)
- (4) One of each of the signs provided for at items 42 to 45 may be fixed to any traffic light signals on that post or support as long as those signs are placed so that they face the stream of traffic to which they are intended to convey their warning, information, requirement, restriction or prohibition.
- (5) A sign which are referred to in paragraph (6) may be mounted on the post or support as long as it is placed so that it faces the stream of traffic to which it is intended that that information is conveyed.
 - (6) The signs are—
 - (a) those provided for at item 29 (where the legend is "Part time signals" or "Peak hour signals") or 61;
 - (b) a sign placed by virtue of Part 9 of Schedule 13 conveying the information that traffic light signals are not in use.
- **4.** The traffic light signals may be placed to face traffic proceeding in a particular direction if and only if—
 - (a) at least two identical sets of signals are placed so as to face traffic proceeding in that direction; and
 - (b) at least one of those sets of signals is a set of primary signals.
- **5.**—(1) The light signals may only be placed if they are placed so that they face the stream of traffic to which they are intended to convey the warnings, information, requirements, restrictions or prohibitions prescribed.
 - (2) A container enclosing the lamps of the light signals must be coloured black except that—
 - (a) if a container encloses lamps of the light signals provided for at item 23, 25, 32, 33 or 34 it may be coloured grey instead of black;
 - (b) the back of a container enclosing the light signals provided for at item 11 to 14, 16 to 18 or 20 to 22 may be coloured yellow; and
 - (c) the container may have a white border not less than 45 nor more than 55 mm wide.
- (3) The light signals other than the signals provided for at item 5 may be mounted on a backing board, which must be coloured black and may have a white border not less than 45 nor more than 55 mm wide.
- (4) In the case of the light signals provided for at item 5, the back of the backing board may be coloured black or grey.

- (5) Where the light signals are mounted on a post specially provided for the purpose, that part of the post which extends above ground level must either be coloured grey, black, brown, dark green or dark blue or be in a non-reflective metallic finish.
 - (6) Despite sub-paragraph (5)—
 - (a) the post may be marked with a yellow or white band not less than 140 nor more than 160 mm deep and the lower edge of the band being not less than 1500 nor more than 1700 mm above ground level; and
 - (b) where the light signals provided for at item 1, 3, 4, 9 to 11 or 13 to 22 are installed temporarily, the containers in which the posts are placed may be coloured with alternate red and white horizontal stripes.
- (7) The portable light signals provided for at item 2 and the signals provided for at items 9 to 13 when used at a portable crossing, instead of being mounted on a post coloured in accordance with sub-paragraph (5), may be mounted on a post coloured yellow (but having no yellow or white band as specified in sub-paragraph (6)) or on a tripod or other support coloured yellow.
- **6.**—(1) A traffic authority may, pursuant to section 65(1) of the 1984 Act, cause or permit the placing of the portable light signals if and only if—
 - (a) permission is given in writing, or in a case of urgency, given orally and confirmed in writing as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter; and
 - (b) either—
 - (i) the written permission of the authority includes express approval to the placing of the signals at a particular site; or
 - (ii) the authority is satisfied that the circumstances of the particular case fall within one of the sets of circumstances specified in sub-paragraph (2).
 - (2) The sets of circumstances referred to in sub-paragraph (1)(b)(ii) are—
 - (a) where the signals are to be operated and maintained by, and are under the regular supervision of, a constable in uniform during the progress of a temporary scheme of traffic control;
 - (b) where the signals are placed on a length of road along which—
 - (i) there is no junction carrying vehicular traffic to or from it; and
 - (ii) the width of the carriageway is temporarily restricted so as to carry only one line of traffic;
 - (c) where the signals are placed at a level crossing when work in relation to that crossing is being carried out;
 - (d) where the signals are placed on a road which is—
 - (i) adjacent to the temporary site of road, building or engineering works; and
 - (ii) is used for the movement of vehicles, materials, plant or equipment into and out of the site of the works.
- (3) Nothing in this direction is to be taken to limit or affect the powers of a constable or the chief officer of police under section 67(1) of the 1984 Act (placing of temporary signs on roads in extraordinary circumstances).
- 7. The sign may only be placed in conjunction with a sign provided for at item 21, 46, 51, 52 or 53 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 2 (and no plate may be placed with the signs).
- **8.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the sign provided for at item 56 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 2 (and no plate may be placed with the signs).

- **9.** The light signal may only be placed at or near a level crossing and the legend on that light signal may be displayed only when a railway vehicle or tramcar has just passed over the level crossing and another is approaching.
- **10.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1 to 4.
 - 11. The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 9.
- **12.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 3, 4, 9, 15 or 19.
 - 13. The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with—
 - (a) the light signals provided for at item 1, 2, 3 or 4; or
 - (b) the light signals mentioned at (a) and the light signals provided for at item 14.
- **14.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 13 and those provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
- 15. The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
 - **16.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 15.
 - 17. The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with—
 - (a) the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4; or
 - (b) the light signals mentioned at (a) and those provided for at item 18.
- **18.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 17 and those provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
- **19.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
- **20.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 3, 4 or 19.
 - 21. The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with—
 - (a) the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4; or
 - (b) the light signals mentioned at (a) and those provided for at item 22.
- **22.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 21 and those provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
- 23. The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the sign provided for at item 25 of the table in Part 2 of Schedule 2, together with a plate bearing the legend "School", "Patrol" or "Disabled children".
- **24.** The light signals may only be placed when the signs provided for at item 41 are placed in advance of those signals.
- **25.** The light signals may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 5.
- **26.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the sign provided for at item 28 or, where the legend is "Part time signals" or "Peak hour signals", the light signals provided for at item 1, 3, or 4.
 - 27. The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the sign provided for at item 28 or 30.

- **28.** The signs may only be placed to indicate the effect of an Act, order, regulation, bylaw, resolution or notice which prohibits or restricts the use of the road by traffic.
 - 29. The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
 - **30.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1 or 3.
- **31.**—(1) The road marking may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5.
- (2) Despite sub-paragraph (1), the marking may be placed at a site where traffic is from time to time controlled by a constable in uniform or traffic warden without the light signals referred to in that sub-paragraph.
 - **32.** The road marking may only be placed—
 - (a) in conjunction with the traffic light signals provided for at item 1 or 3; and
 - (b) when the signal provided for at items 2 to 7 of the table in Part 3 (light signal for control of tramcars) is part of those traffic light signals.
 - 33. The road marking may only be placed—
 - (a) in conjunction with the traffic light signals provided for at item 1; and
 - (b) when those signals are placed adjacent to the stop line appearing above the pedal cycle symbol that forms part of the marking.
- **34.**—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the road marking may only be placed in conjunction with the traffic light signals provided for at item 1 together with—
 - (a) the marking provided for at item 55 or 56 (marks to show a suitable place for crossing); and
 - (b) the light signals provided for at item 9, 13 (whether or not used in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 14), 15, 17 (whether or not used in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 18), 19 or 21 (whether or not used in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 22).
- (2) The road marking may be placed in conjunction with the traffic light signals provided for at item 2 (portable traffic light signals), together with the light signals provided for at item 9 or 13 and the marking provided for at item 55 as part of a portable signal-controlled pedestrian facility where all streams of vehicular traffic are stopped only for the purpose of enabling pedestrians to cross the carriageway in conjunction with the traffic light signals.
- **35.** The road marking may only be placed in conjunction with the light signals provided for at item 1, 3 or 4.
 - **36.** The signs may only be placed
 - (a) where one-way working is necessary along a length of road because part of the width of the carriageway has been temporarily closed to traffic; and
 - (b) either—
 - (i) there is no junction with another road along that length; or
 - (ii) the traffic authority has given express written approval to the placing of the sign in relation to a length of road having a junction with another road.
- **37.** The sign may only be placed in connection with the execution of works on or near a road, or a temporary obstruction.
- **38.** The post provided for the mounting of the sign must be coloured in alternate black and yellow bands each 300 mm deep with a black band uppermost below the bottom of the sign face and the yellow bands may be reflectorised.

- **39.** The sign—
 - (a) may only be placed in connection with works involving—
 - (i) an alteration in the layout of a level crossing; or
 - (ii) the placing, removal or alteration of signs on or near a level crossing; and
 - (b) may be retained in place not later than the end of the period of three months beginning with the day of the completion of those works.
- **40.** The sign may only be placed in conjunction with—
 - (a) a sign provided for at item 23; and
 - (b) a sign provided for at item 25 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 2.
- **41.**—(1) Zig-zag lines must be placed on the approaches to each side of a relevant crossing facility so as to form controlled areas.
 - (2) In this general direction, "relevant crossing facility" means—
 - (a) a signal-controlled crossing facility—
 - (i) at which there is placed the signal provided for at item 9, 15, 17, 19 or 21; and
 - (ii) which is not situated at a junction at which the priority between motor vehicles is regulated by traffic light signals;
 - (b) a Puffin crossing;
 - (c) a Parallel crossing; or
 - (d) a Zebra crossing.
- **42.**—(1) A traffic authority may, pursuant to section 65(1) of the 1984 Act, cause or permit the placing of a portable signal-controlled pedestrian facility if, and only if—
 - (a) permission is given in writing; and
 - (b) the written permission of the authority includes express approval to the placing of the facility at a particular site.
- (2) Nothing in this direction is to be taken to limit or affect the powers of a constable or the chief officer of police under section 67(1) of the 1984 Act (placing of temporary signs on roads in extraordinary circumstances).
- **43.**—(1) The placing of light signals and other signs at crossings must be in accordance with the sub-paragraphs (2) to (7).
- (2) On the left hand side of the crossing there is to be placed a primary signal and on the right hand side of the crossing, refuge for pedestrians or central reservation, as the case may be, there is to be placed a further primary, or a secondary, signal.
 - (3) At each end of the crossing there is to be placed—
 - (a) in the case of a signal-controlled crossing facility—
 - (i) a farside light signal and a push button device; or
 - (ii) a nearside light signal; and
 - (b) in the case of a Puffin crossing, at least one nearside light signal.
- (4) Farside light signals are to be so placed as to be clearly visible to any person on the opposite side of the signal-controlled crossing facility who wishes to use the crossing.
- (5) Nearside light signals are to be so placed as to be clearly visible to any person on the same side of the crossing who wishes to use the crossing.

- (6) A push-button device is to be so placed that the push-button may be reached by any person wishing to use it.
 - (7) A countdown unit may be placed with a farside light signal—
 - (a) at a portable signal-controlled pedestrian facility the presence of which is indicated by the sign provided for at item 9, and item 11 or 12;
 - (b) at a signal-controlled pedestrian facility the presence of which is indicated by the sign provided for at item 9, and item 11 or 12;
 - (c) at a Toucan crossing the presence of which is indicated by the sign provided for at item 19, and item 12 or 20.
 - (8) For the purposes of this general direction—
 - (a) "crossing" means a portable signal controlled pedestrian facility, a Puffin crossing and a signal-controlled crossing facility where vehicular traffic is stopped only for the purpose of enabling pedestrians, cyclists or equestrians to cross the carriageway and not for the purpose of regulating the vehicular traffic at a junction; and
 - (b) references to the left or right hand side of a crossing are to the left or right hand side as viewed by vehicular traffic approaching the crossing along the carriageway across which the crossing is placed.
- **44.** The indicator may only be placed in conjunction with the sign provided for at item 56 of the sign table in Part 2 of Schedule 2, with the legend "Rising bollards".
 - **45.**—(1) This general direction applies where the lamp is specially mounted on a post.
 - (2) Paragraph (3)—
 - (a) applies where a yellow globe is also attached to the post; and
 - (b) is subject to paragraph (7).
- (3) The part of the post between ground level and the point where the globe is attached must be coloured black and white in alternate horizontal bands and—
 - (a) the lowest band must be coloured black and be not less than 275 mm nor more than 1 metre deep; and
 - (b) each other band shall be not less than 275 mm nor more than 335 mm deep.
 - (4) The remaining part of the post must be coloured in accordance with paragraph (6).
 - (5) Paragraph (6) applies—
 - (a) if no globe attached to the post; or
 - (b) for the purposes of paragraph (4),
- and is subject to paragraph (7).
- (6) The post must be coloured grey or black but with two white bands (each band being not less than 275 mm nor more than 335 mm deep) arranged so that—
 - (a) not less than 275 mm nor more than 335 mm extend between the nearest edges of the two bands; and
 - (b) the upper edge of the uppermost band is not less than 275 mm nor more than 335 mm below the lowest part of the lamp,
- and the white bands may be internally illuminated.
- (7) Where the post is made of aluminium, concrete or galvanised metal it may remain in its natural colour.

- **46.**—(1) Equipment used in connection with the signals (including the content of all instructions stored in, or executable by, that equipment) may only be placed if, at the time it is first placed, it complies with the requirements of BS EN 12675:2001(118) and BS EN 50556:2011(119).
 - (2) Sub-paragraphs (3) to (7) make provision about how the Standards are to apply.
- (3) In relation to the requirements of BS EN 12675:2001, if the state specified in column 2 of an item in table 1 occurs, the class of response that applies is that set out in column 3.
- (4) In relation to the requirements of BS EN 50556:2011, the class of response for an aspect of performance at an item in table 2 in column 3 (within a subject area in column 2) is that in column 4.
- (5) The signal states which endanger traffic for the purposes of 5.2.3 of BS EN 50556:2011 are those specified in column 2 of table 1 at item 1, 2, 4 or 16.
- (6) Upon a state described in sub-paragraph (5) occurring, all signal heads and push button units must switch off in accordance with the classes of response specified in column 4 of table 2 at items 6 and 7.

Table 1: Requirements of BS EN 12675:2001

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	State	Class
1	Green-green conflict	AA1
2	Green-yellow conflict	AB1
3	Yellow-yellow conflict	AC0
4	Green-red/yellow conflict	AD1
5	Green-green/yellow conflict	AE0
6	Absence of any conflicting red signal	AF0
7	Absence for conflicting red on specified signal heads	AG0
8	Absence of the last conflicting red signal	AH0
9	Absent red/absent red	AJ0
10	National signal regulations (infringement)	BA0
11	Absence of a red signal on a specified signal group	CA1
12	Absence of the last red signal	CB1
13	Absence of a number of red signals	CC1
14	Absence of specified red signals	CD0
15	Absent signal groups, yellow or green signals	CE0
16	Compliance checking	DA1

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(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	State	Class
17	Stored values of timings	FA1
18	Time base frequency	FB0
19	Minimum values of time settings	FC0
20	Maximum values of time settings	FD0
21	Duration of timings	FE0
22	National signal sequences (infringement)	GA0
23	Specified signal group green to signal group green movements	GB0
24	Specified signal start-up sequence signal group movements	GC0
25	Failure of external inputs	HA1

Table 2: Requirements of BS EN 50556:2011

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Subject area	Aspect of performance	Class
1	Electrical supply	Overvoltage	D0
2	Safety	Leakage current	T2
3		Enclosure	V2
4		Terminations	Н0
5		Requirements of signalling intensity for safety	AF5
6		Requirements for signal states (i)	AG5
7		Requirements for signal states (ii)	X1
8		Location of monitoring elements for signals	N0
9	Test of impedance	Fault loop impedance test	AA1
10	Maintenance	Maintenance testing procedures	Y1
11	Environmental	Dry heat	AB3
12		Cold	AE2
13		Damp heat, cyclic	AK2

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Item	Subject area	Aspect of performance	Class
14		Solar radiation	AH0
15		Random vibration (operational)	AL2
16		Random vibration (transportation)	AM2

SCHEDULE 15

Regulation 3, Direction 3

Matrix signs and light signals for the control of moving traffic on motorways and dual carriageway roads

PART 1

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

- 1.—(1) Information or a warning, requirement, restriction or prohibition of a description in column 2 of an item in the sign table in Part 2 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, or that diagram as varied in accordance with Part 3.

- (2) Column 4 identifies the applicable variant for the sign in question by reference to the appropriate paragraph number in Part 3.
- **2.** The warning for the purposes of the description in column 2 of item 13 of the sign table is that—
 - (a) there is a hazard ahead on the motorway or all-purpose dual carriageway road; and
 - (b) drivers should drive at a speed which does not exceed 30 mph until they are certain that the hazard has been passed or removed.
- **3.**—(1) The significance of a light signal provided for at item 14 or 15 is that it conveys to vehicular traffic that such traffic—
 - (a) must not proceed in the lane or actively managed hard shoulder to which the sign relates;
 - (b) must not enter that lane or hard shoulder until one of the signs mentioned at subparagraph (2), or the legend "END", is displayed on a matrix sign in relation to that lane or hard shoulder.
 - (2) The signs referred to in sub-paragraph (1)(b) are—
 - (a) a sign provided for at item 1 of the Part 2 sign table in Schedule 10 (the maximum speed limit in mph); and
 - (b) a sign provided for at item 2 of that table (the national speed limit applies).
 - (3) This paragraph is subject to paragraph 5.

- **4.** Subject to paragraph 5, the significance of a light signal provided for at item 16 is that it conveys to vehicular traffic on the carriageway beside which the signal is mounted that such traffic must not proceed beyond the light signal.
 - 5. The prohibitions in paragraphs 3 and 4 do not apply to a vehicle being used—
 - (a) for at least one of the purposes mentioned in paragraph 5(6) of Part 1 of Schedule 14;
 - (b) for traffic officer purposes; or
 - (c) for traffic authority purposes where the vehicle is being used in connection with—
 - (i) an accident or other incident; or
 - (ii) the execution of works on the road (including the erection of barriers and signs in connection with the execution of works); or
 - (iii) in the exercise of functions under section 67(1) of the 1984 Act(120), when observance of the prohibition would be likely to hinder the use of the vehicle for the purpose for which it is being used.
- **6.** For the purposes of this Schedule a matrix sign which is mounted on a post situated beside the carriageway but is projected over it or part of it is to be treated as a sign placed beside the carriageway of that road.
- 7. The significance of a number in column 5 of an item in the sign table is that the equivalently numbered paragraph in Part 4 applies to the sign provided for at that item.
- **8.** The significance of a number in column 6 of an item in the sign table is that the equivalently numbered paragraph in the Schedule 15 General Directions applies to the sign provided for at that item.

PART 2

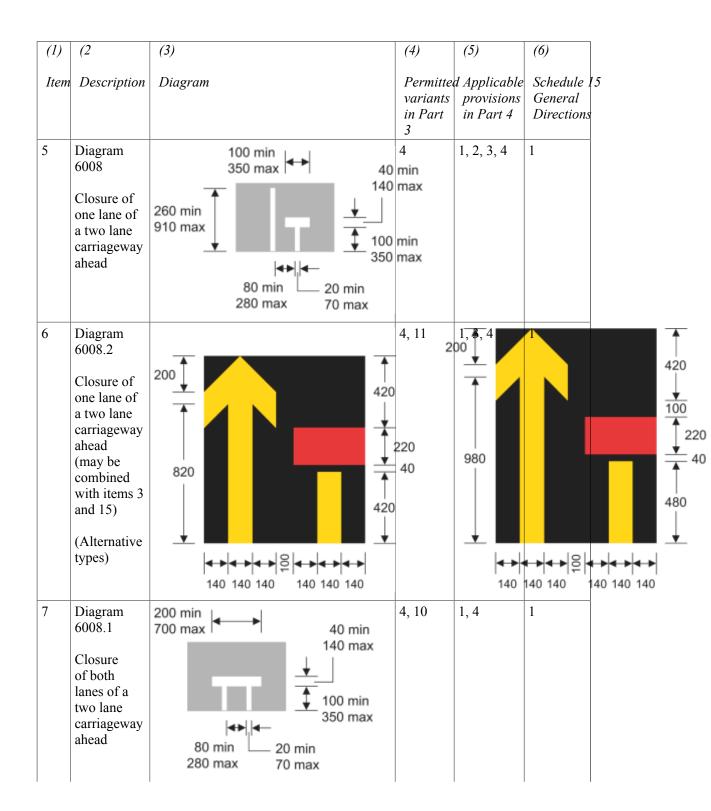
Matrix signs and light signals for motorways and all-purpose dual carriageway roads

Sign table — Schedule 15, Part 2

(1)	(2	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	Permitted variants in Part 3	d Applicable provisions in Part 4	
	Diagram 6001 Temporary maximum speed advised	20 min 70 max 240 min 840 max 490 max 490 max		1, 2, 3, 4	1

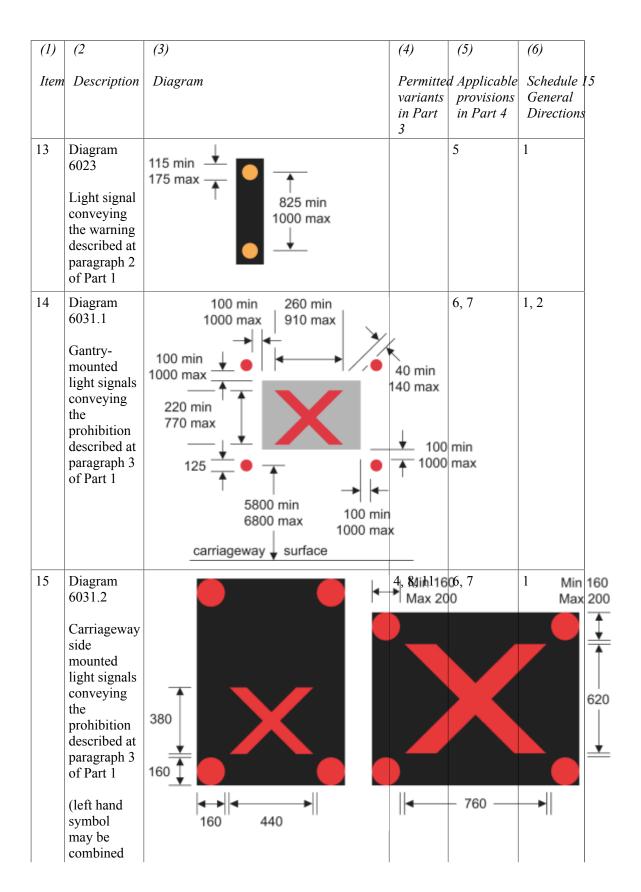
⁽¹²⁰⁾ c. 27. Section 67 was amended by the Road Traffic (Consequential Provisions) Act 1988 (c. 54), Schedule 3, paragraph 25(5), by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22), Schedule 8, Part 2, paragraph.50 and by the Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (c. 36), Schedule 2, Part 3, paragraph 16(3).

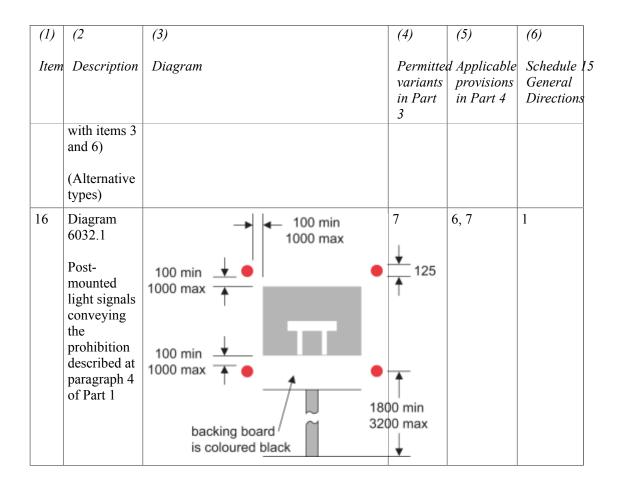
(1)	(2	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	Permitted variants in Part 3	d Applicable provisions in Part 4	Schedule 15 General Directions
2	Diagram 6002 Vehicular traffic must move to the next lane on the right	20 min 70 max		1, 2, 3, 4	1
3	Diagram 6002.1 Vehicular traffic must move to the next lane on the right (may be combined with items 6 and 15) (Alternative types)	120 300 80 → 420 420 420 420 420 420 420 420	†		520 300 120 320
4	Diagram 6003 Vehicular traffic must leave at next junction	200 min 1250 max 240 1500 375 max 20 min 625 max 125 max		1, 2, 3, 4	1



(1)	(2	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	Permitted variants in Part 3	d Applicable provisions in Part 4	Schedule 15 General Directions
8	Diagram 6011 Risk of fog ahead	→ ← ← → 60	min max min max	1, 2, 3, 4	1
9	Diagram 6011.1 Risk of ice ahead	220 min 770 max	max	1, 2, 3, 4	1
10	Diagram 6012 End of temporary restrictions		min max	1	1

(1)	(2	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Item	Description	Diagram	Permitted variants in Part 3	d Applicable provisions in Part 4	Schedule 15 General Directions
11	Diagram 6021 Hazard ahead (flashing amber lamps used with the sign provided for at item 1, 2, 4, 8 or 9 when that sign is mounted on a gantry, or over a traffic lane or hard shoulder)			1, 2	1
12	Diagram 6022 Hazard ahead (flashing amber lamps used with the sign provided for at item 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 or 9 when that sign is mounted on a post)	100 min 1000 max 1000 max 1800 min 1000 max 1800 min 3200 max is coloured black		1, 3	





PART 3

Permitted variants in respect of the signs shown in Part 2

- 1. The numerals may be varied.
- 2. The arrow may point downwards to the left.
- **3.** The symbol may be reversed where appropriate.
- **4.** The number of arrows, or symbols indicating which lanes are open or closed to traffic, may be varied.
- **5.** "50" may be varied to any of the legends or symbols (as the case may be) shown in the diagram at item 1, 2, 4, 8 or 9 of the table.
- **6.** "50" may be varied to any of the legends or symbols (as the case may be) shown in the diagram at item 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 or 9 and an identification number may be added to the backing board or post in horizontal or vertical format as appropriate.
- 7. An identification number may be added to the backing board or post in horizontal or vertical format as appropriate.
 - **8.** The number of red crosses may be varied.
 - **9.** Arrow may point upwards to the left.
 - 10. The colour of the lamps referred to in paragraph 4 of Part 4 may be varied to red.

- 11.—(1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where the sign provided for at item 15 is of the type shown in the left hand diagram for that item.
- (2) The signs provided for at items 3 and 6 of the table in Part 2 may be included in an appropriate configuration within the area of the item 15 sign, the boundary of which is shown by the four red lamps which accompany the sign.

Provisions applying to signs in Part 2

- 1. The legend or symbol shown on the matrix sign must be displayed by means of white or yellow light (except any part which is red).
- **2.** The flashing amber lamps provided for at item 11 for display on a gantry, or over a traffic lane or hard shoulder, with a sign provided for at item 1, 2, 4, 8, 9 or 10 must operate such that—
 - (a) each lamp shows an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute; and
 - (b) one horizontal pair of lights is always shown when the other horizontal pair of lights is not shown.
- **3.** The flashing amber lamps provided for at item 12 of the sign table in Part 2 for display on a post with a sign provided for at item 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 or 9 must operate such that—
 - (a) each lamp shows an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute;
 - (b) one horizontal pair of lights is always shown when the other horizontal pair of lights is not shown; and
 - (c) the distance between them accords with the overall size of the sign.
 - 4. The sign may display four lamps of the size, colour and type shown—
 - (a) when placed beside the carriageway, in the diagram at item 12 of the sign table in Part 2;
 - (b) when mounted on a gantry or other structure over the carriageway, in the diagram at item 11 of that table.
- **5.** In operation each lamp must show an intermittent amber light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute and in such a manner that one light is always shown when the other light is not shown.
 - **6.** The sign must—
 - (a) be accompanied by four red lamps which, in operation, show an intermittent red light at a rate of flashing of not less than 60 nor more than 90 flashes per minute and in such a manner that the lights of one vertical pair are always shown when the lights of the other vertical pair are not shown; and
 - (b) have the red cross shown in the diagram at item 14 or 15 of the sign table in Part 2, or the white symbol shown in the diagram at item 16 of that table, illuminated by a steady light when the red lights are flashing.
 - 7.—(1) Section 36 of the Road Traffic Act 1988 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(121) relating to offences under section 36 of the 1988 Act.

The Schedule 15 General Directions

- 1.—(1) The sign may only be placed—
 - (a) on or near a motorway or an all-purpose dual carriageway road; and
 - (b) so it faces the stream of traffic to which it is intended to convey the information, warning, requirement, restriction, prohibitions or speed limit in question.
- (2) A container enclosing the sign must be coloured black or grey and may have a white border not less than 45 mm nor more than 55 mm wide.
 - (3) A sign may—
 - (a) be mounted on a backing board, which must be coloured black and may have a white border not less than 45 mm nor more than 55 mm wide;
 - (b) show an identification number on the front of the backing board below the signal or on the post on which the signal is mounted
- (4) Where the sign is mounted on a post specially provided for the purpose, that part of the post which extends above ground level must be—
 - (a) coloured grey, black, brown, dark green or dark blue, or
 - (b) of a non-reflective metallic finish,

and, in either case, the post may be marked with a yellow or white band not less than 140 mm nor more than 160 mm deep, the lower edge of the band being not less than 1500 mm nor more than 1700 mm above ground level.

2. The sign must only be displayed over an actively managed hard shoulder whilst variable message signs displaying the maximum speed limit sign are displayed above so much (if any) of the adjacent carriageway as is open to traffic.

SCHEDULE 16

Regulation 3, Schedule 1

Variable message signs

PART 1

Preliminary

- 1.—(1) A variable message sign must be of a size appropriate to display a sign or legend having regard to the normal speed of traffic on the road on or near which the sign is placed.
 - (2) Subject to sub-paragraph (4), when a variable message sign displays—
 - (a) a sign provided for in Part 2 of Schedule 15; or
 - (b) a legend of the type provided for in this Schedule,

the colour of any symbol or legend must accord with the requirements of sub-paragraph (3).

- (3) The symbol or legend must be displayed in—
 - (a) white; or
 - (b) yellow,

on a dark background.

- (4) Sub-paragraph (2) does not apply to any red aspects of a sign.
- (5) A discontinuous variable message sign must—
 - (a) in relation to each aspect of performance specified in column 2 of tables 1 and 2 in Part 7 of this Schedule, comply with the requirement or test specification of British Standard BS EN 12966:2014(122) ("the Standard") specified in columns 3 to 7 of table 1 or column 3 of table 2 for that item, as the case may be;
 - (b) in relation to each visual performance parameter specified in column 2 of table 3 in Part 7, comply with the class designation level of the Standard specified in columns 3 and 4 of the table for that item;
 - (c) subject to paragraph (d), in relation to the visual performance parameter at a speed specified in column 2 of table 4 in Part 7, comply with the class designation level of the Standard specified in column 3 of the table for that item; and
 - (d) where the sign conveys a warning, restriction or prohibition, comply with class designation level 1 of the Standard specified in column 3 of table 3 in Part 7.
- (6) If the construction or method of operation of a variable message sign prevents a sign from being displayed in the colours shown for it in the appropriate diagram in Schedules 2 to 13, a black legend or symbol on a white or yellow background may be displayed as a white or yellow legend or symbol on a dark background, provided that any red triangle or red circle forming part of the sign is included.
- (7) The size of any symbol or legend, including any red triangle or circle, displayed on a variable message sign, which is displayed by means of light-emitting characters or symbols, may be varied so that the size of the symbol or legend appears to road users to be the same as it appears to them to be when it is not so displayed.
- (8) When a variable message sign displays a sign or legend the variable message sign must display the whole of that message at the same time.
- (9) In this paragraph, "discontinuous variable message sign" means a variable message sign which uses discontinuous individual elements, and is capable of being in one or more states, to create variable messages on the face of the sign.
- **2.**—(1) In a legend provided for in this Schedule the number of a junction must be shown in the form of the letter "J" followed by the number.
- (2) Where this Schedule provides for a route number to be displayed on a sign, a compass point ("NORTH", "SOUTH", "EAST" or "WEST") or an abbreviated compass point ("N", "S", "E", "W", "NW", "NE", "SW" or "SE") may be added to the route number.
- (3) Where any part of a legend provided for in this Schedule is shown in square brackets, the brackets must not be displayed on a sign.
- (4) Different legends or different parts of the same legend displayed on a sign in accordance with this Schedule may be separated by a dash.

PART 2

Signs automatically activated by vehicular traffic

3. One of the following legends may be displayed on a variable message sign which is activated by a particular type of vehicle approaching the equipment which controls the sign—

- (a) "OVERHEIGHT VEHICLE DIVERT" with—
 - (i) an arrow;
 - (ii) "USE" and a route number; or
 - (iii) "FOLLOW" and a symbol provided for at item 13 of the table in Part 11 of Schedule 12;
- (b) "OVERHEIGHT VEHICLE TURN BACK";
- (c) "HIGH VEHICLE USE MIDDLE OF ROAD"; or
- (d) "ONCOMING VEHICLE IN MIDDLE OF ROAD".

Legends giving warnings of adverse weather or other temporary hazards or incidents

- **4.**—(1) A legend provided for in sub-paragraph (2) may be displayed on a variable message sign in conjunction with—
 - (a) a legend provided for in Part 4;
 - (b) a legend provided for in Part 5; or
 - (c) a combination of a legend provided for in Part 4 and a legend provided for in Part 5.
 - (2) The legends are—
 - (a) "ACCIDENT";
 - (b) "ANIMALS";
 - (c) a route number, a junction number or "EXIT" and "CLOSED";
 - (d) "CONGESTION";
 - (e) "DEBRIS";
 - (f) "DELAYS";
 - (g) "DIVERSION";
 - (h) "EXIT CLOSED";
 - (i) "FLOODS";
 - (j) "FOG";
 - (k) "FOG PATCHES";
 - (l) "INCIDENT";
 - (m) "LANE CLOSURE";
 - (n) "LANE[S]" followed by a number or numbers and "CLOSED";
 - (o) "LARGE LOAD";
 - (p) "LONG DELAYS";
 - (q) "MOBILE WORKS";
 - (r) "MOTORWAY CLOSED";
 - (s) "NO PHONES";
 - (t) "OBSTRUCTION";
 - (u) "PEDESTRIANS";
 - (v) "QUEUE";

- (w) "ROAD CLOSED";
- (x) "ROAD WORKS";
- (y) "SKID RISK";
- (z) "SLIP ROAD CLOSED";
- (aa) "SMOKE";
- (bb) "SNOW";
- (cc) "SNOW PLOUGH";
- (dd) "SPRAY";
- (ee) "STRANDED VEHICLE";
- (ff) "[STRONG] WINDS";
- (gg) "[The name of a tunnel] TUNNEL CLOSED";
- (hh) "WEIGHT CHECK";
- (ii) "WORKFORCE".
- (3) The following legends may be displayed on their own or in conjunction with another legend as mentioned in sub-paragraph (1)—
 - (a) "[The name of a bridge] BRIDGE CLOSED";
 - (b) "BUS LANE CLOSED";
 - (c) "GRITTING IN PROGRESS";
 - (d) "NEXT SERVICE AREA CLOSED";
 - (e) "ONCOMING VEHICLE";
 - (f) "SETTING OUT ROAD WORKS";
 - (g) "SLOW MOVING LARGE LOAD".
- (4) In sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) square brackets are used to indicate the part of a legend which may be omitted.

Legends indicating location of temporary hazard or incident

- **5.** One of the following legends may be used on a variable message sign in conjunction (either on its own or in combination with a legend provided for in Part 5) with a legend provided for in Part 3—
 - (a) a route number;
 - (b) "ON [name of bridge] BRIDGE" or "ON BRIDGE";
 - (c) "AT" together with—
 - (i) a place name,
 - (ii) the name of a bridge or tunnel,
 - (iii) a junction name or number or a junction number and "EXIT", or
 - (iv) "NEXT JCT" or "TOLL";
 - (d) "AFTER" together with—
 - (i) a place name,
 - (ii) the name of a bridge or tunnel,
 - (iii) "BRIDGE" or "TUNNEL",

- (iv) a junction name or number, or
- (v) "NEXT JCT";
- (e) a number and "MILES";
- (f) "AHEAD" preceded by a legend specified in paragraph 3(2)(v) or (w) only;
- (g) "FOR" together with a number and "MILES";
- (h) "IN ROAD";
- (i) a junction number;
- (j) a junction number "TO" and another junction number;
- (k) "ON SLIP ROAD";
- (l) "TO" and a route number.

Additional information

- **6.**—(1) A legend provided for in sub-paragraph (2) may be used on a variable message sign in conjunction with a legend provided for in Part 3 or a combination of a legend provided for in Part 3 and a legend provided for in Part 4.
 - (2) The legends are—
 - (a) a number and "HR DELAYS";
 - (b) ["ALL TRAFFIC"] ["CARS"] ["CARAVANS"] ["HGV'S"] ["HIGH SIDED VEHS"] ["AND"] ["M'CYCLES"] "USE" and a route number or "BUS LANE" or "HARD SHOULDER";
 - (c) ["ALL TRAFFIC"] ["CARS"] ["CARAVANS"] ["HGV'S"] ["HIGH SIDED VEHS"] ["AND"] ["M'CYCLES"] "FOLLOW" and a symbol provided for in item 13 in the Part 11 sign table of Schedule 12 or a place name;
 - (d) ["ALL TRAFFIC"] ["CARS"] ["CARAVANS"] ["HGV'S"] ["HIGH SIDED VEHS"] ["AND"] ["M'CYCLES"] and "LEAVE AT NEXT JCT", "LEAVE AT" and a junction name or number;
 - (e) "[ALTERNATIVE ROUTE] FOLLOW" and a symbol provided for at item 13 in the sign table in Part 11 of Schedule 12 or a place name;
 - (f) "[ALTERNATIVE ROUTE] USE" and a route number;
 - (g) "AT" and a place name, the name of a bridge or tunnel, "BRIDGE" or "TUNNEL", or a junction name or number, or "NEXT JCT";
 - (h) "AVOID LANE CHANGES";
 - (i) "DO NOT USE HARD SHOULDER";
 - (j) "FOR" and a place name "USE" and a route number;
 - (k) "FOR" and a place name "FOLLOW" and a symbol shown in column 3 of the sign table in Part 11 of Schedule 12 at item 13 in that table or another place name;
 - (1) "HGV'S LEAVE MOTORWAY";
 - (m) "LEAVE AT NEXT JCT";
 - (n) "LEAVE AT" and a junction name or number;
 - (o) "REJOIN MAIN CARRIAGEWAY";

- (p) "SLOW";
- (q) "SLOW DOWN".
- (3) In the legends provided for in paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) of sub-paragraph (2), one or more of the words in square brackets may be included as appropriate.
- (4) In the legends provided for in paragraphs (e) and (f) of sub-paragraph (2) anything in square brackets may be omitted.
- (5) In the legends provided for in paragraphs (b) and (i) of sub-paragraph (2) "HARDSHOULDER" may be substituted for "HARD SHOULDER".

Other legends

- 7.—(1) The following legends may be displayed on a variable message sign—
 - (a) "SIGNAL[S] UNDER TEST";
 - (b) "SIGNAL TESTS FOR" and a number of "MILES";
 - (c) "SIGNAL TESTS ON SLIP ROAD";
 - (d) "SIGN[S] UNDER TEST";
 - (e) "END OF SIGNAL TESTS";
 - (f) "END OF SIGN TESTS".
- (2) The legends provided for in paragraphs (a) to (d) of sub-paragraph (1) may be displayed with a pattern which has no particular meaning but which is designed to test the functioning of the sign on which it is displayed.
- (3) In the legends provided for in paragraphs (a) and (d) of sub-paragraph (1), the letter shown in square brackets may be omitted.

PART 7

Performance classes

Table 1

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Itei	n Aspect of performance	Requirements or classes for colour				
1		White	Yellow	Green	Red	Blue
2	Colour Chromaticity	Area 10	Area 9	Area 11	Area 7	Area 12
	Area		(Yellow C2)	(Green C2)	(Red C2)	(Blue C2)
3	Luminance	L1	L1	L1	L1	L1
		L3	L3	L3	L3	L3

(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Itei	n Aspec perfor		Requirements or classes for colour				
4	Lumin		R3	R3	R3	R3	R3
	Ratio Axis)	(On	R1	R1	R1	R1	R1
5	Beam	Narrov	xB1	B1	B1	B1	B1
	Width	Wide	В3	В3	В3	В3	В3

Table 2

(1)	(2)	(3)
Iten	n Aspect of Performance	Requirement or Class
1	Temperature	T1
2	Pollution	D1
3	Protection	P2

Table 3

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Iten	n Visual performance parameter	Class designation - Level 1	Class designation - Level 2
1.	Colour	C2	C2
2.	Luminance	L3	L1
3.	Luminance ratio	R3	R1
4.	Beam Width	B1 or B3	B1 or B3

Table 4

(1)	(2)	(3)
Item	85percentile approach speed (mph)	Class designation
1.	Up to and including 50	1 or 2
2.	Over 50	1

SCHEDULE 17

Regulation 5

Letters, numeral and other characters

PART 1

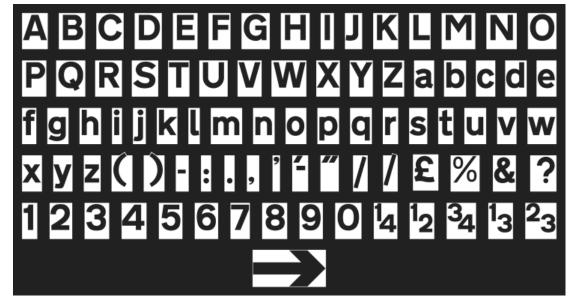
Letters, numerals and other characters for use with a black, blue, brown, dark green, green or red background





PART 2

Letters, numerals and other characters for use with an orange, white or yellow background



Letters, numerals and other characters for motorway route numbers on blue backgrounds

01123456789ABM Toll(I), & / (N) (S) (E) (W) (NE) (SE) (NW) (SW)

PART 4

Letters, numerals and other characters for route numbers on temporary motorway signs with yellow backgrounds)

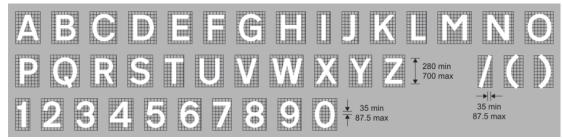
01123456789ABM (I), & / (N) (S) (E) (W) (NE) (SE) (NW) (SW)

PART 5

Letters, numerals and other characters for use on variable message signs where the characters shown in parts 1, 2, 3 and 4 cannot be used because of the method of construction or operation of the sign

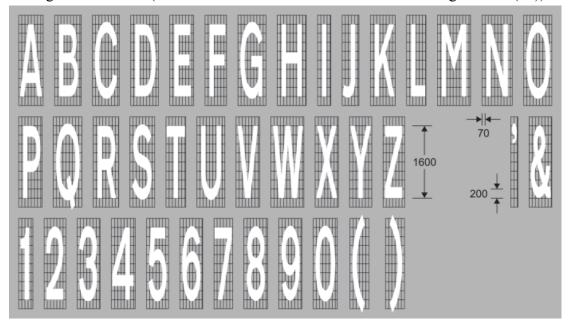


Proportions and forms of letters, numerals and other characters for use in road markings where the character height is between 280 mm and 700 mm (inclusive)



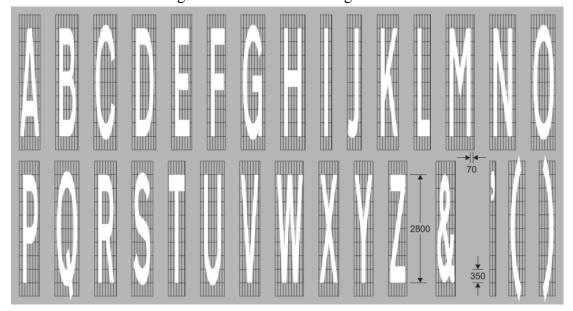
PART 7

Letters, numerals and other characters for use in road markings where the character height is 1600 mm (or 705 mm or 1035 mm in accordance with regulation 5(15))

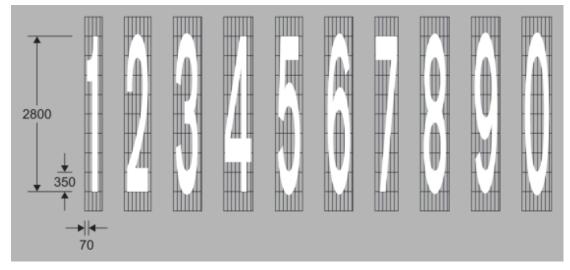


PART 8

Letters, numerals and other characters for use in road markings where the character height is 2800 mm

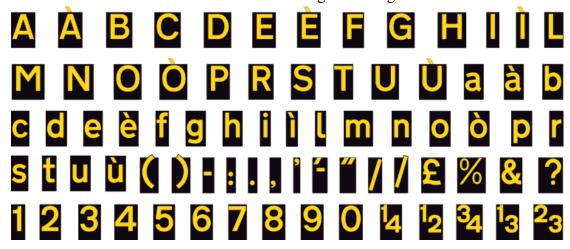


Letters, numerals and other characters for use in road markings where the character height is $2800\,$ mm



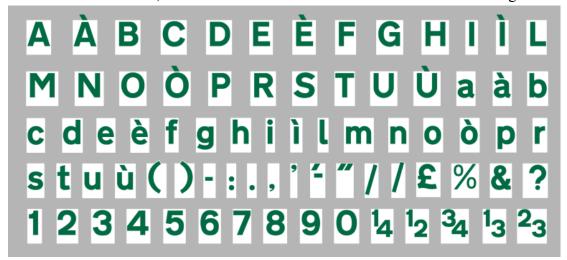
PART 9

Scottish Gaelic letters, numerals and other characters for use on a brown or dark green background



PART 10

Scottish Gaelic letters, numerals and other characters for use on a white background



SCHEDULE 18

Regulation 6

Permitted Expressions Of Time, Distance and Parking Restrictions

PART 1

Permitted expressions of time periods, days and dates

- 1.—(1) A reference to a time, or to times, of the day may be shown as, or varied to, the following—
 - (a) a period of time expressed as "7.30 9.00 am", "7 9 am", "7.30 am 6 pm", "4 7 pm", "4.00 6.30 pm", "8 pm 6 am", "8 pm 6 am next day" or any other time period and which may include the expression "Midnight", "M'night", "Midday" or "Noon";
 - (b) "At any time", "at any time", "At all times", "at all times", "At other times", "at other times", "Additional times" or "additional times";
 - (2) The time of day must be shown in the 12-hour clock format.
 - 2. A reference to a day, or to days, may be shown as, or varied to, the following—
 - (a) any day or days whether abbreviated or not;
 - (b) being preceded by "All day", "and all day" or "& all day" as appropriate;
 - (c) "Mon Sat", "Mon, Wed & Sat" or "Sat & Sun" or any other combination of days of the week, abbreviated as appropriate;
 - (d) making a reference to a bank or public holiday.
 - 3. A reference to a month, or to months, may be shown as, or varied to, the following—
 - (a) any month or months whether abbreviated or not;
 - (b) "1 May 30 September" or any other dates, where the month may be abbreviated.
 - **4.** A reference to a year, or to years, may be shown as, or varied to, any year or years.
- **5.** The expressions "Match", "match", "Event", "event", "Market", "market", "Day", "day", "On", "on", any of those expressions in the plural or the expression "Next" or that expression without a capital letter may be used with any of the expressions permitted by paragraph 1, 2, 3 or 4 as appropriate.
- **6.** The expressions permitted by paragraph 1, 2, 3 or 4 may be used in any combination as appropriate.
- 7. The expressions permitted by paragraph 1, 2, 3 or 4 may be used with those permitted by any other paragraph in any combination as appropriate.

PART 2

Permitted expressions for parking restriction signs

- **1.** A restriction in relation to parking may be shown as, or varied to, the following (or an appropriate combination)—
 - (a) a period of time expressed as "4 hours", "1 hour 30 minutes" or "30 minutes" with the numerals being varied as appropriate and "hours" may be abbreviated to "hrs", "hour" may be abbreviated to "hr" and "minutes" may be abbreviated to "mins";

- (b) a limitation of time expressed as "2 hour limit" or "30 minute limit", with the numerals being varied as appropriate and "hour" may be abbreviated to "hr" and "minutes" may be abbreviated to "mins";
- (c) "No limit";
- (d) "Max stay 1 hour" or "max stay 30 minutes", with the numerals being varied as appropriate and "hour" may be abbreviated to "hr" and "minutes" may be abbreviated to "mins";
- (e) "No return within 2 hours", with the numeral being varied as appropriate and "hours" may be abbreviated to "hr" or varied to "hour" or "hr";
- (f) "No return to" and the name of a zone or parking place, which may be, or include, a zone or parking place identifier;
- (g) "No return to this zone";
- (h) the legend at (f) or (g) followed by "within 2 hours", with the numeral being varied as appropriate and "hours" may be abbreviated to "hr" or varied to "hour" or "hr".

Permitted expressions of distance

- 1. Paragraphs 2 to 6 are subject to paragraph 7.
- 2. Where "10" is used as an example numeral, a distance in miles must be expressed as—
 - (a) "10 miles" (or, where 1 is the numeral, "1 mile");
 - (b) "10 m"; or
 - (c) "10".
- 3. Yards must be expressed as the numeral followed by "yards" or "yds".
- **4.** A distance of 3 miles or more must be expressed in miles to the nearest mile.
- 5. A distance of $\frac{1}{2}$ mile or more but less than 3 miles must be expressed to the nearest $\frac{1}{4}$ mile with the fractions $\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$ being used.
 - **6.** A distance of less than ½ mile must be expressed—
 - (a) to the nearest 1/4 mile with the fractions 1/2 and 1/4 being used; or
 - (b) in yards, to the nearest 10 yards
 - 7. Where—
 - (a) a sign provided for in Schedule 12 includes a distance to a junction; or
 - (b) is a diagram A sign provided for in Part 22 of that Schedule (services) and includes a distance,

that distance must be expressed in miles denoted by the letter "m" and must be one of the following: "2 m", "1¾ m", "1½ m", "1¼ m", "1¼ m", "1 m", "¾ m", "½ m" or "⅓ m".

SCHEDULE 19

Regulation 13, Direction 12

Revocations

PART 1 Regulations Revoked

(1)	(2)
Regulations revoked	References
The Zebra, Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings Regulations 1997	Part 1 of S.I. 1997/2400
The Traffic Signs (Temporary Obstructions) Regulations 1997	S. I. 1997/3053
The Traffic Signs Regulations 2002	Part 1 of S.I. 2002/3113
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) Regulations 2005	Part 1 of S.I. 2005/1670
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) Regulations 2006	S.I. 2006/2083
The School Crossing Patrol Sign (England and Wales) Regulations 2006	S.I. 2006/2215
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) Regulations 2008	Part 1 of S.I. 2008/2177
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) Regulations 2011	Part 1 of S.I. 2011/1040
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2011	Part 1 of S.I. 2011/3041

PART 2 General Directions Revoked

(1)	(2)
General Directions revoked	References
The Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings General Directions 1997	Part 2 of S.I. 1997/2400
The Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings General (Amendment) Directions 1998	S.I. 1998/901
The Traffic Signs General Directions 2002	Part 2 of S.I. 2002/3113
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) General Directions 2003	S.I. 2003/393
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) General Directions 2004	Part 2 of S.I. 2004/1275
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) General Directions 2005	Part 2 of S.I. 2005/1670
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) General Directions 2008	Part 2 of S.I. 2008/2177
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) General Directions 2011	Part 2 of S.I. 2011/1040
The Traffic Signs (Amendment) (No. 2) General Directions 2011	Part 2 of S.I. 2011/3041

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Instrument)

This Instrument consolidates, with substantial amendments, the Zebra, Pelican and Puffin Pedestrian Crossings Regulations and General Directions 1997, the Traffic Signs (Temporary Obstructions) Regulations 1997, the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002 and the School Crossing Patrol Sign (England and Wales) Regulations 2006. Part 1 is the Traffic Signs Regulations 2016 and Part 2 is the Traffic Signs General Directions 2016.

Part 1 – The Traffic Signs Regulations 2016

Regulation 1 gives the title of the Regulations and the collective title of the Regulations and General Directions. It also sets out the extent of the Regulations.

Regulation 2 contains some interpretation provisions and introduces Schedule 1 which contains a table of definitions.

By regulation 3, if a sign complies with the applicable provisions of the Regulations, it is of a prescribed size, colour and type for the purposes of section 28(4) or section 64(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Regulation 3 also introduces the Parts of Schedules 2 to 16 that contain regulations. These Parts set out the requirements as to size, colour and type that apply to particular signs. Each Schedule covers a different class of sign (whether by reference to the circumstances in which a sign is used or the type of sign).

Regulation 4 makes provision about the relationship between the Regulations and the power of ministers to authorise signs.

Regulation 5 imposes requirements about the design of letters, numerals and other characters used on signs and in doing so introduces Schedule 17. This Schedule sets out the design to be used in particular circumstances.

Regulation 6 contains provision about expressions of time, distance and parking restrictions and in doing so introduces Schedule 18 which contains detailed provision on the use of these expressions.

Regulation 7 contains provision about the dimensions and design of signs.

Regulations 8 and 9 impose requirements about the illumination of signs.

Regulation 10 imposes requirements about the height of road markings and studs.

Regulation 11 gives the general rule about the colours to be used on signs.

Regulation 12 provides, where the Regulations impose requirements by reference to British Standards, for compliance with equivalent standards of an EEA state to be acceptable.

Regulation 13, by introducing Part 1 of Schedule 19, provides for a number of Regulations to be revoked.

Regulation 14 sets out transitional and savings provisions.

Regulation 15 imposes a requirement to review the Regulations on the Secretary of State.

Part 2 – The Traffic Signs General Directions 2016

General Direction 1 gives the title of the General Directions and the collective title of the Instrument. General Direction 2 contains provisions about interpretation.

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General Direction 3 introduces the final Part of each of Schedules 2 to 15 and provides that the general directions in those Parts apply to the signs in the Schedule in which they appear to the extent indicated in that Schedule.

General Direction 4 makes provision about the relationship between upright signs, and plates or structure warning markings.

General Direction 5 imposes a requirement that signs not be placed on vehicles unless expressly authorised by the General Directions.

General Direction 6 sets out the general requirement that applies to the display of temporary signs.

General Direction 7 imposes requirements about types of studs.

General Direction 8 sets out how uprights signs are to be displayed on posts or other means of support.

General Direction 9 imposes requirements about the backs of, and backing boards for, upright signs.

General Direction 10 provides, where the Directions impose requirements by reference to British Standards, for compliance with equivalent standards of an EEA state to be acceptable.

General Direction 11 makes provision about the relationship between the General Directions and the power of ministers under section 65(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to give special directions.

General Direction 12, by introducing Part 2 of Schedule 19, provides for a number of General Directions to be revoked.

General Direction 13 sets out savings provisions.

General Direction 14 imposes a requirement to review the General Directions on the Secretary of State.

Impact assessment and publication

An impact assessment of the effect that the Instrument will have has been made. A copy of this impact assessment is available from the Department for Transport, Great Minster House, 33 Horseferry Road, London, SW1P 4DR. It is also published alongside this Instrument and its Explanatory Memorandum at www.legislation.gov.uk.

Technical standards

These Regulations have been notified in draft to the European Commission in accordance with Directive (EU) 2015/1535 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 September 2015 laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical regulations and of rules on Information Society services (OJ L 241, 17.9.2015, p.1).