

2023 No. 159

ROADS

**The University Road, Belfast (Footway) (Abandonment) Order
(Northern Ireland) 2023**

Made - - - - - *4th October 2023*

Coming into operation *16th November 2023*

The Department for Infrastructure^(a) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 68(1) and (5) of the Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993^(b) and now vested in it^(c).

The Department in accordance with Article 68(4) of that Order proposes to abandon the area of road described in the Schedule as it is not necessary for road traffic.

Notice has been published, served and displayed in compliance with paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 8 to that Order.

No objection has been received.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the University Road, Belfast (Footway) (Abandonment) Order (Northern Ireland) 2023 and shall come into operation on 16th November 2023.

Application

2. The area of road described in the Schedule is abandoned.

3.—(1) All existing cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus placed along, across, over or under the abandoned area of road shall be retained.

(2) All existing rights as to the use or maintenance of such cables, wires, mains, pipes or other apparatus shall be preserved.

(a) Formerly the Department for Regional Development; see section 1(6) and (11) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) 2016 (2016 c. 5 (N.I.))
(b) S.I. 1993/3160 (N.I. 15)
(c) S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 6(d) and Schedule 4 Part IV

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 4th October 2023

(L.S.)

Mary Toner

A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

SCHEDULE

Article 2

AREA OF ROAD TO BE ABANDONED

An area of 26.5 square metres of footway in front of No. 29 University Road, Belfast, more particularly delineated and shown hatched and coloured red on map IN1/22/388586.

A copy of the map has been deposited at the Department's Headquarters, Room 309, Clarence Court, 10-18 Adelaide Street, Belfast and at DfI Roads Eastern Division, Annexe 7, Block 2, Castle Buildings, Stormont Estate, Upper Newtownards Road, Belfast.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order abandons the area of road described in the Schedule.