

2024 No. 10

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

The Roads (Speed Limit) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 2024

Made - - - - *24th January 2024*

Coming into operation *19th February 2024*

The Department for Infrastructure^(a) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Articles 37(3), 37(4) and 38(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation (Northern Ireland) Order 1997^(b) and now vested in it^(c).

The Department has consulted such persons as it considered appropriate in compliance with paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 5 to that Order.

The Department has published a notice in compliance with paragraphs 1 and 3 of that Schedule.

No objections were received.

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Roads (Speed Limit) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 2024 and shall come into operation on 19th February 2024.

Application of speed limits

2. The driving of motor vehicles at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 is prohibited.

De-restriction of speed on certain road

3. The Department directs that the length of Botera Upper Road, Route C668, Omagh, from its junction with Clanabogan Road, Unclassified No. 1614, to a point 81 metres south-west of that junction shall not be a restricted road notwithstanding that a system of street lighting furnished by lamps placed not more than 185 metres apart is provided on that length of road.

Revocations

4. The provisions described in Schedule 2 are revoked.

(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. 1997/276 (N.I. 2)
(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 24th January 2024

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SCHEDULE 1

Article 2

Lengths of road subject to a speed limit of 40 miles per hour

1. Clanabogan Road, Route C665, Omagh, from its junction with Botera Upper Road, C668, to a point 35 metres north-east of its junction with Crucknamona Road, Unclassified No. 1657.
2. Edenderry Road, Unclassified No. 1741, Omagh, from its junction with Donaghanie Road, Route B158, to a point 638 metres north-east of its junction with Crevenagh Road, Unclassified No. 1745.
3. Glenpark Road, Route B48, Omagh, from its junction with Gortin Road, Route B48, to a point 11 metres north of its junction with Erganagh Road, Unclassified No. 1264.
4. Gortin Road, Route B48, Omagh, from its junction with Glenpark Road, Route B48, for a distance of 242 metres in a south-easterly direction.
5. Newtownsaville Road, Route C657, Omagh, from a point 300 metres north-west of its junction with Springhill Road, Route C657, to a point 123 metres south-east of that junction.
6. Springhill Road, Route C657, Omagh, from its junction with Newtownsaville Road, Route C657, to a point 216 metres north-east of that junction.

SCHEDULE 2

Article 4

Revocations

1. Items 318, 319, 328 and 349 of the Schedule to the Roads (Speed Limit) (No. 9) Order (Northern Ireland) 1998(a).
2. Items 16 and 17 of Schedule 2 to the Roads (Speed Limit) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland) 2004(b).

(a) S.R. 1998 No. 340

(b) S.R. 2004 No. 210

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order—

- (a) applies a speed limit of 40 miles per hour to the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1;
- (b) makes the length of Botera Upper Road specified in Article 3 a de-restricted road; and
- (c) revokes the provisions in Schedule 2.

In relation to the revoked provisions in Schedule 2—

1. The speed limit on the length of Newtownsaville Road, Omagh (item 318 of paragraph 1 of Schedule 2) is now set at 40 miles per hour.

2. The speed limit on the length of Springhill Road, Omagh (item 319 of paragraph 1 of Schedule 2) is now set at 40 miles per hour.

3. The speed limit on the length of Botera Upper Road, Omagh (item 328 of paragraph 1 of Schedule 2) is now set at 60 miles per hour (national speed limit).

4. The speed limit on the length of Clanbogan Road, Omagh (item 348 of paragraph 1 of Schedule 2) is now set at 40 miles per hour.

5. The speed limit on the length of Glenpark Road, Omagh (item 16 of paragraph 2 of Schedule 2) is now a longer length of road set at 40 miles per hour.

6. The speed limit on the length of Gortin Road, Omagh (item 17 of paragraph 2 of Schedule 2) is now a longer length of road set at 40 miles per hour.