NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 (HALLSTILE BANK HEXHAM LENGTH RESTRICTION) ORDER 2020 (TROM_174)

Northumberland County Council, in exercise of their powers under Sections 1(1), 1(2), 2(1), 2(2) and 4 and Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") and the Traffic Management Act 2004 ("the 2004 Act) and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby make the following order:

- (1) This Order shall come into operation on the 13th July 2020 and may be cited as "Northumberland County Council (Hallstile Bank Hexham Length Restriction) Order 2020."
 - (2) The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulation made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment.
 - (3) Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered article or schedule is a reference to the article or schedule bearing that number in this Order.
 - (4) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
- 2. Save as provided in Articles 3, no person shall cause any vehicle with a length of, in excess of 19 feet 9 inches (6.0 metres) to proceed on those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1.
- 3. Nothing in Article 2 shall make it unlawful for a person to cause or permit a vehicle, in excess of 19 feet 9 inches (6.0 metres)to proceed on those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1, so long as may be necessary to enable:-
 - (a) the removal of any obstruction to traffic on those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1;
 - (b) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1or the sides of the said highway;
 - (c) for fire and rescue, police, ambulance or special forces purposes;
 - (d) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1 or the sides of the said highway of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus as defined in the Communications Act 2003; and
 - (e) used in the service of a local authority in the pursuance of statutory powers or duties for those lengths of highway detailed in Schedule 1.

The COMMON SEAL of NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto affixed this $30^{\rm th}$ day of June 2020.

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Duly Authorised Officer.



SCHEDULE 1

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19 feet 9 inches (6.0 metres) length restriction on the following lengths of highway at any time
(and for reference only, detailed on the attached plan)

NSGID	Street Name	Town	Description
41300636	Hallstile Bank	Hexham	At its junction with Back Row to its junction with Haugh Lane

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STATEMENT OF THE COUNCIL'S REASONS FOR MAKING THE ORDER

The Order is necessary on road safety terms, because long vehicles cannot safely negotiate the tight bends on Hallstile Bank, Hexham.

