

2020 No. 158

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

The Taxis (Magherafelt) Order (Northern Ireland) 2020

Made - - - - *29th July 2020*

Coming into operation - *24th August 2020*

The Department for Infrastructure^(a) makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 27A(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 4A to that Order^(d).

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

No written objection or other representation has been received.

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as The Taxis (Magherafelt) Order (Northern Ireland) 2020 and shall come into operation on 24th August 2020.

(2) In this Order—

“taxi” has the meaning given in Article 27A(4) of the Road Traffic Regulation (Northern Ireland) Order 1997.

Location and number of taxis

2. No stand for taxis shall be used except that specified in column 2 of the Schedule in relation to the location specified opposite thereto in column 1, their number shall not exceed that specified in column 3 and the hours available for use shall be as stated in column 4.

Use of stand or starting place

3. No vehicle other than a taxi shall use the stand specified in column 2 of the Schedule between the hours specified in column 4.

(a) 2016 c. 5 (N.I.)

(b) S.I. 1997/276 (N.I. 2) Article 27A was inserted by Section 21(1) of the Taxis Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 (c. 4) (N.I.)

(c) S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 6(d) and Schedule 4 Part IV

(d) Schedule 4A was inserted by Section 21(2) of the Taxis Act (Northern Ireland) 2008 (c. 4) (N.I.)

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 29th July 2020

(L.S.)

D J Millar

A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

SCHEDULE

Articles 2 and 3

<i>Column 1 - Location</i>	<i>Column 2 – Position of stand</i>	<i>Column 3 – Maximum number of taxis</i>	<i>Column 4 – Hours available for use</i>
Market Street, Magherafelt	South-west side – from a point 28 metres south-east of its junction with The Diamond Roundabout for a distance of 12 metres in a south-easterly direction.	4	7.00 p.m. to 6.00 a.m. on all days

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order prescribes the precise location which may be used as a stand for taxis in the town of Magherafelt, the maximum number of taxis which may use that stand and the hours available for use (Article 2). The Order also prohibits vehicles other than taxis from using the stand during the hours specified (Article 3).

A penalty charge (£90) is payable with respect to a vehicle involved in a contravention of this Order in accordance with the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 and The Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006.