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PUBLIC HEALTH

**The Street Litter Control Notices Order
(Northern Ireland) 1995**

Made 22nd February 1995

Coming into operation 31st March 1995

The Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Article 14(1) and (2) of the Litter (Northern Ireland) Order 1994(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Street Litter Control Notices Order (Northern Ireland) 1995 and shall come into operation on 31st March 1995.

Specified descriptions of commercial and retail premises

2. A street litter control notice may be issued in respect of commercial and retail premises of the following descriptions—

- (a) premises used wholly or partly for the sale of food or drink for consumption off the premises;
- (b) premises used wholly or partly for the sale of food or drink for consumption on a part of the premises forming open land adjacent to the street;
- (c) premises used for wholesale or retail sale of any goods on a part of the premises forming open land adjacent to the street;
- (d) service stations and other premises on which fuel for motor vehicles is sold to the public;
- (e) premises used wholly or partly as a cinema, theatre, concert hall, bingo hall, casino, dance hall, swimming bath, skating rink, gymnasium or area for other indoor or outdoor sports or recreations, or as an amusement arcade or centre;
- (f) banks, building society offices, supermarkets, petrol stations and other premises with automated teller machines located on an outside wall of the premises; or
- (g) bookmakers premises.

(a) S.I. 1994/1896 (N.I. 10); See Article 2(2) for the definition of "the Department"

Specified descriptions of land

3.—(1) Land which may be included in an area of open land specified in a street litter control notice is land which is part of the premises in respect of which the notice is issued and, subject to paragraph (2), land of the following descriptions—

- (a) land which is part of a street, other than a carriageway when it is open to vehicular traffic;
- (b) relevant land of a district council; and
- (c) land under the direct control of any other district council.

(2) The land described in paragraph (1) may be specified—

- (a) in a street litter control notice issued in respect of premises described in Article 2(f) and (g) if the land is within 10 metres of those premises; or
- (b) in a street litter control notice issued in respect of any other premises, if the land is within 100 metres of the premises.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment on
22nd February 1995.

(L.S.)

John Crowther

Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

In order to prevent accumulations of litter in and around any street or open land adjacent to any street a district council, under Article 13 of the Litter (Northern Ireland) Order 1994, may issue a street litter control notice imposing requirements on occupiers of commercial or retail premises, in relation to the clearing of litter.

Article 2 of this order specifies the descriptions of commercial or retail premises in respect of which a street litter control notice may be issued by a district council.

Article 3 specifies the descriptions of open land which may be included in an area of open land specified in a street litter control notice.