



# Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984

## 1984 CHAPTER 27

### PART VII

#### BOLLARDS AND OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS

#### **92 Bollards and other obstructions outside Greater London.**

- (1) Where the passage, or the passage in any direction, of vehicles, or of vehicles of any class, is prohibited at any point of a road outside Greater London by an order made under section 1 or 9 of this Act, [<sup>F1</sup>the traffic authority] may, in accordance with the following provisions of this section, place, or authorise or require to be placed, at or near that point such bollards or other obstructions as they consider appropriate for preventing their passage.
- (2) The bollards or other obstructions that may be placed under subsection (1) above—
  - (a) shall include obstructions of any description whatsoever;
  - (b) may be either fixed or moveable; and
  - (c) may be placed so as to prevent the passage of vehicles at all times or at certain times only.
- (3) Where the powers conferred by subsection (1) above have been exercised with respect to two or more points of a road, so that the passage of vehicles along a stretch of that road is prevented, those powers shall extend to placing, or authorising the placing of, further obstructions on that stretch of road; but any obstructions placed under those powers shall not be so placed as to prevent at any time the passage of pedestrians past the point or along the stretch of road in question, and shall not be of such a nature that the re-opening of the road to vehicles would be unreasonably difficult or so as to alter the nature of the surface of the road.
- <sup>F2</sup>[(4) The bollards or other obstructions authorised by an order under subsection (1) shall be placed on the road by the traffic authority, except as mentioned in section 93 below.]
- (5) Any power conferred by this section to place an obstruction includes power to maintain or light it.

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- (6) Any enactment authorising the making of grants or loans in connection with traffic signs (including section 79 of this Act) shall extend to any such obstructions as are mentioned in this section.

**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Words in s. 92(1) substituted (1.11.1991) by [New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 \(c. 22, SIF 59, 108\)](#), s. 168(1), **Sch. 8 para. 65(2)**; which substitution is in force for Scotland only by [S.I. 1991/2286](#), art. 2(2), **Sch. 2** and for England and Wales only by [S.I. 1991/2288](#), art. 3, **Sch.**
- F2** S. 92(4) substituted (1.11.1991) by [New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 \(c. 22, SIF 59, 108\)](#), s. 168(1), **Sch. 8 para. 65(3)**; which substitution is in force for Scotland only by [S.I. 1991/2286](#), art. 2(2), **Sch. 2** and for England and Wales only by [S.I. 1991/2288](#), art. 3, **Sch.**

**Modifications etc. (not altering text)**

- C1** S. 92: functions transferred (23.3.2005) by [The Scotland Act 1998 \(Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.\) Order 2005 \(S.I. 2005/849\)](#), art. 2, **Sch.**

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