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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING

**The Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements)
(England) (Amendment) Regulations 2011**

Made - - - - *30th August 2011*
Laid before Parliament *6th September 2011*
Coming into force - - *1st October 2011*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 220 and 333(1) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990(a), makes the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and application

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2011 and shall come into force on 1st October 2011.

(2) These Regulations apply in relation to the display of advertisements on sites in England only.

Amendment of the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007

2.—(1) The Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007(b) are amended as follows.

(2) For the entry at paragraph 12 of Class 12 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 (classes of advertisement for which deemed consent is granted), substitute—

“**12.** An advertisement displayed inside a building other than an advertisement—

- (a) falling within Class I in Schedule 1; or
- (b) displayed on the glazed surface of a telephone kiosk.”

(3) After Class 16 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 (class of advertisement for which deemed consent is granted) insert—

“Class 17	Advertisements on a charging point for electric vehicles
Description	17 An advertisement displayed on a charging point for electric vehicles.

- (a) 1990 c.8. These powers are now vested in the Welsh Ministers so far as they are exercisable in relation to Wales. They were previously transferred to the National Assembly for Wales by article 2 of, and Schedule 1 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999, S.I. 1999/672; see the entry in Schedule 1 for the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (c.8) as substituted by article 4 of, and Schedule 3 to, the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 2000 (S.I. 2000/ 253). By virtue of paragraphs 30 and 32 of Schedule 11 to the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c.32), they were transferred to the Welsh Ministers.
- (b) S.I.2007/783 amended by S.I. 2007/1739.

Conditions and
Limitations

- 17.—(1) An advertisement may only be displayed by the person (“the relevant person”) who—
- (a) installed the charging point;
 - (b) supplies the electricity to the charging point; or
 - (c) does both of the above.
- (2) Only one advertisement may be displayed on the charging point by the relevant person.
- (3) The advertisement must only display—
- (a) the name of the relevant person;
 - (b) the device of that person; or
 - (c) both of the above.
- (4) No advertisement may exceed 70 square centimetres in area.
- (5) Where the person who installed the charging point and the person who supplies the electricity to the charging point are different people, no more than two advertisements are permitted on the charging point.
- (6) Where there are two advertisements on a charging point, those advertisements are to be placed, so far as is reasonably practicable, so as to face in opposite directions.
- (7) Illumination is not permitted.”
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Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government

Greg Clark

Minister of State

30th August 2011

Department for Communities and Local Government

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007 (“the Regulations”) (S.I. 2007/783) which provide for the controls on the display of advertisements.

Regulation 2(2) substitutes Class 12 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to the Regulations. This prevents advertisements of the type set out in Class 12 from being permitted in telephone kiosks.

Regulation 2(3) inserts a new Class of deemed consent into the Regulations. Class 17 gives deemed consent for advertisements on electric vehicle charging points and only applies to energy suppliers and/or those who install the electrical vehicle charging points.

A joint impact assessment has been prepared in relation to these Regulations and the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Amendment) (England) Order 2011 (S.I. 2011/2056). It has been placed in the library of each House of Parliament and copies can be obtained from the Department for Communities and Local Government, Eland House, Bressenden Place, London, SW1E 5DU (www.communities.gov.uk).

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