

CAMBRIDGESHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

The Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure)

(England and Wales) Regulations 1996

Section 6 and Paragraph 2 of Schedule 2

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STATEMENT OF REASONS

Name of Order: Cambridgeshire County Council

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE (MILL ROAD) (BUS GATE)
EXPERIMENTAL ORDER 2020

THE AUTHORITY'S REASONS for proposing to make the

above mentioned Order are as follows:

For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic
using the road or any road or for preventing
the likelihood of any such danger arising

For facilitating the passage on the road or other
road for any class of traffic (including pedestrians)

For the purpose of relieving or preventing congestion of traffic

Explanatory Note: Cambridgeshire County Council has made the above named order in response to the Covid 19 emergency. Installing a Bus Gate at this location will alleviate traffic congestion in an area where the close proximity of habitations, shops and other businesses promote high levels of pedestrian and cyclist traffic. Preventing through traffic and prioritising bus movements will enhance safety by making it easier for cyclists and pedestrians to maintain at least a 2 metre separation whilst they conduct their business as well as minimising the threat of other vehicular traffic.