Cambridge City Council

BYELAWS FOR GOOD RULE AND GOVERNMENT

Byelaws made under section 235 of the Local Government Act 1972 by Cambridge City Council for the good rule and government of the City of Cambridge and for the prevention and suppression of nuisances.

General Interpretation

1. In these byelaws:

"carriageway" means a way constituting or comprised in a highway, being a way (other than a cycle track) over which the public have a right of way for the passage of vehicles;

"highway" means the whole or a part of a highway other than a ferry or waterway;

"highway authority" has the same meaning as in the Highways Act 1980

"road margin or verge" means land which is-

- (a) adjacent to the carriageway of a highway or between two carriageways of a highway, other than the carriageway of a trunk road vested in the Secretary of State, and
- (b) laid or sown with grass or planted with trees, shrubs or plants, and mown or otherwise maintained in an ornamental condition by the Council or by the highway authority for the City of Cambridge;

"trunk road" means a highway, or a proposed highway, which is a trunk road by virtue of section 10(1) or section 19 of the Highways Act 1980 or by virtue of an order or direction under section 10 of that Act.

Application

2. These byelaws apply to any road margin or verge which is indicated to be a road margin or verge to which these byelaws apply by means of a notice conspicuously displayed on or near the said road margin or verge.

Vehicles on Road Margins and Verges

- 3.—(1) No person shall without lawful authority drive, park or leave a vehicle or cause such a vehicle to be driven or placed upon any road margin or verge to which this byelaw applies.
- (2) This byelaw does not apply to a heavy commercial vehicle as defined by section 20 of the Road Traffic Act 1988.

Penalty

4. Any person offending against these byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 2 on the standard scale.

Revocation

5. The byelaws relating to the Preservation of Road Margins which were made by Cambridge City Council on the 27 January 1986 and were confirmed by the Secretary of State for the Home Office on 9 April 1986 are hereby revoked.

Given under the COMMON SEAL of) CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL this 15th day of) March 2004 in the presence of:

Head of Legal Services



The foregoing byelaws are hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall come into operation on the 21st day of September 2004

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

D Prout

Senior civil servant

in the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister

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