

Traffic Orders - Principles and Good Practice



Overview

Traffic Orders are an essential requirement for just about every enforceable restriction that applies to the highway, and will be required for the construction and operation of many transport infrastructure schemes.

This course provides delegates with an understanding of the formal stages involved in processing of permanent, temporary and experimental Traffic Orders together with associated notices that can be used to control the use of the highway.

The course will offer valuable insight into the process for creating these legal documents, where they are best used and the limits of their powers. The format of the course includes group work and case studies covering the format, interpretation and use of the different traffic orders, and is delivered by a leading Traffic Order practitioner.

Learning outcomes

On completion of this course delegates will:

- Have a clear understanding of each type of Traffic Order
- Have a general understanding of the legal powers and legislation that relates to the different Traffic Orders and temporary notices
- Understand why Traffic Orders are necessary and where they are used
- Understand the legal responsibilities and appreciate the timescales involved in making orders and be able to plan the implementation of different types of Traffic Orders and notices
- Be acquainted with the terms and phraseology associated with Traffic Orders
- Be capable of interrogating Traffic Orders and interpreting their meaning

Who Should attend

The course is suitable for those who have a regular need to request, produce or interpret all forms of Traffic Orders: delegates from highway and traffic engineering, parking management, temporary works co-ordination, reps and appeals management and project management backgrounds. It will also be valuable for those who manage teams for whom Traffic Orders play a significant role.

Topics Covered

- Different types of Traffic Orders
- Other similar notices
- Legal powers used in Traffic Order introduction and application
- Which design options need Traffic Orders
- Signing and lining - TSRGD 2016
- Implementation
- Design requirements
- Consultation process
- Dealing with objections
- Making the Order
- Traffic Order Formats - Illustrated with examples and case studies
- Written Orders
- Map based Orders

Programme*

Registration

Welcome

What is a traffic Order?

- Different types of Traffic Orders
- Legal Powers

Break

Permanent Traffic Orders

- Preparation and timeline
- Where and when?
- Processes and examples

Lunch

Temporary Traffic Orders

- Preparation and timeline
- Where and when?
- Processes and examples

Break

Experimental Traffic Orders

- Preparation and timeline
- Where and when?
- Processes and examples

Notices

- Emergency
- Five day
- Process and examples

Exercise

Recap

Q&A

Evaluation

Close

*Please note that this is a preliminary programme and is subject to change

