

STATEMENT OF REASONS

THE BOROUGH OF WATFORD (GEORGE STREET, WATFORD) (NO WAITING, LOADING AND UNLOADING RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2023

The general effect of this order is to replace the **No Waiting at Any Time** around the eastern side of the junction of George Street and King Street and the **No Waiting Monday to Saturday 8am to 6.30pm** on the eastern side of George Street between the junction of King Street and the property boundary of 5 George Street with St Marys Churchyard with **No Waiting and No Loading at Any Time**.

The restrictions are in alignment with the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and are necessary for the following reasons:

- For avoiding danger to persons and traffic using the road, and through preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising through parking from taking place on the public highway.
- To eliminate indiscriminate parking around and near junctions which inhibits visibility and creates a road safety hazard for all road users.
- For ensuring emergency vehicular access and egress for the proposed Watford Police Station.

The Council reserves the right to produce an amended or further statement in the context of any public enquiry or judicial proceedings to these proposals

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