

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON ACT 2003

MOVING TRAFFIC CONTRAVENTIONS

(Reference 60/12)

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Richmond upon Thames (“the Council”) resolved on 27 November 2012 to exercise the powers conferred by sections 4 and 7 of the London Local Authorities and Transport for London Act 2003 to issue penalty charge notices for the road traffic contraventions described in Schedule 3 to that Act within the borough.
2. The general effect of the above is that the enforcement of the road traffic offences will pass from the Metropolitan Police Service to the Council, and that the offences will no longer be criminal offences but will become civil contraventions. As such, the Council will have powers to issue penalty charge notices.
3. The Council intends to commence the operation of the above powers with effect from 1 May 2013.
4. In general terms, these road traffic contraventions are those:
 - requiring vehicles to proceed in a particular direction;
 - prohibiting vehicles making certain movements or turning in a certain direction;
 - restricting some or all vehicles from using certain roads or routes or restricted areas;
 - relating to yellow box junctions.
5. If you require any more information, please visit the Council’s website at http://www.richmond.gov.uk/public_notices.htm

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