



**NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL
STATEMENT OF REASONS
BANCROFT, HITCHIN, PROHIBITION OF STOPPING AND WAITING EXCEPT TAXIS
ORDER 2024**

Proposals

The proposal is described in the attached Traffic Regulation Order (ref: NHDC/BAN/HIT/2024) and plan MH/BANC/001 as well as the public notice of proposal.

North Hertfordshire District Council, having also considered the duty imposed on the Authority under Section 122 Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, proposes to regularize the current restrictions at Bancroft Taxi Rank.

Supporting Information

Following concerns raised from members of the public residing in Mews style entrances off Bancroft, relating to non taxi vehicles parking in the taxi rank and across residential accessways, informal consultation was performed with residents and businesses affected.

The Taxi Rank has been subject to previous orders where the taxi bays were created and subsequently No Waiting at anytime was introduced. Following further investigation it is evident that neither order revoked the other and therefore this order regularizes. The Orders to be revoked are: The North Hertfordshire District Council (Various roads, Hitchin) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting) (Amendment) Order 1984 and The North Hertfordshire District Council (Bancroft, Hitchin) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 1989

The proposal is to create a length of No Waiting or Stopping Except for Taxis as shown on the accompanying plan.

Initial informal consultation has been made to the residents and businesses affected and no negative responses were returned.

The proposal is subject to consultation with Local and County Councilors representing the area, Hertfordshire County Council as Highway Authority, The local Police, Ambulance, the Fire and Rescue Services.

Further Information

General enquiries relating to the Order should be referred to Technical Project Officer, North Hertfordshire District Council, PO Box 10613, Nottingham, NG6 6DW or by email: mark.hindmarch@north-herts.gov.uk

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Proposed Plan



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