



Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005

2005 CHAPTER 16

PART 2

VEHICLES

Illegally parked vehicles etc

15 Notice of removal

- (1) Section 99 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (c. 27) (removal of vehicles) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (3) (requirement to give notice of removal to occupier), after “land” insert “ other than a road ”.
- (3) Omit subsection (4) (requirement to give notice of removal of vehicle which ought to be destroyed).

Commencement Information

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| I1 | S. 15 in force at 18.10.2005 for E. by S.I. 2005/2896, art. 3(d) (with art. 5(1)) |
| I2 | S. 15 in force at 27.10.2006 for W. by S.I. 2006/2797, art. 2(d) (with art. 9(1)(a)(2)) |

16 Disposal

- (1) Section 101 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (c. 27) (ultimate disposal of removed vehicles) is amended as follows.
- (2) In subsection (3), in paragraph (a), omit the words from “and on which” to “at the time of its removal”.

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(3) In that subsection, for paragraph (b) substitute—

- “(b) in the case of a vehicle, not falling within paragraph (a), which—
- (i) does not display a licence (whether current or otherwise and whether or not the vehicle is required to display a licence), and
 - (ii) does not display any registration mark (whether indicating registration within or outside the United Kingdom),
- at any time after its removal;”.

(4) In that subsection, omit the words from “but, in a case” to the end.

(5) In subsection (8), in the definition of “licence”, at the end insert “ (including a nil licence within the meaning of that Act) ”.

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I3 S. 16 in force at 18.10.2005 for E. by S.I. 2005/2896, art. 3(e) (with art. 5(1))

I4 S. 16 in force at 27.10.2006 for W. by S.I. 2006/2797, art. 2(e) (with art. 9(1)(b)(2))

17 Guidance

In section 103 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (supplementary provision as to removal of vehicles), at the end insert—

- “(4) A local authority must in exercising any of their functions under sections 99 to 102 have regard to any guidance given to the authority for the purpose by—
- (a) the Secretary of State, in the case of a local authority in England;
 - (b) the National Assembly for Wales, in the case of a local authority in Wales.

(5) In subsection (4) “local authority” has the meaning given by section 100(5)(a) and (b).”

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I5 S. 17 in force at 18.10.2005 for E. by S.I. 2005/2896, art. 3(f) (with art. 5(1))

I6 S. 17 in force at 16.3.2006 for specified purposes for W. by S.I. 2006/768, art. 3

I7 S. 17 in force at 27.10.2006 for W. in so far as not already in force by S.I. 2006/2797, art. 2(f) (with art. 9(1)(c)(2))

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Commencement Orders yet to be applied to the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005

Commencement Orders bringing provisions within this Act into force:

- [S.I. 2007/120 art. 3](#) Amendment to earlier commencing [S.I. 2006/2797](#)