

**THE CITY OF SOUTHAMPTON
(TERMINUS TERRACE) (LOADING BAY & TAXI RANK) ORDER 2025**

Statement of Reasons

- For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising (*i.e. to improve safety*)
- For facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians)
- For preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs

Following meetings with the Taxi Trade Board, it is proposed to alter the taxi rank and loading bays on Terminus Terrace to better reflect the demands at different times of day.

The proposals would be to combine the taxi and loading bays south of the crossing on Terminus Terrace and extend it southwards. A loading only 6am – 9pm and no stopping except taxis 9pm – 6am restriction would apply to the newly combined bay.

In authorising the advertisement of these proposals, the Council has given consideration to its duty under s.122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic (including pedestrians) and the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on and off the highway (while having regard to the matters specified in s.122 subsection (2) of that Act).