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Dear Secretary of State,

## Traffic Management Act 2004, Part 6: Application for Designation of Civil Enforcement Area for Moving Traffic Contraventions

In relation to the regulations that came into force on 31 May 2022 that have given effect to the moving traffic enforcement powers under Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004 ("the Part 6 powers"), I am writing to formally apply on behalf of The District of Herefordshire County Council for designation as a civil enforcement area for moving traffic contraventions. This application is submitted in accordance with paragraph 10 of Schedule 8 to the Traffic Management Act 2004 and the below conditions set out by the Department for Transport.

As Chief Executive I confirm that Herefordshire Council, being a unitary authority, makes this application with the authority of the Council as set out in a Cabinet Member <u>decision taken</u>. I also confirm that the Council has met all of the following as required:

|  | Yes / No |
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| The Council consulted the appropriate Chief Officer of Police?   | Yes      |
| The Council carried out public engagement, for the requisite minimum six-<br>week period, on the location(s) and type(s) of moving traffic restriction<br>selected by the local authority as appropriate for enforcement action? | Yes      |
| Set out rationale for, and benefits of, moving traffic enforcement to local residents and businesses, and provide the opportunity for them to raise any concerns?  | Yes      |
| The Council taken appropriate steps, as it considers reasonable, to resolve all objections?  | Yes      |
| The Council carried out effective public communication and engagement, using the full range of media available, as the Council considers appropriate?  | Yes      |
| This public communication and engagement continue up to the start of enforcement and for a reasonable period thereafter?   | Yes      |
| The Council is ensuring that enforcement of all moving traffic restrictions will be underpinned by accurate Traffic Regulation Orders, where applicable, and indicated by lawful traffic signs and road markings?                | Yes      |
| The Council ensured all the relevant equipment has been certified by the Vehicle Certification Agency (VCA) specifically for moving traffic contraventions?  | Yes      |
| Undertake to carry out all of the above steps in respect of any new camera location in the future?   | Yes      |

The Council is applying for designation of the Part 6 powers to cover the whole of its civil <u>enforcement area for parking contraventions</u> (SI 3397, 2001) with the same exclusions.

Yours sincerely,

Paul Walker Chief Executive

