

**The Essex County Council (Tendring District) (Prohibition of Waiting, Loading and Stopping) and (On-Street Parking Places) (Civil Enforcement Area) (Amendment No.36) Order 202\***

**The Essex County Council (Old Gas Works Retail Park, Old Road, Clacton-on-Sea) (Prohibition of Left-Hand Turn) Order 202\***

**STATEMENT OF REASONS**

The new access at the Old Gas Works Retail Park, Old Road, is located within an urban area in Clacton-on-Sea and enters onto a Priority 2 Route (PR2) road which has large traffic volumes.

Providing No Waiting at Any Time restrictions at this junction will ensure that no vehicles are causing obstructions by being parked in the area and provide clear sight of the road space.

Following a Stage 1/2 Road Safety Audit it was picked up that if large/heavy goods vehicles were to exit the new access road by turning left (northbound) it might result in vehicles overrunning into oncoming traffic, presenting a safety hazard. Providing a no left turn at this junction would provide safety benefits to road users as vehicles exiting the site would not be overrunning into oncoming traffic which could result in a side impact or head on vehicle collision.

This scheme is being funded by the developer as a result of planning permission being granted under reference 19/00338/FUL.