STATEMENT OF REASONS

THE BOROUGH OF WARRINGTON (A49 NEWTON ROAD) (PROHIBITION OF U-TURN) ORDER 2024

Numerous vehicles have been observed to contravene the red traffic signal and perform a U-Turn prior to turning left into Townfield Lane. This has resulted in conflict with southbound and right turning vehicles on A49 and potentially pedestrians using the controlled facility to cross A49. This also increases the potential for rear end shunt collisions as vehicles travelling northbound would not expect vehicles to slow and wait within the junction.