ROYAL BOROUGH OF KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

QUEEN'S GATE GARDENS – EXEMPTION FOR PEDAL CYCLES FROM EXISTING ONE-WAY SYSTEMS AND NO-ENTRY RESTRICTIONS

Kensington and Chelsea (Prescribed Routes) (No. *) Traffic Order 202*

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") propose to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to exempt pedal cycles from the existing one-way traffic systems in Queen's Gate Gardens: (1) the northern east to west arm, one-way westbound throughout its whole length (2) the eastern south to north arm, one-way northbound between the southern kerb-line of Queen's Gate Gardens (northern east to west arm) and the northern kerb-line of Queen's Gate Gardens (southern west to east arm); and (3) the southern west to east arm, one-way eastbound throughout its whole length. Pedal cycles would also be made exempt from the existing 'no entry' restrictions in place in relation to those one-way systems which prevent vehicles entering against the flow of traffic.

3. The above measures would improve accessibility for cyclists in the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea.

4. A copy of the proposed Order and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the proposed Order can be inspected at the Town Hall, Hornton Street, London W8 7NX during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive or by emailing <u>trafficorders@rbkc.gov.uk</u>, quoting reference RBKC/TMO/CD/Queen's Gate Gardens Two-Way Cycling. If you have any queries, or need further information, please contact Caroline Dubarbier (Sustainable Travel Manager) on 020 7361 3766 or email <u>Caroline.Dubarbier@rbkc.gov.uk</u>

5. Anyone wishing to object or make any other representations about the proposed Order should send a statement in writing to that effect, and in the case of an objection, stating the grounds thereof, to trafficorders@rbkc.gov.uk or Traffic Orders, Room 308, Council Offices, The Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea, 37 Pembroke Road, London, W8 6PW quoting reference: RBKC/TMO/CD/Queen's Gate Gardens Two-Way Cycling, by **27**th **July 2022**.

6. Under the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, any letter you write to the Council in response to this Notice may be made available to the press and to the public, who would be entitled to take copies of it if they so wished.

Dated 15th June 2022

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