SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2026 No. 222

ROAD TRAFFIC

The A977/A876 Trunk Road (Kincardine) (20mph, 30mph and 40mph Speed Limits) Order 2026

Made - - - -	*9th July 2026*
Coming into force - -	*18th July 2026*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 84(1)(a) and 124(1)(d) of, and paragraph 27 of schedule 9 of, the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(**a**) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 84(2)(**b**) of that Act, they have given public notice of their intention to make the following Order, and have complied with Parts II and III of the Secretary of State's Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1987(**c**).

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the A977/A876 Trunk Road (Kincardine) (20mph, 30mph and 40mph Speed Limits) Order 2026 and comes into force on 18 July 2026.

Speed limits

2. No person may drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding—

(a) 20 miles per hour on the lengths of road specified in Part 1 of the schedule,

(b) 30 miles per hour on the length of road specified in Part 2 of the schedule,

(c) 40 miles per hour on the length of road specified in Part 3 of the schedule.

Amendment

3. The Trunk Roads (Restricted Roads) (Fife Region) Order 1976(**d**) is amended as follows—

(a) Omit paragraph 2 of the schedule.

(b) Omit paragraph 3 of the schedule.

(**a**) 1984 c. 27; section 84(1) was substituted by the Road Traffic Act 1991 (c. 40), section 45(2). Section 124 and paragraph 27 of schedule 9 contain amendments not relevant to this Order. The Scottish Ministers are the traffic authority by virtue of section 121A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (c. 27) (inserted by the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 (c. 22) ("the 1991 Act"), schedule 8, paragraph 70 and amended by S.I. 2001/1400) as read with section 151(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c. 54) (relevantly amended by S.I. 2001/1400). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46).

(**b**) Section 84(2) was substituted by the 1991 Act, schedule 8, paragraph 61.

(**c**) S.I. 1987/2244.

(**d**) S.I. 1976/691.

Revocations

4. The A985 Trunk Road (Kincardine Eastern Link Road) (30mph Speed Limit) Order 2004(**a**) is revoked.

5. The A977 Trunk Road (Kincardine) (30mph and 40mph Speed Limit) Order 2008(**b**) is revoked.

Exemption

6. No speed restriction imposed by this Order applies to—

(a) vehicles falling within regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(**c**) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations; or

(b) vehicles being used in an emergency for coastguard purposes.

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9th July 2026

(**a**) S.S.I. 2004/366.
(**b**) S.S.I. 2008/250.
(**c**) S.I. 2011/935.

SCHEDULE

Article 2

SPECIFIED LENGTHS OF ROAD

Part 1

1. That length of the A977 Kincardine Trunk Road from a point 38 metres or thereby east of the extended centreline of Forth View in a generally north-westwardly direction to a point 375 metres or thereby north of the extended centreline of High Street, a total distance of 891 metres or thereby.

2. That length of the A876 Kincardine Trunk Road from a point 204 metres or thereby northeast of the extended centreline of Walker street in a generally south-westerly direction to its junction with the A985 Eastern Link road, a total distance of 406 metres or thereby.

Part 2

3. That length of the A977 Kincardine Trunk Road from a point 38 metres or thereby east of the extended centreline of Forth View in a generally easterly direction to a point 230 metres or thereby east of the extended centreline of Forth View, a total distance of 191 metres or thereby.

Part 3

4. That length of the A977 Kincardine Trunk Road from a point 230 metres or thereby east of the extended centreline of Forth View in a generally south-easterly direction to its junction with the A977 Gartarry-Kincardine Trunk Road, a total distance of 460 metres or thereby.