1960 No. 1476

The Town and Country Planning General Development (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1960

Made - - - -	17*th August*, 1960
Laid before Parliament	19*th August*, 1960
Coming into Operation	29*th August*, 1960

The Minister of Housing and Local Government, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 13 and 111 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Town and Country Planning General Development (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1960, and the orders which may be cited together as the Town and Country Planning General Development Orders, 1950 to 1960(b), shall include this order.

(2) This order shall come into operation on the 29th day of August, 1960.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889(c), shall apply to the interpretation of this order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. The Town and Country Planning General Development Order, 1950(d), is hereby amended as follows:—

(*a*) In paragraph (1) of Article 2 after the definition of "building" there shall be added the following definitions:—

"caravan" means any structure designed or adapted for human habitation which is capable of being moved from one place to another whether by being towed or by being transported on a motor vehicle or trailer, and any motor vehicle so designed or adapted, but does not include—

(*a*) any railway rolling stock which is for the time being on rails forming part of a railway system; or

(*b*) any tent;

"caravan site" means land on which a caravan is stationed for the purposes of human habitation and land which is used in conjunction with land on which a caravan is so stationed;

(*b*) In column (1) of Class IV.2, of the First Schedule after the words "for any purpose" there shall be added the words "except as a caravan site";

(*c*) In column (1) of Class V of that Schedule the words "or caravans" shall be omitted;

(a) 10 & 11 Geo. 6. c. 51.
(b) S.I. 1950/728, 1958/1460, 1959/1286, 1960/283 (1950 II, p. 1051; 1958 II, p. 2328; 1959 II, p. 2630; 1960 III, p. 3286). (c) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (d) S.I. 1950/728 (1950 II, p. 1051).

(*d*) The following Classes shall be included in that Schedule after Class XXII :—

Class XXIII—Uses as caravan sites

The use of land, other than a building, as a caravan site in any of the circumstances specified in paragraphs 2 to 9 (inclusive) of the First Schedule to the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960(a), or in the circumstances (other than those relating to winter quarters) specified in paragraph 10 of the said schedule.	1. The use shall be discontinued when the said circumstances cease to exist, and all caravans on the site shall then be removed. 2. Standard conditions 1 and 2.

Class XXIV—Development on licensed caravan sites

Development required by the conditions of a site licence for the time being in force under Part I of the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960.	Standard conditions 1 and 2.

Given under the official seal of the Minister of Housing and Local Government this seventeenth day of August, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(L.S.)

Henry Brooke,
Minister of Housing and Local Government.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This order amends the Town and Country Planning General Development Order, 1950. It removes use as a caravan site from the permissions granted by Article 3 and Classes IV and V of that order, and makes this use the subject of a new permission (Class XXIII) in cases where no site licence is required under the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960. It also gives a permission (Class XXIV) for development required by the conditions of a site licence.

(a) 8 & 9 Eliz. 2. c. 62.