EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Directions are general directions by the Minister of Transport subject to which, and to any special direction, a highway authority may place on or near any road within its area traffic signs of the size, colour and type prescribed by the Traffic Signs (Size, Colour and Type) Regulations, 1950. The main difference between the Directions now revoked and these Directions is that the latter provide that the special post, on which a sign prohibiting or restricting the waiting of vehicles in any road is mounted, shall be painted in alternate black and yellow bands as provided in paragraph 14 of these Directions instead of in alternate black and white bands.

The Traffic Signs (London) (Revocation) Authorisation and Directions, 1950

1950 No. 955

Made - - - - 13*th June*, 1950
Coming into Operation 14*th June*, 1950

The Minister of Transport in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 48 of the Road Traffic Act, 1930(**a**), as amended by section 40 of and the Third Schedule to the Road Traffic Act, 1934(**b**), and of all other powers him enabling, hereby declares as follows:—

1. The Traffic Signs (London) Authorisation and Directions, 1948(**c**), and the Traffic Signs (London) (Amendment) Authorisation and Directions, 1948(**d**), are hereby revoked.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1889(**e**), shall apply to the interpretation of this Instrument as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. This Instrument shall come into operation on the 14th day of June, 1950, and may be cited as "The Traffic Signs (London) (Revocation) Authorisation and Directions, 1950".

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Transport this 13th day of June, 1950.

(L.S.)

J. R. Willis,
An Under Secretary of the Ministry of Transport.

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The traffic signs which highway authorities were authorised to erect or retain by the Instruments revoked by the present Instrument are now included in the Traffic Signs (Size, Colour and Type) Regulations, 1950 (S.I. 1950 No. 953(**f**)).

(**a**) 20 & 21 Geo. 5. c. 43.
(**b**) 24 & 25 Geo. 5. c. 50.
(**c**) S.I. 1948 (No. 2445) I, p. 3762.
(**d**) S.I. 1948 (No. 2710) I, p. 3764.
(**e**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.
(**f**) *See* p. 775 below.