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Reading Borough Council (hereinafter referred to as "The Council"), pursuant to its powers under Sections 9 and 10 to The Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (The Act of 1984) and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, hereby make the following Order-

**PART I
CITATION AND COMMENCEMENT**

1. This Order may be cited as The Borough of Reading (Bus Lanes) (Bus Services Improvement) Variation Experimental Order 2024.
2. This Order shall come into operation on 13 September 2024 for a maximum period not exceeding eighteen months from that date.

INTERPRETATION

3. In this Order:

“motorcycle” means a mechanically propelled vehicle (not being an invalid carriage) with fewer than 4 wheels, of which the weight unladen does not exceed 410 kilograms.

4. Any reference in this order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment.
5. Any reference in this Order to a numbered Article shall unless the context otherwise requires be construed as a reference to the numbered Article bearing that number in this Order.

**PART II
VARIATION**

6. Article 7 of The Borough of Reading (Bus Lanes) (Bus Services Improvement) Order 2024 is hereby deleted and replaced with the following:

Save as provided in Article 8, no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform, or a Civil Enforcement Officer, use a vehicle or cause or permit any vehicle other than a Bus, Pedal cycle, Motorcycle or an Authorised Vehicle to be in the lengths of roads designated as a Bus Lane as detailed in the Schedule of this Order.

**PART III
POWER TO MODIFY OR SUSPEND THIS ORDER**

7. In pursuance of section 10(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the Assistant Director for Planning Transport and Regulatory Services or a person authorised by him may modify or suspend the operation of the order or any provision of it if it appears to him essential in the interests of the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic, or for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which any road affected by this Order runs. Such power shall not extend to making additions to the Order.

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THE COMMON SEAL of the READING)
BOROUGH COUNCIL was hereunto)
affixed in the presence of:-)



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