



Derry City & Strabane
District Council

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The Shops (Sunday Trading &c.) (Northern Ireland) Order 1997

Additional permitted Sunday opening for large shops in Derry City and Strabane District Council area.

Derry City and Strabane District Council wishes to seek the views of the community on whether to extend the permitted hours on a Sunday that large shops (floor area exceeding 280 square metres) within Derry City and Strabane District Council area may open by designating the area as a holiday resort.

The former Derry City Council area has been designated a holiday resort by the then Council in 1997, the current proposal is to designate the entire area of Derry City and Strabane District Council, or specific parts of the area, as a holiday resort.

In accordance with Article 6 of the above Order, large shops situated in areas designated as a holiday resort may apply to the Council to extend their opening hours on a Sunday. Such additional hours shall not, however, apply to:

- A Sunday occurring before 1st March or after 30th September in any calendar year.
- Easter Sunday; or
- More than 18 Sundays in any calendar year.

Before considering whether to designate the entire area of Derry City and Strabane District Council, or specific parts of the area with holiday resort status, the Council wishes to hear the views of all persons (or their representatives) likely to be affected by the designation.

If you wish to comment on this matter please submit your views in writing or by email before the 30th April 2017 to:
The Environmental Health Service,
Derry City and Strabane District Council, 98 Strand Road, Derry, BT487NN, or at 47 Derry Road, Strabane, BT82 8DY.

Email; healthandsafety@derrystrabane.com
Dated this 31st March 2017
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