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BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL
ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014
SECTION 60 - NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF
PUBLIC SPACE PROTECTION ORDER: - (RE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF DOGS)

The Public Space Protection Order made by Birmingham City Council (“the Authority”) under section 59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (the Act) which came into effect on the 19th October 2020 at 23.00 and is due to expire on the 18th October 2023 at 23.59 hours is hereby extended under s60 of the Act.

The Authority is extending the period for which the order has effect because the Authority is satisfied on reasonable grounds that doing so is necessary to prevent after the time the order would have expired the occurrence or recurrence of the activities identified in the order and/or an increase in the frequency or seriousness of those activities identified in the Order.

The activities identified in the order are the specified number of dogs a person may take onto land.

The period for which the order shall have effect is extended from 17th day of October 2023 at 23.00 hours to 18th October 2026 at 23.59.

The terms of the Public Space Protection Order are set out below:

1. *This order applies to the land specified in the schedule below.*
2. *On land to which this Order applies, the maximum number of dogs which a person may take onto that land is four.*

Offence

3. (1) *A person in charge of more than one dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, he takes onto any land in respect of which this order applies more than the maximum number of dogs specified in article 2 of this order, unless-*
 - (a) *he has reasonable excuse for failing to do so; or*
 - (b) *the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his doing so.*
- (2) *For the purpose of this article a person who habitually has a dog in his possession shall be taken to be in charge of the dog at any time unless at that time some other person is in charge of the dog.*

Penalty

4. A person who is guilty of an offence under article 3 shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.

SCHEDULE

This Order applies to all land in the administrative area of Birmingham City Council that is open to the air and to which the public are entitled or permitted to have access (with or Without payment). For the purpose of this schedule, any land which is covered is to be treated as land which is "open to the air" if it is open to the air on at least one side.

Authorised signatory.



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Date

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