

WILTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

**THE COUNTY OF WILTSHIRE (VARIOUS ROADS IN THE PARISHES OF
BRIXTON DEVERILL, HORNINGSHAM, KILMINGTON, KINGSTON DEVERILL,
LONGBRIDGE DEVERILL, MAIDEN BRADLEY WITH YARNFIELD, MERE AND
STOURTON WITH GASPER) (WEIGHT RESTRICTION) ORDER 2009**

Statement of the County Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order

The village of Maiden Bradley straddles the B3092 which is being used extensively by Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs) travelling between Somerset and Wiltshire. This road is not designated as an HGV route by Wiltshire or Somerset County Councils

This Order will introduce a 7.5 tonne maximum gross weight restriction on the B3092 through Maiden Bradley. In order to prevent other unsuitable roads being used as alternative routes, restrictions are also proposed on the B3095 through the Deverills and routes adjoining these roads using the County Council's powers under Sections 1 (1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, namely:

- (d) for preventing the use of the road by vehicular traffic of a kind which, or its use by vehicular traffic in a manner which, is unsuitable having regard to the existing character of the road or adjoining property;
- (f) for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs.