



ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

COMHAIRLE NAN EILEAN SIAR

**(B895 NEWMARKET TO NORTH TOLSTA, ISLE OF LEWIS)
(40MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2012
(GRESS EXTENSION) AMENDMENT ORDER 2016**

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STATEMENT OF REASONS

This Order is an extension of the (B895 Newmarket to North Tolsta, Isle of Lewis) (40mph Speed Limit) Order 2012. This follows an experimental order providing for the 40mph extension at Gress for a period of 12 months. The section of road affected is 520m long and is located between the junction to Na Creachan and the Gress Cemetery. The extension will allow pedestrians to access the Gress Shore within a 40mph speed limit.

The reason for implementing this Order is in the interests of road safety.

This will be in line with the Comhairle's speed limit policy which states that main roads through villages have a speed limit of 40mph with village side roads limited to 30mph.

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