

London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham

The Clean Neighbourhoods & Environment Act 2005

The Exclusion of Dogs (Hammersmith & Fulham) Order 2006

Commencement and title and interpretation

The Council of the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham, in exercise of it's powers under section 55 of The Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005, The Dog Control Orders (Prescribed Offences and Penalties, etc.) Regulations 2006 (S.I. 2006/[1]) and all other enabling powers, hereby makes the following order.

- 1. This Order comes into force on 15th March 2007.
- **2.** This Order applies to the land specified in Schedule 1.
- 3. This Order shall be cited as 'The Exclusion of Dogs (Hammersmith & Fulham) Order 2006'.

Offence

- 4. (1) A person in charge of a dog shall be guilty of an offence if, at any time, he takes the dog onto, or permits the dog enter or to remain on any land to which this Order applies, unless
 - a. he has a reasonable excuse for failing to do so; or
 - the owner, occupier or other person or authority having control of the land has consented (generally or specifically) to his failing to do so.
 - (2) Nothing in this article applies to a person who
 - a. Is registered as a blind person in a registered compiled under Section 29 of the National Assistance Act 1948; or

- b. Is deaf in respect of a dog trained by Hearing Dogs for Deaf People (registered charity number 293358) and upon which he relies for assistance.
- c. Has a disability which affects his mobility, manual dexterity, physical co-ordination or ability to list, carry or otherwise move everyday objects, in respect of a dog trained by a prescribed charity and upon which he relies for assistance.
- (3) For the purposes of this article
 - a. 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; and
 - b. Each of the follow owing is a "prescribed charity" -
 - (i) Dogs for the Disabled (registered charity number 7000454)
 - (ii) Support dogs (registered charity number 1088281)
 - (iii) Canine Partners for Independence (registered charity number 803680)

Penalty

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

5th March 2007 Assistant Director of Public Protection & Safety London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham

[SCHEDULE 1]

This Order shall apply to the following areas of land which are open to the air and to which the public are entitled or permitted to have access (with or without payment) within the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham –

- 1. All children's play areas within the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham.
- 2. All fenced-off sporting areas within the following parks and open spaces of the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham -
 - Rowberry Mead Open Space
 - Ravenscourt Park
 - Hammersmith Park
 - Eel Brook Common
 - South Park
 - Bishops Park
 - Lillie Road Recreational Ground
 - Bishops Park
 - Hurlingham Park
 - Brook Green
 - Ravenscourt Park
 - Shepherd's Bush Green
 - Wormholt Park
- 3. The following fenced-off war memorial areas within the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham
 - Shepherd's Bush Green War Memorial Site.
- 4. All no dog areas within the following parks and open spaces within the London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham
 - Ravenscourt Park
 - Eel Brook Common
 - Hammersmith Park
 - Bayonne Road Open Space
- 5. All grounds of Fulham Pallace

[SCHEDULE 2]

This Order shall apply at all times.