EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

**The East Sussex (U5302 McKinlay Way, Newhaven)**

 **(30 mph Speed Limit)**

**STATEMENT OF REASONS**

The County Council's reasons for proposing the above named Order are;

The County Council intend to open the new Port Access Road now named ‘McKinlay Way’.

McKinlay Way will eventually provide direct access to new housing, business and retail development. In order that the speed limit on the new southern section of McKinlay Way is consistent with the northern section of McKinlay Way, it is proposed to extend the 30mph speed limit along the new road for its entire length.

The northern section of McKinlay Way is already subject to the national speed limit (30mph) for a built up area by virtue of the existing system of street lighting. Street lighting is not being provided for the new southern section of McKinlay Way, hence the need to introduce a Traffic Regulation Order, this will contribute to;

* Facilitating the safe passage of all road users.
* For preserving and improving the amenities of the area.
* For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road and for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising.

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