

Driving Offences (Amendment) Bill

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Amend the Road Traffic Act 1988 to provide that dangerous and careless, or inconsiderate, driving offences may be committed in places other than roads and other public places; and for connected purposes.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen’s most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1 Amendments to the Road Traffic Act 1988

- (1) The Road Traffic Act 1988 is amended as follows.
- (2) In each of the sections listed below, after “a road or other public place” insert “, or a private place adjacent to a road,”—
 - section 1 (causing death by dangerous driving);
 - section 1A (causing serious injury by dangerous driving);
 - section 2 (dangerous driving);
 - section 2B (causing death by careless, or inconsiderate, driving);
 - section 3 (careless, and inconsiderate, driving).

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- (1) This Act extends to England and Wales only.
- (2) This Act comes into force at the end of the period of four weeks beginning with the day on which it is passed.
- (3) This Act may be cited as the Driving Offences (Amendment) Act 2021.

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