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Dear Sir/Madam

Re: Private Road to Crown Paints

I have been contacted by the management of Crown Paints, Darwen, regarding issues with access to their works from Commercial Road.

It would appear that instructors from your Agency are using the access road from the roundabout on Commercial Road into their works as an area to execute three point turns with their pupils. This manoeuvre is causing obstructions for deliveries and general day to day access to their business.

This access road which runs to the south from the second roundabout on Commercial Road is a private road and not public highway and should not therefore be used by your instructors. Indeed from a highway and traffic point of view, I do not believe that any of the roads within a busy motorway services and industrial park area are suitable for learner motorists manoeuvres.

For your information, I have enclosed a plan of the Motorway Services area on which the adopted public highway is shown shaded. As you can see the adopted highway is only Mary Leaver Way from the motorway roundabout into the site and the short length of Commercial Road between the two main roundabouts on the site.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely

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