

The Roads (Northern Ireland) Order 1993, Article 73

Application for Consent to place a Traditional Arch over a Road

- Please read the notes overleaf before completing this form

Applicant's details

Office Bearer's/Representative's details

Name.....

Name.....

Address

Address.....

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.....Postcode.....

.....Postcode.....

Telephone No

Telephone No

Location of proposed works

Brief details of proposed works

Proposed date to commence installation of works

Time required to install

Proposed date for removal of works

Time required to remove

Ref. No. of attached drawing (2 copies)

Is the erection of the proposed structure connected in any way with the manifestation of any religious or other belief? If so, please give details

Name of any relevant religious organisation

Is the applicant a member of such organisation? Yes No

Is it proposed to hold any ceremony or event associated with the proposed structure? If so, please give details.

I enclose:

Statement from Chartered Civil/ Structural Engineer regarding the safety of the structure

Confirmation from Insurers that the structure in question is covered, for the period of its erection, by Third Party Liability Insurance to the value of £5 Millions

Monetary Deposit of £100

Outline Drawings

I hereby apply for a consent to carry out the above works.

Signature of Applicant / Office Bearer/ Representative

Date

Authority if acting for an Organisation or Company

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Application to fix or place a Traditional Arch over a Road

Guidance Notes for Applicants

- 1 The fixing and placing of such apparatus is subject to Article 73 of the Roads (NI) Order 1993. Copies are available from HMSO.

Any person who carries out such works without the consent from the Department shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine. This does not apply to anything done in relation to a road which is not a special road by those referred to in Article 73 (2)(b) of the Roads (NI) Order 1993.
2. All applicants shall complete and submit to the relevant Section Engineer this application form setting out:-
 - (a) The proposed location of the arch.
 - (b) The name and permanent address of the applicant.
 - (c) The duration of the proposed erection.
 - (d) The Office held by the signatory (in cases where application is made on behalf of an organisation).
3. If consent is granted it shall be subject to conditions as seems to the Department to be adequate for securing the safety and convenience of traffic.
4. In **all** cases conditions will be laid down to cover the following items:-
 - (a) Signing of the works for the erection and removal of the arch to ensure traffic control and safety.
 - (b) Excavation or damage caused to the road or footpath surfaces.
 - (c) Permanent Reinstatement of the excavations or damaged areas and removal of the arch.
 - (d) Maintenance of the arch and the road and footway surfaces.
 - (e) Investigation of the existence of apparatus belonging to utility organisations and provision for their protection, where appropriate.
 - (f) Certification of safety and fitness for purpose from a Chartered Civil / Structural Engineer.
 - (g) Providing proof of adequate insurance.
5. Depending on the nature of the arch it is proposed to erect, the applicant may be required to:-
 - (a) Lodge a deposit of £100 with the Department.
 - (b) Provide outline drawings.
 - (c) Erect and / or dismantle the Arch on specific dates and times.
6. Notwithstanding the above general information there may be other conditions necessary due to the nature of the applicant's specific proposal.
7. Applicants are advised that traditional arches erected for a period exceeding 28 days may require planning permission. Accordingly they are advised to contact the nearest Divisional Planning Office.
8. Where consent is granted, applicants will be obliged to indemnify the Department in accordance with Article 73(9) of the Roads (NI) Order 1993.
9. Any person aggrieved by the refusal of the Department to give its consent under Article 73(2)(a) of the Roads (NI) Order 1993 or any condition subject to which any such consent is given may within 21 days of receiving notice thereof, appeal to the Planning Appeals Commission by notice in writing under Article 84 of the Roads (NI) Order 1993.