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Blue zones become red zones

As part of the review being carried out for the proposed new traffic, transport and parking plan, the Government will change the Traffic (Blue Zone) Regulations, enacted by the previous administration.

In keeping with international road markings which are standard throughout EU countries and following representations by members of the public locally, all "Blue Zones" will become "Red Zones". Amending Regulations to this effect will be published in the Gibraltar Gazette. The Government will also be making provision for Taxis to be able to stop, within an area of the Red Zone demarcated for such purpose only for so long as may be required to enable a passenger to get into or alight from a vehicle.

A transitional period of 28 days will apply from the date of the coming into operation of these regulations to allow for the changeover to take place. During that period "Blue Zone" road marking will continue to have effect.